One of the fastest growing research enterprises among universities with more than $100 million in research expenditures.

Over the past decade, ASU added more than 1.5 million square feet of space in new research buildings.


Ranked 13th in humanities research expenditures, ahead of Harvard, Berkeley and NYU.

ASU SkySong has 70+ companies from 14 countries generating an estimated 1,000 jobs in south Scottsdale and $460M in economic impact.

Spinout companies based on technologies developed by ASU researchers raised $68 million in external funding during the 2013 fiscal year.

Altogether, companies that have licensed ASU discoveries have raised nearly $400 million in total venture funding since 2003.

ASU is a premier center for research and education in astronomy, planetary sciences, and space sciences, receiving nearly $122 million since 2000 in federal funding from NASA, JPL and the Space Telescope Science Institute.

ASU’s research enterprise has more than tripled ($405 million in FY13) over the past decade.

First school of sustainability in the nation.

Named one of the greenest schools in the US, ASU boasts the largest collection of energy-producing solar panels of any public university.


ASU and Mayo Clinic are partnering to advance the concepts of personalized medicine and healthcare delivery.

ASU partners with ACA, GPEC, and TREO to attract and expand economic development in Arizona.

Arizona Science Center and ASU share dynamic science happenings at the university with the community.

ASU partners globally to advance education and research, with experts and leaders from multiple countries including Ireland, Australia, the Netherlands, Vietnam, and China.
ASU ranks in the top 15% of all four year colleges in America.  

ASU ranks 79th among 1,000 universities around the world each year. (Shanghai Jiao Tong University)

ASU is ranked 10th in the nation and 18th among the world’s top university business incubators.  
(University Business Incubator Index 2013)

Recognized by Newsweek and Time Magazine as the model for higher education innovation.

ASU is ranked 3rd in the nation for student Fulbright Scholars, tied with Princeton and Rutgers.

ASU is among an elite group of universities in patenting and is 4th among schools without a medical school in the nation.  
(MIT, Cal Tech, Georgia Tech, and ASU)

The only Pac-12 institution listed as one of the best schools in the nation to earn an online degree.  
(U.S. News & World Report 2013)

A record 133 new faculty members joined ASU in 2013.

ASU’s world class faculty includes:

- 2 Nobel laureates
- 11 National Academy of Sciences members
- 65 American Association for the Advancement of Science Fellows
- 121 Fulbright American Scholar awards
- 27 Guggenheim Fellows
- 3 members of the Royal Society

ASU ranks 11th in the nation among all colleges and universities as a top choice by international students.  
(from Institute of International Education)

More than 76,000 students enrolled in Fall 2013.

18,045 degrees were awarded in the 2010-11 academic year.

120 National Merit Scholars chose to attend ASU in 2013.

980,213 student credit hours were completed in 2013.

University Service-Learning students provided 46,180 service hours to the community through the Mary Lou Fulton Teacher’s College in the past year.