

**HOW OUR GRADUATES  
CAN HELP YOUR  
ORGANIZATION SUCCEED.**

# Hire Hillsdale

HILLSDALE COLLEGE FOUNDED 1844



What happens when  
college students spend  
four years studying  
what really matters?







# They bring real value to your organization.

**HILLSDALE COLLEGE IS A BOOT CAMP FOR YOUNG MINDS.** And the results, according to those who hire our graduates, are impressive.

**WE'RE KNOWN FOR OUR CLASSICAL LIBERAL ARTS CURRICULUM. BUT THERE'S NOTHING OUTDATED ABOUT IT.** Hillsdale students spend four years grappling with difficult, enduring, and far-reaching ideas. We expect them to rise to this challenge—and the demanding workload it requires—with nothing less than their best work.

**IT PAYS OFF.** They're able to think on their feet and assess complex situations clearly. They're poised and persuasive. And they have the character and work ethic that make them necessary to every team.

If you're looking for young people who can help take your organization forward, you'll find them at Hillsdale.



**HILLSDALE TEACHES:**

# Content mastery

**WHAT IT MEANS.**

We attract young people who are genuinely curious about the world. We nurture this critical trait by showing them how to dive deep without going down the rabbit hole.

**WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.**

Hand Hillsdale graduates a wealth of information—no matter how complex—and they'll synthesize it into insights. You can count on them to master best practices and push beyond them.

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Gladys Anyenya, '12  
**Doosan Fuel Cell America**  
Energy Systems Engineer  
Degree: B.S. Physics,  
Mathematics

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**"TROUBLESHOOTING IS A BIG PART OF WHAT I DO. I have to examine information, figure out what really matters, and then use it to solve the problem at hand. Hillsdale taught me how to do that."**

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## HILLSDALE TEACHES:

# Looking at problems from every angle

### WHAT IT MEANS.

Our students are expected to examine an issue from multiple perspectives—philosophical, scientific, economic, social, and ethical—and formulate a well-reasoned, persuasive point of view.

### WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.

Hillsdale graduates can break down a problem into its most important parts, spot patterns and connections, and ladder it all up to big ideas. They're the kind of adept thinkers every organization needs.

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Neal Cole, '07  
**Booz Allen Hamilton**  
Lead Associate  
Degree: B.S. Biology

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**"EMPLOYERS WANT SOMEONE WHO SEES THE BIG PICTURE—who thinks about business challenges and solutions in the context of people, process, and technology. Hillsdale developed in me a habit of gaining, integrating, and applying knowledge from multiple disciplines."**

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## HILLSDALE TEACHES:


# Independence and integrity

### WHAT IT MEANS.

To maintain our independence in every regard, Hillsdale College does not accept one penny of state or federal taxpayer funding—even indirectly in the form of student grants or loans. Our institutional integrity offers daily proof of the rewards and responsibilities of self-governance.

### WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.

Hillsdale graduates won't succumb to groupthink or moral shortcuts. They do the right thing because it's the right thing to do.



Kevin Roberts, '05  
**Ernst & Young**  
Associate Director,  
Automotive Sector  
Senior Analyst  
Degree: B.S.  
Mathematics, Economics

**"STAND UP FOR WHAT YOU  
KNOW AND BELIEVE. That's  
ingrained into every Hillsdale  
student. And Hillsdale prepares  
you with a diverse suite of  
problem-solving tools."**



## HILLSDALE TEACHES:

# Grit and tenacity

### WHAT IT MEANS.

As soon as our students get to campus, they embrace our motto: "Virtus tentamine gaudet"—"Strength rejoices in the challenge" (you hear it a lot during finals). We teach them that excellence demands sacrifice, hard work, and learning from mistakes—in everything from academics to athletics.

### WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.

You'll get staff members who never quit. They have discipline and maturity far beyond their years. They're energized by high-stakes, high-pressure projects. And they deliver results.

Christine Nishinaga, '16  
**Yelp**  
Account Executive  
Degree: B.A. Speech  
Communication  
and Rhetoric, Business  
Administration

**"EMPLOYERS WANT TO HIRE PEOPLE WHO ARE FEARLESS AND CONFIDENT IN WHAT THEY BRING TO THE TABLE. My team knows that they can count on me to fight until the end on every deal. 'Strength rejoices in the challenge' means to never settle for mediocrity."**



## HILLSDALE COLLEGE FACTS

### WHO HIRES HILLSDALE?

Abbott Laboratories

Accenture

Amazon

Amway

Apple

Boeing

Boston Consulting Group

CBRE

Charles Schwab

Cleveland Clinic

Deloitte

Detroit Lions

Epic

Ernst & Young

Facebook

Fiat Chrysler

Fidelity Investments

Ford

Fox News

General Electric

General Motors

Goldman Sachs

Google

GQ

Hyatt

Indeed

Intel

Jones Day Law

JP Morgan Chase

KPMG

Lilly Pulitzer

Lockheed Martin

Marriott

Mayo Clinic

McKinsey & Company

Microsoft

*National Geographic*

*National Review*

National Rifle  
Association

New Balance

Nielsen

Northrop Grumman

Ogilvy & Mather

Piper Sandler

Plante Moran

PwC

Smithsonian Institution

St. Jude's Children's  
Hospital

Stryker

TD Ameritrade

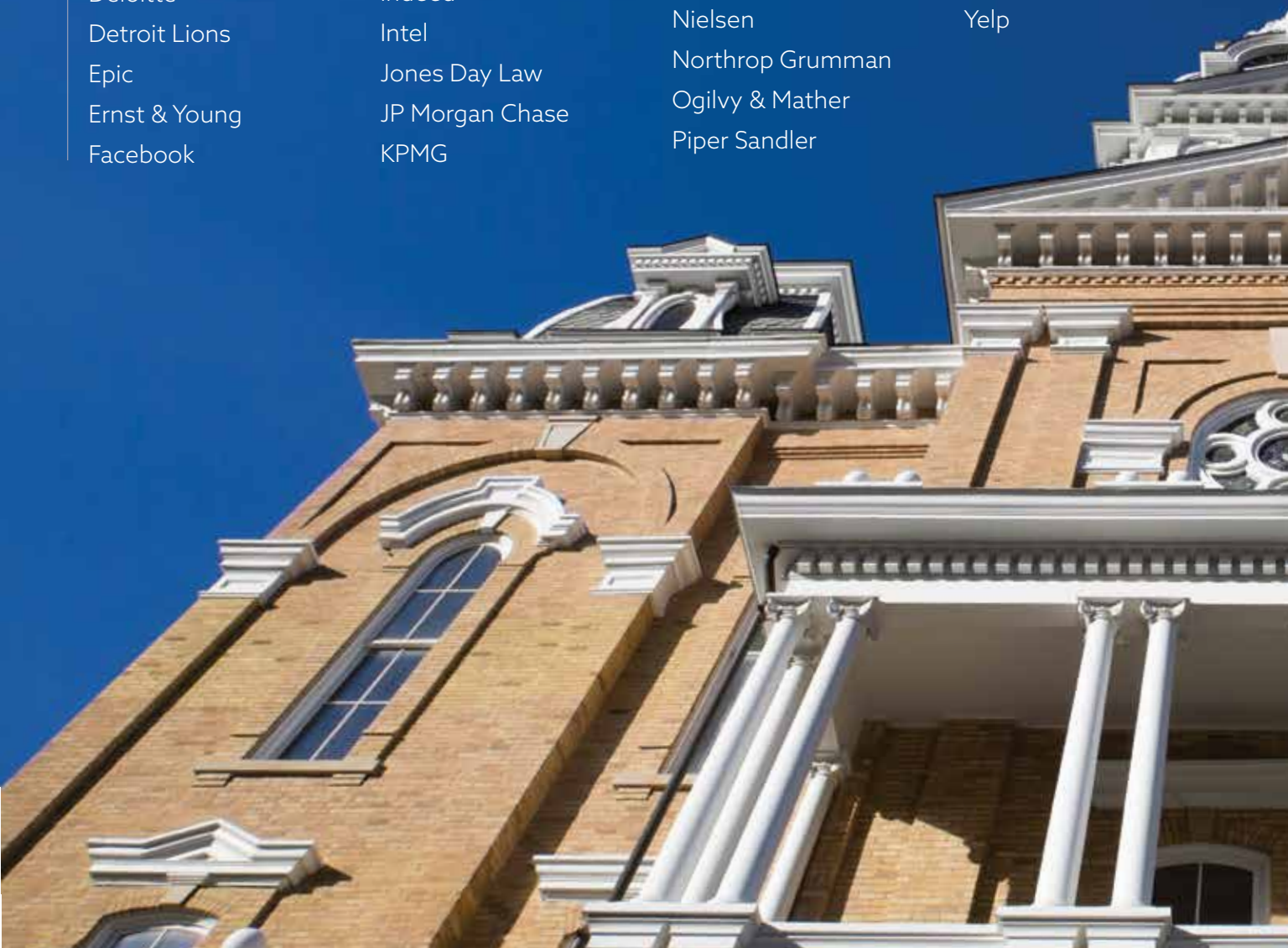
Vanguard

Wayfair

Whirlpool

Wolverine Worldwide

Yelp





## NATIONAL RANKINGS

**U.S. News & World  
Report Best Colleges 2024:**

# #39

Liberal Arts Colleges Nationally

**Princeton Review 2024**

# #16

Best Career Services

**Princeton Review 2024  
Professor Interest Rating\***

Hillsdale College **98**

Yale **91**

Amherst **91**

Stanford **89**

Harvard **78**

\*Based on surveyed students'  
agreement with the statement:  
"Your instructors are good teachers."

**Princeton Review 2024  
Academic Ratings:**

Hillsdale College **92**

Yale **92**

Stanford **91**

Amherst **91**

Harvard **83**

For information on academic  
ratings, visit [PrincetonReview.com](https://PrincetonReview.com)

**Princeton Review 2024**

# #2

Most Engaged in  
Community Service

# #2

Best College Newspaper



## HILLSDALE TEACHES:

# Trust in action

Greg Broda, '07

**Google**

Senior Account Manager

Degree: B.A. Marketing  
Management

**"HILLSDALE AND ITS  
HONOR CODE PROMOTE  
ACCOUNTABILITY. Being  
responsible for your actions,  
both positive and negative, is key  
in developing moral character.  
If you live your life by this  
principle, you will also work by  
this same principle."**

### WHAT IT MEANS.

Every student signs the Honor Code and the Freshman Pledge, two commitments to educational and moral standards that go far beyond conventional ideas about academic integrity. This creates a shared culture of trust where everyone can focus without distractions.

### WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.

Hillsdale graduates deliver on their promises, whether it's meeting a deadline, giving their all for a team project, or organizing an event. They know that no organization can succeed—either internally or among its audiences—without a high level of trust.







**HILLSDALE TEACHES:**

# Upholding a shared mission

**WHAT IT MEANS.**

Our mission statement isn't something relegated to official documents. It anchors daily life at Hillsdale, and our students take it to heart. They appreciate what Hillsdale stands for and what's required of each individual to sustain those principles.

**WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.**

Our students are eager to be a part of something much bigger than themselves. They will be outstanding stewards and ambassadors for your organization's mission.

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Hannah Niewoehner, '13  
**Steelcase**  
Chief of Staff, CEO of  
Business Management  
Degree: B.A. American  
Studies, Art

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**"WHAT FOSTERS CREATIVITY AND INNOVATION?"**

**It really comes back to what Hillsdale has always valued as the core of human education: knowing how to look beneath the surface and understand why we exist and what we're here to do."**

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**HILLSDALE TEACHES:**

# A passion for inquiry

## **WHAT IT MEANS.**

Our students are taught to navigate unfamiliar texts and topics. They learn that the best answers aren't always easy or out in the open. They discover that respectful debate is not just possible, but necessary to forge ideas strong enough to withstand the toughest scrutiny.

## **WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.**

Our graduates are incisive analysts and original thinkers. They're comfortable testing assumptions, and don't wilt in the face of constructive criticism. Their commitment to finding the best solution is an inspiration to their colleagues.

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Megan Peitz, '06  
**Sawtooth Software**  
Ingenuity Ambassador  
Degree: B.S. Mathematics

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**"MY JOB IS TO CREATE INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS AND SHARE THOSE IDEAS WITH OTHERS. It's a unique skillset that adds value to any situation. And it's a skillset that I was able to perfect at Hillsdale."**

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## HILLSDALE TEACHES:

# How to learn and belong

### WHAT IT MEANS.

For a small campus, we have an extraordinary number of ways for students to get involved and help others. Our students learn how to rely on one another and manage their time. They know that the privilege to lead others is earned.

### WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.

These are well-rounded, well-adjusted young adults who can multitask and organize and run projects. Put them on autonomous teams and they'll get the job done.

Blake Smith, '07  
**Cladwell**  
Co-Founder, CEO  
Degree: B.S.  
Computational  
Mathematics

**"PEOPLE WANT TO BE A PART OF A MISSION THAT IS GOOD, TRUE, AND BEAUTIFUL. As a leader, I owe it to my team and customers to paint that vision. My time at Hillsdale gave me the tools for that job."**



**HILLSDALE TEACHES:**

# Effective writing and communication

**WHAT IT MEANS.**

We believe understanding a topic is only half the challenge: writing and speaking about it concisely, persuasively, and eloquently is what makes the difference.

**WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOU.**

Our students will be exemplary representatives of their ideas and your organization in reports and memos, on the podium, in the boardroom, and in front of clients, partners, and VIPs.

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Jillian Melchior, '09  
**The Wall Street Journal**  
Editorial Writer  
Degree: B.S. Politics

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**"HILLSDALE GRADUATES ARE GOOD COMMUNICATORS PRECISELY BECAUSE THEY'RE GOOD THINKERS. They've weighed evidence and made arguments. They've devoted time to thinking about what it means to live a good and virtuous life. They're prepared to communicate with both principle and kindness."**

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