MISSION
The Gatton College of Business and Economics is a part of the University of Kentucky, which is a public, research-extensive, land grant University dedicated to enriching the lives of people through excellence in teaching, research, and service. The Gatton College’s domain within the University is the intellectual disciplines of business and economics. Across these disciplines the College:
• Expands knowledge through research, scholarship, and creative activity
• Facilitates learning, informed by scholarship and research
• Serves a global community by disseminating, sharing, and applying knowledge
• Promotes human and economic development that improves lives within Kentucky’s borders and beyond.

HISTORY
• 1925 - The College of Commerce was created from the Department of Economics and was given full accreditation by the AACSB International (The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business).
• 1952 - The College began offering an MBA as veterans returned to attend college on the GI bill. Enrollment peaked in the early 1950s with the College graduating a total of approximately 200 graduates per year in all majors and degree programs combined.
• 1968 - With the College housed in a new facility, the name was formally changed to the College of Business and Economics.
• 1995 - In recognition of his $14 million commitment, the Board of Trustees renamed the College in honor of Mr. Carol Martin Gatton, class of 1954 alumnus.
• 1999 - Mr. Douglas J. Von Allmen, a 1965 accounting graduate, and his wife, Linda, gave $7 million. In honor of his gift, the College’s School of Accountancy was renamed for him.
• 2012 - David Blackwell becomes the seventh dean of the Gatton College of Business and Economics.
• 2013 - Ground breaking ceremonies were held for a new $65 million Gatton College facility.
STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS

Full-time 2,616 Male 1,792 International 189
Part-Time 178 Female 1,002 Total Enrollment 2,794

STUDY ABROAD LOCATIONS

Gatton students can study abroad anywhere in the world. For example, we have recently sent students or have students in these countries: Peru, Argentina, Brazil, Costa Rica, China, Singapore, Korea, India, Ireland, France, Germany, Spain, United Kingdom, Latvia, and Czech Republic.

INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE LOCATIONS

Austria, France, Germany, Latvia, Spain, South Korea, Switzerland

BUSINESS EXCHANGE

MBA program in partnership with Technological Education Institute of Piraeus (TEI Piraeus) in Athens, Greece.

ENROLLMENT

• Undergraduate 2,514
• Graduate 200
• Doctorate 80

ALUMNI

Gatton has the largest number of dues-paying alumni association participants (5,531) of any college at the University.

ANNUAL TUITION

• Undergraduate Resident $10,254
• Undergraduate Non-Resident $21,354
• Resident MBA $21,188
• Non-Resident MBA $34,465

ENDOWMENT

$69,667,007 (as of June 2013)

ACADEMIC UNITS

Von Allmen School of Accountancy
Department of Economics
Department of Finance and Quantitative Methods
Department of Management
Department of Marketing and Supply Chain

ADMINISTRATION

• David W. Blackwell, Dean
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