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## THE UNIVERSITY OF SCRANTON A JESUIT UNIVERSITY

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### National Recognition



Top 10 among master's  
universities in the North  
for the past 14 years  
Tenth in 2008



"Best 366 Colleges"  
"Best 282 Business Schools"



All-USA College  
Academic Teams  
5 students in 5 years



BARRON'S  
"Best Buys in  
College Education"  
Among 247 in the nation

### By The Numbers

Founding Date: 1888  
Enrollment: 5,645 total  
from 48 states and 16 countries  
All Undergraduates: 4,102  
Graduate Students: 1,545  
Freshman Class: 1,600  
Student-to-Faculty Ratio: 12 to 1  
Average Class Size: 23  
Average Graduation Rate: 80%  
Average Freshman Retention  
Rate: 88%  
Alumni: 40,000  
Major Programs: 60  
Minors: 44  
Master's Degree Programs: 22  
Doctoral Degree Programs: 1  
Continuing and Professional  
Education Courses offered  
annually: 325

### For Immediate Release The University of Scranton Names Director of Equity and Diversity

The University of Scranton has named Rosette Burakari Adera as director of The Office of Equity and Diversity.

Ms. Adera comes to Scranton from McMaster University in Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, where she served as an ESL program coordinator for the Center for Student Development, as well as a member of the senior management advisory committee (Office of Human Rights and Equity), where she worked with the university administration to promote diversity and equity at a governance and senior leadership level. She brings over 15 years of combined experience in community development through advocacy and consultation on gender, race, language and ethnicity, immigration, citizenship, war and genocide.

She has a passion for adult education and inclusive curriculum design and implementation. She enjoys working with people of diverse backgrounds, learning styles and abilities in the fields of language, literacy and cultural training.

She has taught both in Africa and Canada and has presented at national and international conferences. She earned her master's degrees from McMaster University and the University of Western Ontario.

### Digital Image:

Rosette Burakari Adera, director of The University of Scranton's Office of Equity and Diversity.