



Top 10 reasons to work at the University of Missouri-Columbia

1. As Missouri's flagship university, **MU has 19 schools and colleges** and more than 40 online degree programs and 240 traditional degree programs which provides a top education to more than 31,000 students each year.
2. The University of Missouri offers its employees generous benefits including reduced tuition for employees and their immediate family, rich retirement benefits, **paid time off plans**, comprehensive **health plans** and guidance for a well-rounded, healthy life through the **TE Atkins Healthy for Life program**.
3. The MU campus is also designated as a **Botanical Garden** with 42,000 plants and trees.
4. The University of Missouri was the site of the nation's first **homecoming** celebration and will be celebrating its 100 year anniversary in 2011.
5. Mizzou showcases **20 varsity athletic teams** boasting "The Fastest 40 Minutes in Basketball," 6 consecutive football bowl game appearances, an NCAA championship title in wrestling, 2 consecutive Women's College World Series appearances and a silver medalist from the Beijing Olympics.
6. **Columbia, MO** is consistently ranked as one of the best places to live in the United States by distinguished publications such as *Fortune* magazine, *U.S. News & World Report*, *Men's Journal*, and MSN.com.
7. The **MU Health System** is one of the most comprehensive health care networks in Missouri boasting 7 hospitals and numerous clinics offering the finest primary, secondary and tertiary health-care services.
8. As an employee of the University you will have access to numerous personal enrichment **activities** such as visiting faculty lectures, concerts, fine dining, museums, and dining.
9. **The Mizzou Rec Center** offers an amazing workout facility, a top of the line aquatic center, certified trainers and specialized classes, and numerous team sports leagues, all at a discounted price for employees paid through payroll deduction.
10. Each year the Staff Advisory Council in conjunction with Human Resources Services holds a **Staff Recognition Week** with free seminars and events to honor the tremendous commitment of University Staff.



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