



UTAH SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

# GENERAL REPORT

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## Increasing Impact of Technology in Higher Education Fall 2019

Of the 187,561 students enrolled at public colleges and universities in Utah, as of the third week of fall semester 2019, 81,431 (43.4%) participated in some form of technology-delivered instruction. Of that total, 60,009 (32.0%) enrolled in at least one online class within the Utah System of Higher Education. Over the past ten years, the proportion of credits taught online has grown from 9.9% to 16.3%. Despite availability of online courses and degrees, data shows students prefer using online courses to augment, rather than replace, a traditional campus schedule:

- 83.1% of all students who enrolled for courses in fall 2019 took at least half of their courses on campus;
- 4.1% of full-time students enrolled solely in online courses; and
- Fully online students were most likely to be: enrolled part-time (74.3%) and 25 years or older (58.6%).

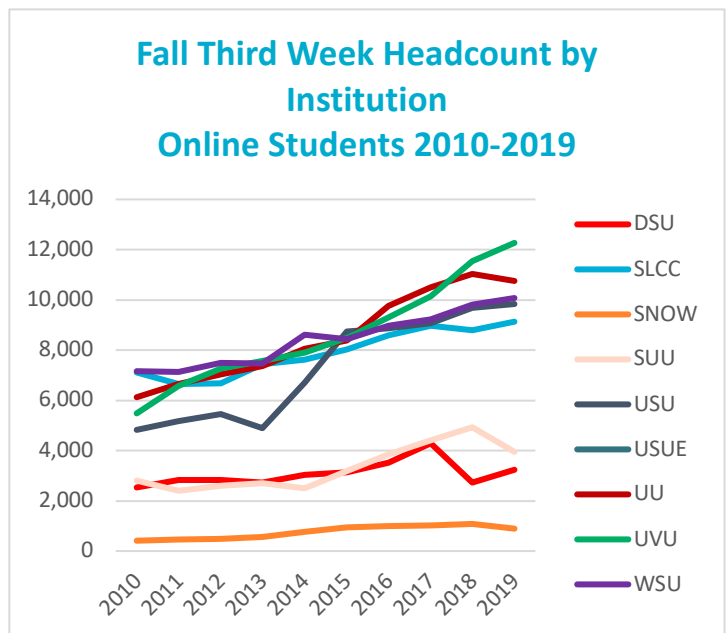
### Technology-delivered Instruction and Learning across USHE Institutions

#### 2,261 Online courses

- From fall 2017 to fall 2018, USHE institutions added 189 fully online courses, eight interactive audio/video courses, and lost 23 hybrid courses.
- Online enrollments rose by 540 students (0.9%) from fall 2018 to fall 2019.
- 15,945 (8.5%) students enrolled solely in online classes in fall 2019.

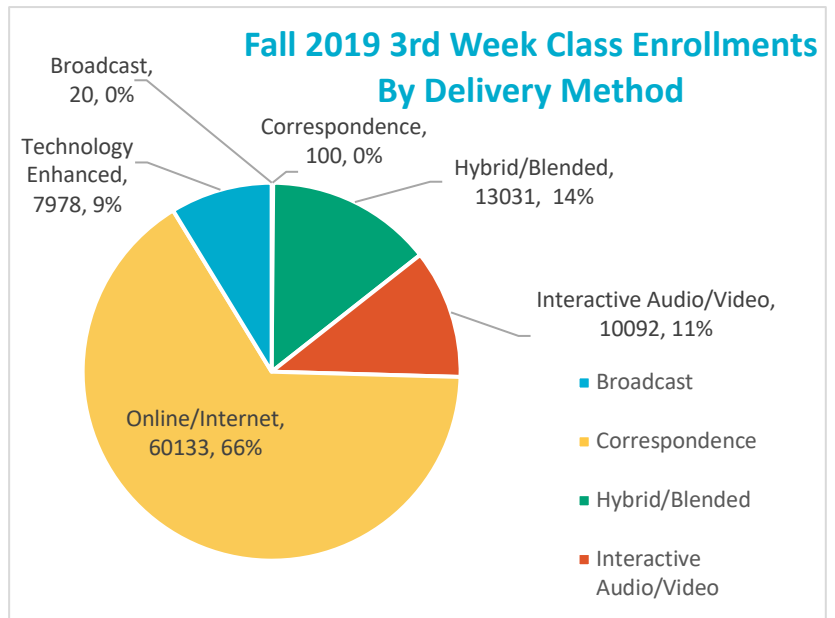
#### 165 Online programs

- USHE students can earn entire awards online (see list, pg. 5):
  - 8 Associate of Applied Science
  - 25 Associate
  - 42 Bachelor's
  - 48 Master's
  - 1 Doctorate
  - 38 Certificates
  - 3 Licensure/Endorsement



### 53 Interactive Video Conferencing (IVC) programs

- USHE students can earn entire awards over video conferencing (see list, pg.8):
  - 3 Associate of Applied Science
  - 2 Associate
  - 20 Bachelor's
  - 12 Master's
  - 1 Doctorate
  - 7 Certificate
  - 8 Licensure/Endorsement



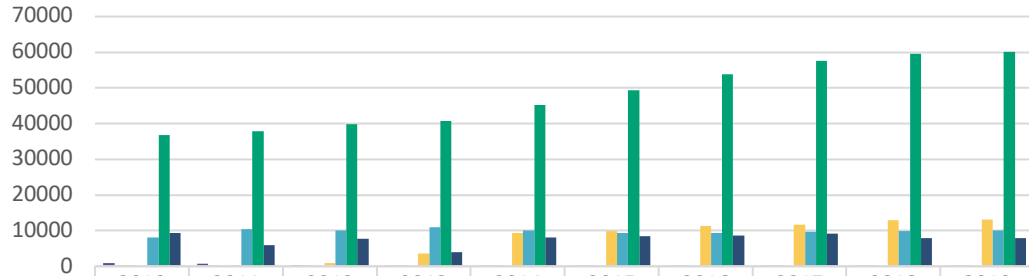
**Table 1: Online Headcount by Institution/Fall Third Week 2010-2019**

School	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
DSU	2,531	2,834	2,835	2,722	3,025	3,130	3,507	4,289	2,730	3,234
SLCC	7,110	6,650	6,689	7,453	7,627	8,016	8,595	8,963	8,793	9,132
SNOW	411	448	496	552	767	939	1,003	1,011	1,079	889
SUU	2,801	2,400	2,606	2,698	2,493	3,175	3,854	4,412	4,928	3,951
USU	4,824	5,180	5,445	4,897	6,700	8,744	8,856	9,061	9,677	9,836
USUE	267	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
UU	6,124	6,648	7,038	7,363	8,065	8,377	9,764	10,496	11,032	10,747
UVU	5,480	6,572	7,263	7,556	7,893	8,492	9,708	10,144	11,543	12,270
WSU	7,158	7,131	7,484	7,470	8,608	8,433	8,982	9,232	9,811	10,074
<b>Total</b>	<b>36,706</b>	<b>37,863</b>	<b>39,856</b>	<b>40,711</b>	<b>45,178</b>	<b>49,306</b>	<b>54,269</b>	<b>57,608</b>	<b>59,593</b>	<b>60,133</b>

### Other Technology-delivered Modalities

USHE students have multiple delivery modalities to choose from. Interactive Video Conferencing (IVC) and Online are important delivery methods for rural students. Also, hybrid classes, courses that are a mix of face-to-face and technology-delivered curriculum, show dramatic growth. NOTE: USHE began tracking hybrid courses in 2011.

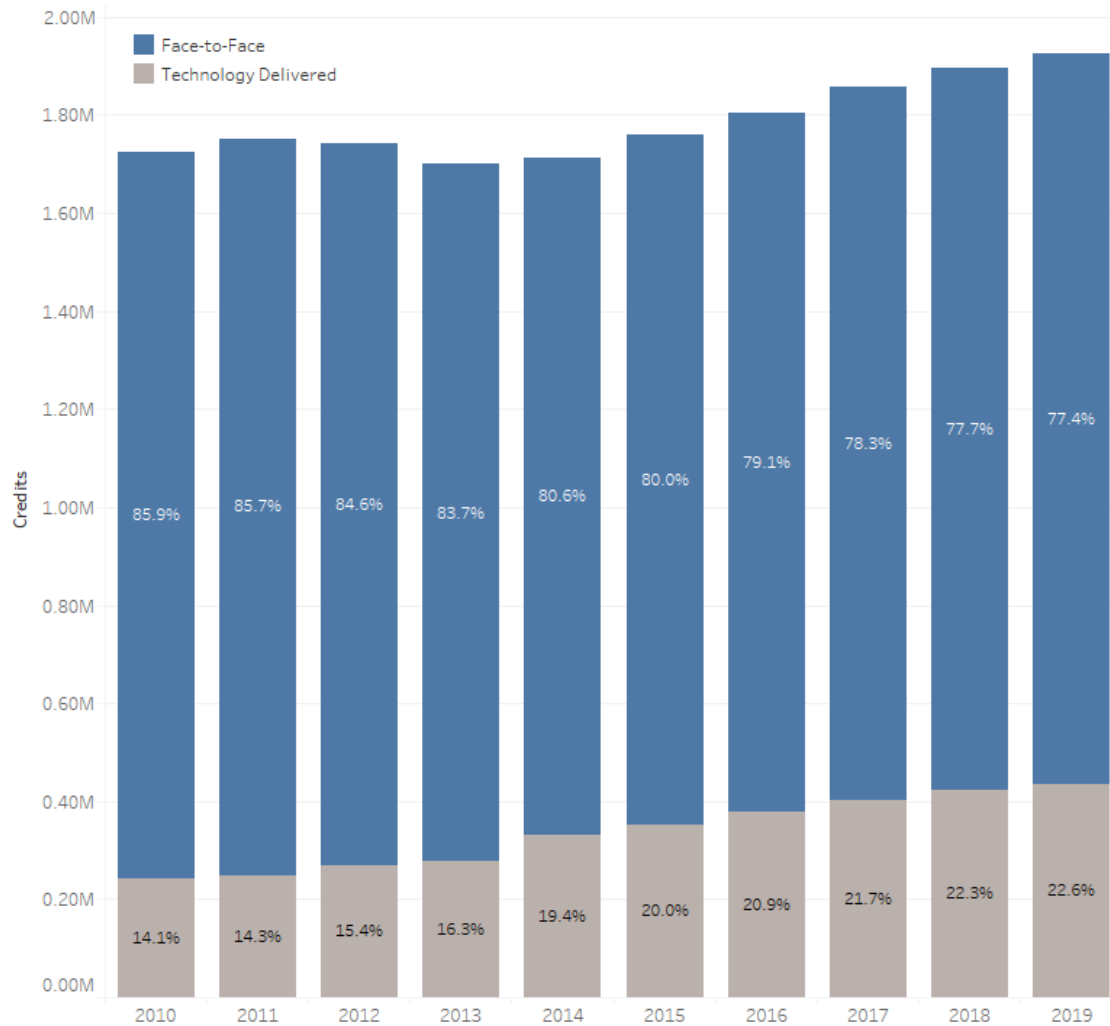
## Distance Education and Technology Delivery Fall Third Week Headcount 2010-2019



	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
■ Broadcast	816	724	276	169	107	55	5	101	5	20
■ Correspondence	174	159	233	144	144	164	82	80	82	100
■ Electronic Media	117									
■ Hybrid/Blended		424	972	3679	9263	9836	11335	11734	12961	13031
■ Interactive Audio/Video	8045	10475	10118	10930	9961	9300	9401	9687	9925	10092
■ Online/Internet	36706	37863	39856	40711	45178	49306	53871	57608	59593	60133
■ Technology Enhanced	9296	5972	7692	3962	8009	8470	8675	9213	7871	7978

Over the past ten years, the number of credits has grown for both technology-delivered and on-campus courses. Since fall 2010, the proportion of credits taught through some form of technology has grown from 14.1% to 22.6% while the face-to-face share has fallen from 85.9% to 77.4%.

Credits Taught by Delivery Method  
Fall Third Week 2010-2019



### Availability of Tech Courses by Academic Level

USHE students have opportunities to take technology-delivered courses as both undergraduates and graduate students:

Snapshot of Technology Delivered Courses by Academic Level/Fall 3rd Week

Level	Hybrid/ Blended	Correspon dence	Technology -Enhanced	Online	Interactive Audio/ Video	Broadcast	TOTAL
Graduate	112	8	45	520	145	1	831
Upper	208	27	20	742	70	0	1067
Lower	145	13	124	943	230	0	1455
Remedial	8	0	5	56	4	0	73
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>2261</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3426</b>

## Technology-delivered Student Services

In addition to instruction, technology enhances numerous services:

- Students apply, register, pay tuition, purchase textbooks, and seek advising online
- Students receive academic progress notification and tracking online through CANVAS analytics as well as new Student Relation Management systems
- Students, faculty, and staff receive emergency messaging
- Online course evaluations incorporate course objectives and measurable outcomes
- Courses encourage public-private partnerships to develop higher education technology solutions

Snapshot of Technology Based Services by Institution/Fall 2019								
	STUDENT SERVICES			PROGRAMS	COURSES (Fall 3 <sup>rd</sup> Week)			
	Apply Online	Register Online	Pay Tuition Online	Online AS in Gen Studies	Online Certificates/Degrees	Online	Hybrid/Blended	IVC
<b>U of U</b>	√	√	√		24	357	0	49
<b>USU</b>	√	√	√	√*	32	450	47	302
<b>WSU</b>	√	√	√	√	23	382	156	12
<b>SUU</b>	√	√	√	√	22	275	78	0
<b>Snow</b>	√	√	√	√	1	59	0	44
<b>DSU</b>	√	√	√		1	120	49	0
<b>UVU</b>	√	√	√	√*	16	323	143	40
<b>SLCC</b>	√	√	√	√	16	295	0	2
<b>TOTAL</b>					<b>135</b>	<b>2261</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>449</b>

*\*offer all GenEd courses required for a 4-year degree through a combination of IVC and online*

**ATTACHMENT A: USHE Online Programs Available September 2019**

UU	Cert	Applied Positive Psychology	
	Cert	Gerontology (undergrad)	
	Cert	Gerontology (grad)	
	Cert	Nursing Care Management (grad)	
	Cert	Nursing Education (grad)—NEW 2019	
	Cert	Public Policy (grad)—NEW 2019	
	Cert	Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages	
	BS	Economics	
	BS	Nursing RN to BS	
	BS	Sustainable Tourism and Hospitality Management	
	BS	Psychology	
	BS	Family, Community and Human Development	
	BS	Family, Community and Human Development: Financial Planning Emphasis—NEW 2019	
	BS	Sociology	
	BS	Social Work	
	MBA	Master of Business Administration	
	MS	Biomedical Informatics—NEW 2019	
	MS	Electrical Engineering	
	MS	Gerontology	
	MS	Information Systems	
	MS	Nursing Care Management	
	MS	Nursing Education—NEW 2019	
	MS	Nutrition & Integrative Physiology	
	MA	Fine Arts Teaching	
	OTD	Occupational Therapy	
	USU	AS	Agricultural Science
		AS	Criminal Justice—NEW 2019
		AS	General Technology
		AS	General Studies—NEW 2019
		BS	Agribusiness
		BS	Communicative Disorders & Deaf Education
		BS	Communicative Disorders (2 <sup>nd</sup> Bachelors)
		BS	Economics
BS		Family Life Studies	
BS		Human Experience Design & Instruction—NEW 2019	
BA		Liberal Arts	
BS		Psychology	
MS		Agricultural Extension and Education—NEW 2019	
MS		Aviation Safety	
MBA		Business Administration	
MEd		Career and Technical Education—NEW 2019	
MDA		Dietetics Administration	
MEd		Educational Technology and Learning Sciences	
MS		Family and Consumer Sciences Education and Extension—NEW 2019	
MS		Food Safety & Quality—NEW 2019	
MPH		Health Education & Promotion—NEW 2019	
MS		Instructional Technology & Learning Sciences	
MMIS		Management Information Systems	
MNR		Natural Resources	
MEd		Physical & Sport Education—NEW 2019	
MPSH		Professional Studies in Horticulture	
MPH		Public Health & Nutrition—NEW 2019	
MTC		Technical Communication	
MS		Technology & Engineering Education—NEW 2019	
MS		Veterinary Public Health—NEW 2019	
Cert		Administrative Supervisory Concentration	

	Cert	Blindness
	Cert	Deafblindness Preservice Training
	Cert	Dietetics Internship (grad)—NEW 2019
	Cert	Engineering Education (grad)
	Cert	Geographic Information Systems—NEW 2019
	Cert	Interfaith Leadership—NEW 2019
	Cert	National Environmental Protection Act (NEPA)
	Cert	Rehabilitation Counseling (grad)—NEW 2019
	Cert	Women & Gender Studies
	Endorsement	Administrative Supervisory Licensure
	Endorsement	Chemistry Secondary Science
	Endorsement	Deaf Education - Listening and Spoken Language (grad)
	WSU	AS
AAS		Computer Science—NEW 2019
AAS		Early Childhood—NEW 2019
BS		Emergency Healthcare Services
BS		Health Information Management
BS		Health Promotion & Human Performance
BS		Health Services Administration
BS		Medical Laboratory Sciences
BS		Professional Sales
BS		Radiological Sciences
BS		Respiratory Therapy
BIS		Computer Science, Health Administration Services, Health Promotion, Health Sciences, Sales and Service Technology, Lifespan Nutrition
MS		Criminal Justice
MSN		Nursing Educator
MSN		Nursing Executive
MHA		Executive Master of Healthcare Administration
MSRS		Master of Science in Radiologic Sciences (Executive format)
MSRT		Master of Science in Respiratory Therapy (Executive format)
Cert		Health Care Coding & Classification
Cert		Health Information Management Institutional Certificate
SUU	Cert	General Education—NEW fall 2019
	Cert	Mobile Teaching, Learning & Design
	Cert	Special Education
	Cert	Technological Innovations in Teaching & Learning
	AA/AS	General Studies
	AA/AS	Legal Studies
	BA/BS	Accounting
	BA/BS	Communication
	BA/BS	Elementary Education—NEW fall 2019
	BA/BS	Family Life and Human Development—NEW fall 2019
	BA/BS	General Studies
	BA/BS	Management
	RN to BSN	Nursing
	MAcc	Accountancy
	MA	Arts Administration
	MBA	Business Administration
	MS	Cyber Security & Information Assurance
	MEd	Education
	MIS	Interdisciplinary Studies—NEW fall 2019
	MM	Music Education
	MM	Music Technology
	MA	Professional Communication
	MPA	Public Administration
	MSW	Social Work
	MS	Sports Conditioning & Performance

	MIS	Interdisciplinary Studies	
<b>SNOW</b>	AS	"a non-major transfer associate degree that will qualify for pursuit of a four-year degree at UVU or at another college or university"	
<b>DSU</b>	AS	Early Childhood Education— <b>NEW fall 2019</b>	
	BS	Nursing RN-BSN	
	BAS	Healthcare Administration— <b>NEW fall 2019</b>	
<b>UVU</b>	Cert	Accounting	
	Cert	Advanced Manufacturing— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	Cert	Advanced Substance Use Disorder Counseling	
	Cert	Substance Use Disorder Counseling	
	Cert	General Education— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AS	Business— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AAS	Business Management— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AS	Pre-Major in Business— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AAS	Aviation Science	
	AS	Aviation Science	
	AS	Emergency Services	
	AAS	Fire Officer Emphasis— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AAS	Firefighter/Emergency Care Emphasis— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AS	Criminal Justice	
	AAS	Technology Management— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AS	University Studies	
	BS	Aerospace Technology Management— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	BS	Aviation Management	
	BS	Professional Pilot	
	BS	Business Management— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
	AAS to BS	Dental Hygiene	
	BS	Emergency Services Administration	
	BS	Hospitality Management	
	BS	Criminal Justice	
	BA/BS	Family Science	
	RN to BSN	Nursing	
	BS	Technology Management	
	MSN	Nursing	
	MPS	Public Service	
	<b>SLCC</b>	AS	Communication Studies (renamed from Speech Comm, same degree)
		AS	Business
		AS	Criminal Justice
		AS	Education
AS		General Studies	
AS		Sociology	
AS		Political Science— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
AAS		Criminal Justice	
CERT		Accounting— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
CERT		Business Management— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
CERT		Retail Management— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
CERT		General Education— <b>NEW 2019</b>	
CERT		CSIS Information Assurance & Cyber Defense	
CERT		CSIS Network Routing & Switching	
CERT		CSIS Network & System Administration	
CERT		CSIS Windows System Administration	
CERT		CSIS Linux System Administration	
CERT		CSIS Network & System Administration	

Source: USHE Distance Education Directors



**ATTACHMENT B: USHE IVC Programs Available September 2019**

SUU	MEd	Education
USU	AAS	IT Support and Web Development
	AAS	Nursing
	AAS	Ornamental Horticulture
	AS	General Studies
	AS	General Studies - Criminal Justice
	BS	Accounting
	BS/BA	Biological Science (Composite Teaching)
	BS/BA	Biology
	BS	Business Education
	BS/BA	Early Childhood Education (K-3)
	BS/BA	Elementary Education
	BS	English – Teaching
	BS	Environmental Studies
	BS	Health Education & Promotion
	BS	History – Teaching
	BS	Horticulture
	BS	Human Development & Family Studies— <b>NEW 2019</b>
	BS	Management— <b>NEW 2019</b>
	BS	Management Information Systems
	BS	Mathematics Education
	BS	Recreation Resource Management
	BS	Residential Landscape Design and Construction
	BS	Social Work
	BS/BA	Special Education— <b>NEW 2019</b>
	BS	Wildlife Ecology and Management
	EdS	Curriculum & Instruction (post-masters)
	Med	Curriculum & Instruction
	Med	Instructional Leadership
	Med	Psychology - School Counseling
	ME	Engineering
	MS	Applied Environmental Geoscience
	MS	Computer Science
	MS	Curriculum & Instruction
	MS	Human Resources (Executive Program)
	MS, MEd	Special Education
	MSW	Social Work
	PhD	Education
	Certificate	Digital Design
	Certificate	Gerontology
	Certificate	Medical Assisting
	Certificate	Ornamental Horticulture
	Certificate	Professional Bookkeeper
	Certificate	Professional Bookkeeping
	Certificate	Web Business
	Endorsement	Early Childhood
	Endorsement	English as a Second Language
	Endorsement	Gifted & Talented
	Endorsement	Reading
	Endorsement	School Library Media
	Endorsement	Utah Mathematics Endorsement Project
	Licensure	Secondary Education (ARL) (Post Baccalaureate)
	Licensure	Secondary Teacher Education Program (Undergraduate)

*Source: USU Regional Campuses & Distance Education; SUU Director, Distance Education*

**ATTACHMENT C: USHE Blended/Hybrid Programs Available September 2019**

<b>SUU</b>	BIS	Interdisciplinary Studies
<b>USU</b>	BS/BA	Elementary Education
	BS/BA	Family, Consumer, & Human Development
	ME	Engineering (ME)
	MRC	Rehabilitation Counseling (MRC)
	Cert	Gerontology
	Cert	Rehabilitation Counseling
	Endorsement	E-Learning (Grad)
	Endorsement	STEM
	Licensure	(ATP) Alternative Teacher Prep. - Special Education (Grad)
	Licensure	Administrative/Supervisory Concentration (Grad)
<b>DSU</b>	BS	Communication Studies (Organization and Leadership)
	MS	Technical Writing and Digital Rhetoric— <b>NEW fall 2019</b>
<i>Source: USU Regional Campuses &amp; Distance Education; SUU Director, Distance Education; DSU Director, Distance Education</i>		