Viterbo University is proud to be recognized as a *National College of Distinction*, honored for the excellence of its programs which is highly recommended by those “in the know” about college education.

Colleges of Distinction is a college guide with a unique approach. Instead of looking for the richest or the most famous schools, we ask about what really matters: the success of its graduates, the quality of its teaching, the atmosphere of its campus, and so forth.

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Viterbo University was commended for having the following:

**Engaged Students**
Viterbo University attracts students who have a healthy range of academic and non-academic interests, and demonstrates a tangible commitment to keeping them interested and involved in their education.

**Great Teaching**
Viterbo features small class sizes, excellent faculty who are dedicated to student success, and an authentic commitment to service and ethical leadership. With a 1:12 faculty-to-student ratio, students are known by name and receive personal attention in and out of the classroom.

**Vibrant Communities**
Viterbo University possesses an interesting and exciting residential community, offering many opportunities for co-curricular involvement and leadership development. Many students live on campus.

**Successful Outcomes**
Viterbo University has an excellent placement record for employment and advanced study.

Colleges and universities are nominated for participation by high school college counselors and the methodology is a mix of qualitative and quantitative information gleaned from college admission experts around the country and interviews with staff and faculty at each accepted college.

For further information about Viterbo University and its excellence in higher education contact Shaojie Jiang, Ph.D., Director of Global Education, at sjiang@viterbo.edu or visit [www.viterbo.edu](http://www.viterbo.edu).
Viterbo University is located in the beautiful city of La Crosse, Wisconsin—a city surrounded by rolling hills and the Mississippi River. *U.S. News & World Report* named La Crosse as one of the nation’s 10 Best Places to Live. Campus, academic, and residential facilities are located on approximately 21 acres of property on La Crosse’s south side. Viterbo’s soccer, softball, and baseball fields, are located approximately 3.5 miles north of the main campus. La Crosse Municipal Airport (airport code LSE) is just 10 minutes away from campus. There is public transportation in the city of La Crosse and the shopping malls are just 10 minutes away.