Brief History

- 1945: The start of Operation Paperclip
- 1950: Extension Center of The University of Alabama
- 1950: Von Braun and team relocates from Fort Bliss, TX to Redstone Arsenal
- 1952-56: Von Braun heads the Army’s rocket development team at Redstone Arsenal resulting in the Redstone rocket
- 1958: NASA established
- 1960: George C. Marshall Space Flight Center opens at Redstone Arsenal
- 1960: Von Braun becomes the first Director of Marshall Space Flight Center
- 1961: UAH’s Morton Hall opens
- 1961: Von Braun convinces the Alabama Legislature to fund construction of a Research Institute at UAH
- 1969: UAH becomes an autonomous campus of The University of Alabama System
UAH sets record with nearly 10,000 students enrolled this semester
Sep 04, 2018 RocketCityNow
Largest freshman class in UAH History

UAH News SEP 04, 2018 | Ray Garner
Highest ACT test average in UAH history

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45% ≥4.0 HSGPA; 45% ≥30 ACT
Research

FY16 Federally-Financed Research Expenditure Rankings

DoD
#22 U. S. Air force Academy
#23 U. of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
#24 Virginia Tech
#25 UAH
#26 U. Pittsburgh
#27 Woods Hole Oceanographic Inst.
#28 UCLA

NASA
#10 Arizona State U.
#11 Columbia U.
#12 San Jose State U.
#13 UAH
#14 UCLA
#15 Baylor C. of Medicine
#16 U. of Maryland, Baltimore County
Research

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• #5 Aeronautical/Astronautical Engineering
• #10 Computer and Information Sciences
• #11 Atmospheric Sciences
• #18 Business and Management
• #20 Astronomy
Particle Kinetics

Plasma Interfaces

Electron Interactions with Magnetic Fields

UAH-led Alabama partnership awarded $20 million research grant (AL.COM, Sep 19, 2017)
Alabama scientists win America's top prize in high-energy astronomy

AL.COM Updated Jan 29, 2018; Posted Jan 29, 2018
Research/Commercialization
Campus Enhancements

Morton Hall Renovation/Expansion

Charger Village II

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EXECUTIVE PLAZA

Campus Master Plan
- Pursue strategic land acquisitions
- Explore collaborative development efforts
  - Holmes to the east
  - Research and commercial areas to the west

Exec Plaza Acquisition
- Future campus expansion
- Development of a “college town neighborhood,” a walkable space of mixed use residential and retail amenities

RFP for Master Planner
- Released September 24, 2018
UAH Leads Nation in Scoring Offense for Third Consecutive Season
THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA IN HUNTSVILLE