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# UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA AT MONROE TOP 12 ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF 2012

Now in its 81st year, ULM has achieved extraordinary progress.

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# 13 in '13



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Lauren Rosson of Portland, AR  
 Earned a B.S. in Speech-Language  
 Pathology in 2012

# 12 in 12

## 1

U.S. News & World Report names ULM one of the "best regional universities" in the south

## 2

ULM's online MBA ranked the nation's #1 "best buy;" Geteducated.com awards College of Education 4 "best buys" for online degrees

## 3

2012 freshmen class increases 10% since 2011 with the highest GPAs and ACT scores in ULM history; graduation rate increases 5% during the past two years

## 4

G.I. Jobs deems ULM a "military friendly school" — an elite distinction given to only 15% of universities

## 5

U.S. Patent & Trademark Office awards ULM pharmacy fourth patent for anti-cancer research

## 6

Governor's Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Preparedness funds an innovative \$3 million Doppler radar system at ULM

## 7

LSU AgCenter, Pennington Biomedical Research Center, and Louisiana DEQ partner with ULM to research natural products, Alzheimer's, and the environment

## 8

School of Visual & Performing Arts performs "Chicago" to sold-out audiences at every performance

## 9

College of Health Sciences students earn a consistent 100% passage rate on national licensure exams

## 10

ULM develops a post baccalaureate in accounting and a toxicology concentration in food science and safety — both among the nation's fastest growing fields

## 11

Joined by Fortune 500 companies, ULM announces the President's Academy—a new career-oriented summer program for high-ability high school students in the southern U.S.

## 12

Water Ski team wins 24th National Championship; Baseball team wins Sun Belt Championship; Warhawks invited to play in Independence Bowl with 8-4 record