different people depend on you for different things, and you’re pulled in many directions. There’s that higher education goal you always wanted to reach that keeps getting pushed aside. You know a degree would help your future, but it’s tough to know where to begin.

THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN SYSTEM is one of the largest higher education systems in the country. Quality and reputation are the reasons that more than 180,000 students enroll annually. The 26 campuses of the UW System offer a variety of academic programs for adult learners to continue—or begin—their higher education.

YOU ARE READY!

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ADULT STUDENT BROCHURE

2014–2015
YOU ARE BUSY

ACADEMIC OFFERINGS
+ Degree programs: associate, bachelor’s, and higher
+ Certificate programs: typically a few credits to update your professional skills
+ Individual courses: for your personal or professional development

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS
ARE OFFERED IN DIFFERENT FORMATS
+ On-campus, in which you are present in classes at a campus.
+ Online, in which you complete your course work wherever it’s convenient for you.
+ UW Flexible Option, which is online and self-paced. Credits are earned by demonstrating competency through assessment.

FINANCIAL RESOURCES
ARE AVAILABLE TO HELP YOU ACHIEVE YOUR GOAL
+ Grants, loans, and work study are available to those who qualify.
+ Your employer may offer tuition reimbursement or scholarships.
+ Military benefits are available to veterans.
+ Many students take advantage of education tax benefits.
+ Private lenders are ready to help.

UW WEBSITES
FOR ADULT STUDENTS
+ ecampus.wisconsin.edu for information about online learning
+ flex.wisconsin.edu for details about the UW Flexible Option
+ majormania.uwex.edu to search academic programs
+ uwhelp.wisconsin.edu/adultvets/offices.aspx or campus-specific information on services for adult and returning students, and veterans

Prepare to join the community of returning adult students and TAKE THAT FIRST STEP TODAY!

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Contact UW HELP with questions at 800-442-6459
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You’ll be glad that you started on your higher education path.