

THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY SCENE

The University of Kentucky's main campus in Lexington provides a forum for the education of nearly 16,000 young men and women. The convenience of the city and the beauty of the Bluegrass countryside create an attractive setting for the University.

Here you will see students from all walks of life, young people of all faiths and races. These young people represent not only the many layers of our own highly complex contemporary American society, but other countries and other cultures as well.

Students today are adult—serious—dedicated. They seek meaning for their lives. They strive to realize fully their own unique capabilities. They seek too, a responsible place in the world in which they live, a responsibility which will offer them in return, a sense of creative satisfaction.

The spirit of challenge and adventure which stems from the intellectual experience is very much alive at the University of Kentucky. It is this spirit which sparks the electric atmosphere, the intensity of purpose you see reflected in the faces of those you encounter as you visit the campus.

You see it again and again, in the attitudes of those at work in the classrooms and laboratories, in those so earnestly engaged in debate and discussion on campus walks and in the Student Center, and in those lost in study and thought as they mine the accumulated knowledge of mankind in the campus library. You sense it, too, in the constant expansion and updating of the University, in the new buildings under construction and in the never-ending expansion and revision of its academic program.

Education in the true sense, it has been said, is an affirmation of life itself. It is this kind of education, this affirming of life, which is the scene at the University of Kentucky.



A BRIEF HISTORY

Kentucky's concept of a state university dates back to 1865 when Kentucky University became a land-grant institution.

In 1878 the people of Kentucky decided to establish a "State institution, free from all ecclesiastical entanglements or control," and separated the Agricultural and Mechanical College from Kentucky University.

For the new College, the city of Lexington donated its 50-acre fairgrounds-park, now a part of the central campus. This area had been used as a bivouac area for Union troops during the Civil War.

Thirty years later, the State legislature changed the name of the institution to State University and allocated funds for support. In 1916, the name was changed to the one by which it is known today—The University of Kentucky.

PHYSICAL PLANT

The University of Kentucky is a small city in itself. It has its own post office, bookstore, radio station, newspaper, printing plant, cafeterias, theatre, libraries, police force and hospital. There are over 100 major buildings on the Lexington campus alone. The University community, including students, full-time faculty and staff members, numbers about 22,000.

RESEARCH

The University of Kentucky Research Foundation received 398 awards during the fiscal year, 1968, its twenty-third year of service. These awards totalled more than 12 million dollars.

While research work during the Foundation's early years was primarily in the physical sciences, it now extends into education, the humanities and the social services as well. The Foundation presently administers funds for nearly 1,000 different projects, distributed among almost all the departments and divisions of the University.

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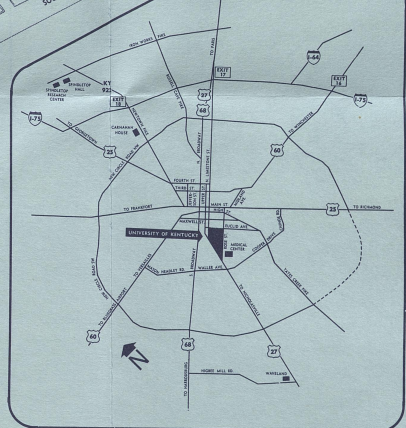
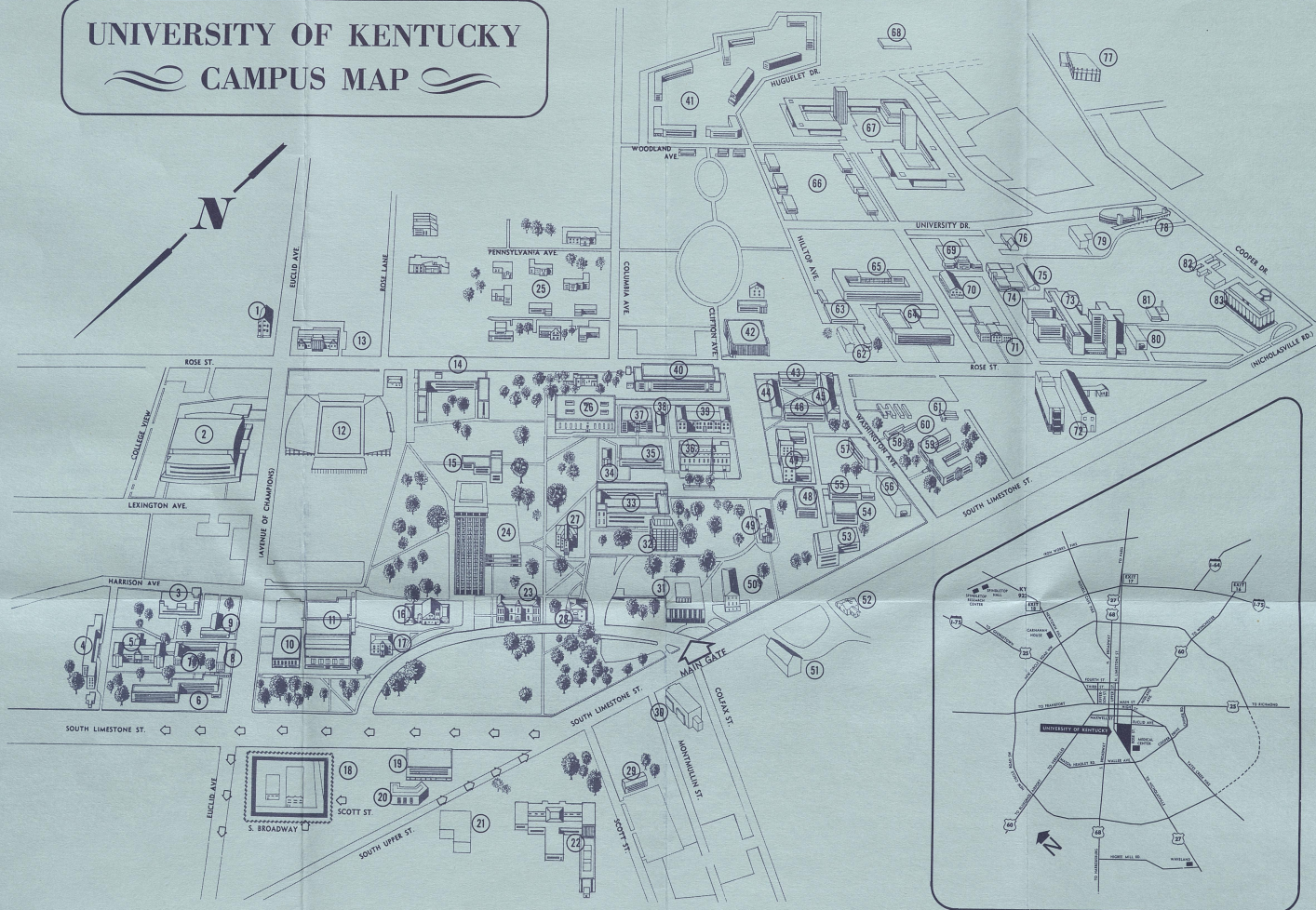
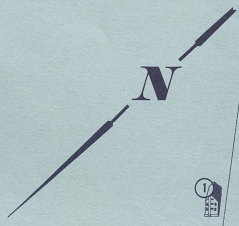
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