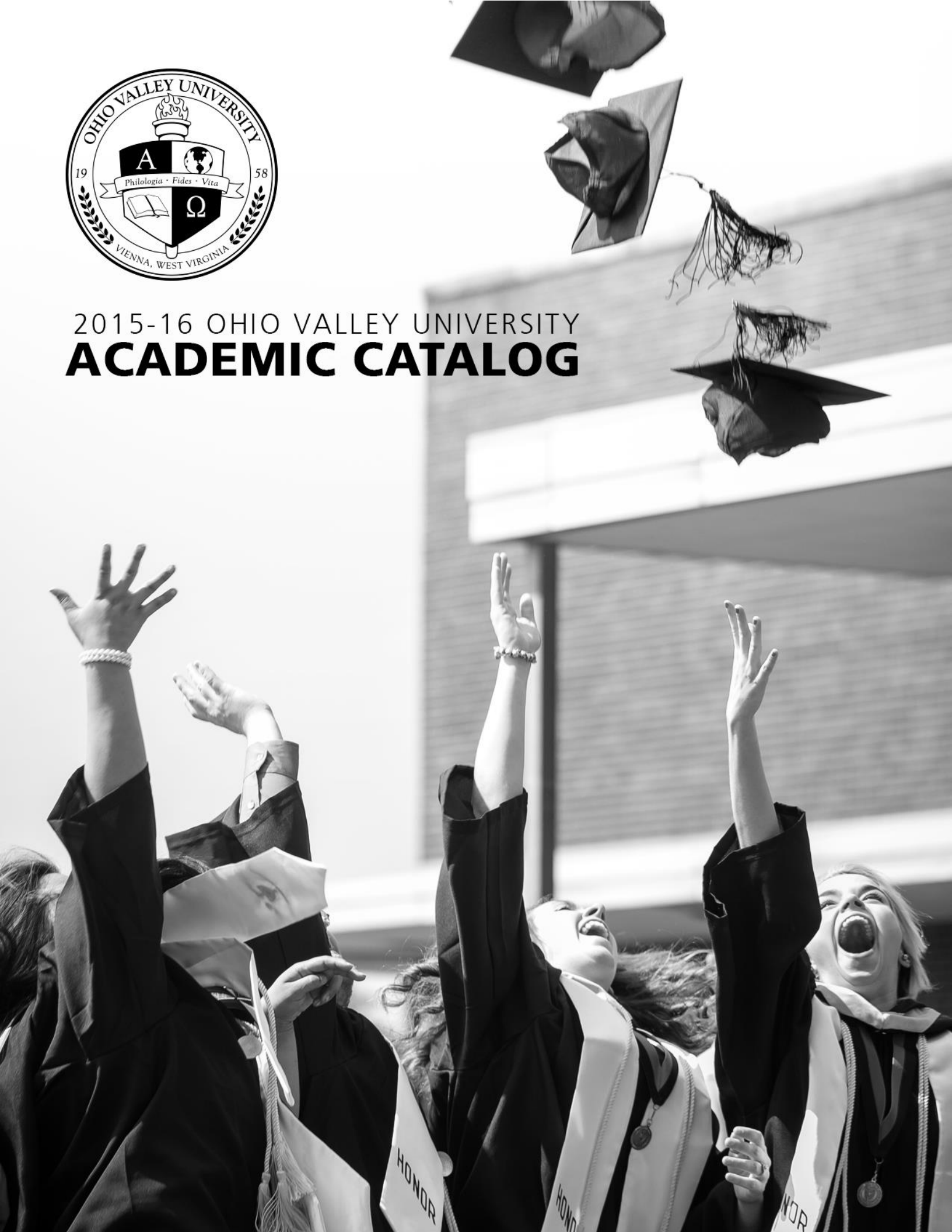




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Thank you for choosing Ohio Valley University to continue your education!

Every semester hundreds of students like you come to our beautiful campus in the Mid-Ohio Valley to begin their college careers. What they discover is something similar to VIP seating.

By that, I mean they find an open or available chair in the offices around campus. It's almost like finding a chair with their name on it. This open chair is a place where they are always welcome to come and share their life experiences... their funny stories... their challenges... their plans... their Instagram pictures... and their aspirations—a place to share themselves.

Most people would simply call this an “open-door” policy. We prefer to call it an “open-chair” policy. This is what makes Ohio Valley University so unique. It's a campus where you are completely supported by people who care about you, and take the time to listen to your needs and help you succeed in life.

I hope to see you around campus and you are always welcome to visit my office. Your VIP seat is ready and waiting!

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