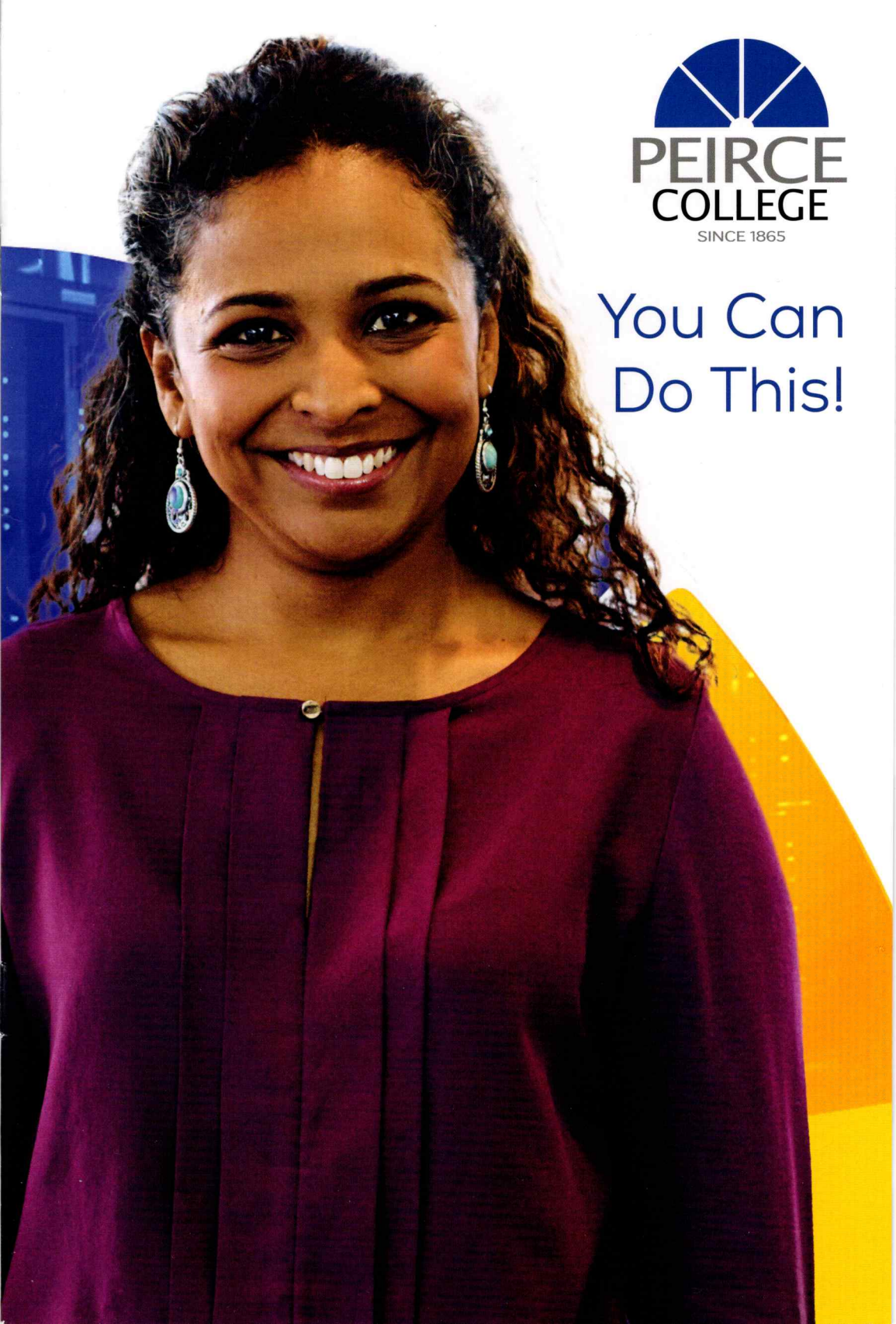




PEIRCE
COLLEGE

SINCE 1865

You Can
Do This!

A Legacy of Empowerment

Since 1865, Peirce College has been empowering busy adult learners to advance their education, increase their earning potential and transform their lives. As the only college in Pennsylvania dedicated exclusively to serving adults, Peirce removes the barriers that prevent many adults from coming back to college.

Why Choose Peirce College?

At Peirce, everything we do is built around your schedule and your needs – not ours.



"When my oldest daughter expressed that she did not need to attend college because neither of her parents had a college education, that gave me the drive I needed. My current job in human resources was another driving factor, as I had reached the highest point I could with only a high school education. In December 2023, I completed my degree and I was offered a promotion from HR Specialist to HR Manager. Shortly after receiving that promotion, I was contacted by my previous department and offered an Assistant HR Director position."

- **Heather McCarron '23**
**Bachelor of Science in
Business Administration
Certificate in DEIB**



"The transfer credits process was an incredible experience and saved me a lot of time and money. I always recommend Peirce to anyone I know who needs to earn a certificate, bachelor's, or master's degree. The staff in every department is incredibly understanding of your circumstances, which is crucial. You spend a lot of time at the college learning new skills to better your life and your family's life, and my experience at Peirce was truly amazing."

- **Makaila Davis '24**
**Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies
Certificate in Project Management
Administration**

Save Time & Money: Maximize Your Transfer Credits and Prior Learning

Transfer your credits from any of the following sources:

- Courses completed at other regionally accredited two-year and four-year institutions.
- Military training and select law enforcement training.
- Select certifications in IT, health information management and human resources.
- Professional training and courses evaluated by the American Council on Education.
- Credit-by-exam programs, such as CLEP® and DSST® exams.
- Online courses offered by Study.com, Sophia.org and Straighterline.com.
- Select courses and career certificates offered via the Coursera platform.

Save money and time:

Transfer Credits	Degree	Savings
30	Associate & Bachelor's	\$18,000*
60	Bachelor's	\$36,000*
90	Bachelor's	\$54,000*
102	Bachelor's	\$61,200*

*Based on Peirce College's current undergraduate tuition.

Earn Credits & Workplace Credential – For Free

As a student at Peirce, you can complete select courses and career certificates via Coursera at no cost, which makes it possible for you to **earn as many as 21 credits for free – a savings of more than \$12,000**. This includes the following career certificates:

- Google Digital Marketing & E-Commerce (up to 9 transfer credits)
- Google Data Analytics (up to 12 transfer credits)
- Google IT Support (up to 12 transfer credits)
- Google Project Management (up to 9 transfer credits)
- Google UX Design (up to 9 transfer credits)
- Google IT Automation with Python (up to 6 credits)
- IBM Cybersecurity Analyst (up to 9 credits)
- Meta Social Media Marketing (3 credits)

We are ready when you are ready!

Graduate on Your Terms: Flexible Scheduling

Finish your degree where and when you want. Courses are offered online or in a hybrid format, and if you prefer a face-to-face experience, we provide optional, weekly sessions with professors.

At Peirce College, our programs and classes work around your schedule – not ours.

- Courses begin every eight weeks.
- Online courses are designed for maximum convenience; log in whenever works for you.
- All programs and services are delivered in ways that work around your busy schedule and unique needs



"I was in search of a program that was flexible and which would allow me to have the credentials necessary to progress. Peirce had it all – it caters to working adults, it has accelerated classes, and it is CAHIIM-accredited, so I was eligible to sit for both the RHIT and RHIA certification exams after obtaining my degrees."

- Tara Broodie '17, '18
Associate in Science in Health
Information Technology and
Bachelor of Science in Health
Information Administration

Earn Credits for What You Already Know: Prior Learning Assessment

Scheduling flexibility isn't just about online access. At Peirce College, you can earn credit for the college-level knowledge you've acquired outside of the classroom. This includes skills and expertise gained through years of work, professional training, military training, and other experiences. Graduate students can also earn up to six graduate credits for expertise they have gained in their career.

The primary methods of prior learning assessment include:

- Credit-by-exam.
- Portfolio assessment.
- Professional and military training and professional credentials.

A Community of Support



Guiding You to a Better Future: Student Services

Finishing your degree doesn't have to be a daunting experience. And at Peirce College, you'll never be without a helping hand on your journey to a better future. Whether you need assistance with obtaining financial aid, crafting a schedule, or connecting with employers, we're here to help.

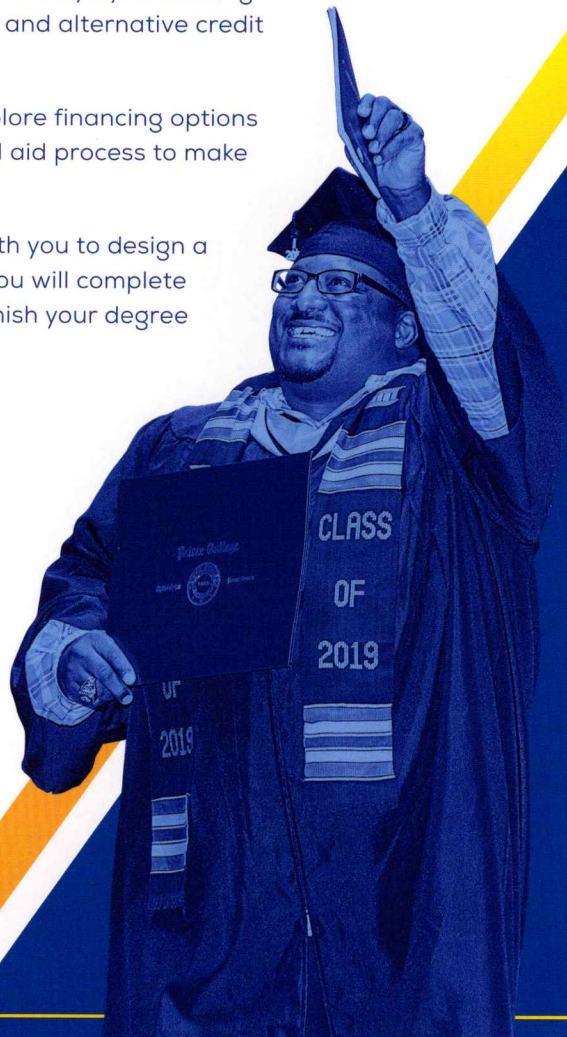
From start to finish, we provide the personalized guidance you need to thrive:

- From the moment you enroll, you'll be paired with a dedicated admissions counselor, student financial services representative, and academic advisor to ensure you're on the right path.
- Our admissions counselors will estimate your transfer credits, review your eligibility for tuition discounts and scholarships, and do everything in their power to save you time and money by evaluating your learning assessment eligibility and alternative credit options before you apply.
- Our financial aid specialists will explore financing options and guide you through the financial aid process to make your education work for you.
- Our academic advisors will work with you to design a program plan that maps out how you will complete the courses and requirements to finish your degree on your terms.



"Every time I talk to others about going back to school, I tell them about Peirce College because it is made for parents and working adults."

- Jinette Cabrera '21
Bachelor of Science in
Business Administration



Graduate Programs That Work Around You

- Start six different times during the year.
- Accelerated, flexible programs that work around your schedule.
- Weekly, optional live sessions with your professors.
- The opportunity to earn credit for expertise you have gained in your career.
- Scholarships and tuition discounts available.
- Free books for your first course.
- Personalized career counseling and professional development services.

Earn Your Master's for \$9,900!

For a limited time, you can earn your M.S. in Healthcare Administration, M.S. in Higher Education Leadership, or M.S. in Professional Studies **for \$9,900** - 57% less than our regular graduate tuition.

Earn Your First 3 Credits for Free

You can earn the first three credits of your master's degree at no cost via our Graduate Leadership Bootcamp. This can **save you more than \$2,300 in tuition** (and even more in books).



"I am so grateful for my entire Peirce experience. My life has changed significantly for the better, and I know I have a guaranteed great future ahead of me thanks to the knowledge, tools, positive outlook, and contacts provided to me at Peirce."

- **Jeff Alexander '19**
Master of Science
in Organizational
Leadership & Management



"Being a student at Peirce, provided me with an opportunity to complete my degree while being a mother of three and working full-time. Finishing my degree at Peirce was one of the best decisions I've ever made. As a first-generation student, I am excited to graduate with a bachelor's degree in Healthcare Administration and make my family proud. Recently, I was accepted into the nursing program at Rutgers University in Camden and I'm in my second semester in the BSN Accelerated program."

- **Julissa Boglio-Garcia '24**
Bachelor of Science in
Healthcare Administration

Your Future Awaits: Programs at Peirce College

GRADUATE

- Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- M.S. Healthcare Administration
- M.S. Higher Education Leadership
- M.S. Organizational Leadership & Management
- M.S. Professional Studies
- Graduate Certificate in Higher Education Leadership

BACHELOR'S

Business

- B.S. Accounting
- B.S. Business Administration – Accredited by ACBSP
- B.S. Human Resource Management (SHRM-aligned program)
- B.S. Organizational Leadership & Management

Healthcare & Human Services

- B.S. Health Information Administration – Accredited by Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM)
- B.S. Healthcare Administration
- B.S. Human Services Leadership
- B.S. Public Health Administration

Information Technology

- B.S. Information Technology
- B.S. Technology Management

Legal Studies

- B.S. Criminal Justice Studies
- B.S. Paralegal Studies – ABA approved (only approved bachelor's program in Philadelphia)

Liberal Studies

- B.A. Liberal Studies: 12 career-focused tracks are available

ASSOCIATE

Business

- A.S. Business Administration – Accredited by ACBSP
- A.S. Leadership Development
- A.S. Office Management and Supervision

Healthcare

- A.S. Health Information Technology – CAHIIM-accredited

General Studies

- A.A. General Studies

Information Technology

- A.S. Information Technology

Legal Studies

- A.S. Criminal Justice Studies
- A.S. Paralegal Studies

UNDERGRADUATE CERTIFICATES

Save thousands on a stackable, undergraduate certificate that can prepare you for professional advancement or career change. Tuition for these certificates is **\$350 per credit** for a limited time – more than 40% less than our regular undergraduate tuition.

- CannaBusiness
- Client Service
- Cloud Computing (AWS partner)
- Cybersecurity
- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging
- Financial Operations
- Human Resource Management
- Medical Billing
- Medical Coding
- Paralegal Studies (post-baccalaureate)
- Project Management Administration
- Quality Service Management
- Supply Chain Management & Logistics

SPECIAL AGREEMENTS FOR ADVANCED DEGREES

- Bachelor-to-JD program partnership with Rutgers Law School
- Bachelor's-to-Master's program

Accreditations, Approvals & Alignments

- Middle States Commission on Higher Education (www.msche.org)
- American Bar Association (ABA)
- Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP)
- Commission on Accreditation for Health Informatics and Information Management Education (CAHIIM)
- Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM)

Peirce College & Lackawanna College: Better and Stronger Together

In 2024, Lackawanna College and Peirce College announced that they intend to merge, based on the shared belief that both institutions are better and stronger together and aptly positioned to help more residents of Pennsylvania transform their lives. Pending the required approvals, Peirce will become part of Lackawanna College.

- Peirce will continue to have a campus in Philadelphia and serve our students, our alumni and our future students wherever they live and work.
- Applicants and students will see no change to their programs or to the student experience, and there will be no disruptions to our academic programs or student and alumni services.
- Once the merger is finalized, Peirce students and alumni will have additional opportunities that include more stackable certificates, additional degree completion pathways, and new course delivery options.
- This includes a commitment to serve adult learners in Philadelphia, including those in underserved communities, with the flexibility and service that Peirce is known for.

Learn more at www.peirce.edu/lackawanna



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