institution of higher education open to qualified men and women without regard to race, religion or national origin. Established initially to provide mature adult students with evening instruction in Business and Law, the University has grown steadily in purpose and function over the past half century.

In 1975 as the result of Chapter 694, Acts of 1973, the University of Baltimore was brought into the State higher educational system as "an upper division academic institution, that is, third and fourth collegiate year and post graduate studies." The University was also instructed to maintain "professional schools and graduate programs" and was placed under the administrative direction of the then Board of Trustees of the State Colleges.

As a specialized upper division, graduate and professional institution, the only one of its kind in Maryland, the University consists of the College of Liberal Arts, the School of Business, the Graduate School, the School of Law and the College of Continuing Education which operates extension and summer programs and enrolls part time, special and non-degree candidate students in a variety of credit and non-credit courses and activities. Undergraduate programs include twenty areas of specialization leading to the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degrees. Graduate programs include the Master of Business Administration with nine areas of concentration, the Master of Science in Accounting, Applied Psychology, Criminal Justice. Economics and Taxation and the Master of Public Administration. Professional programs include the Juris Doctor in Law and four combined programs with the Graduate School, three in Business and Law, one in Criminal Justice and Law. All degree programs are available in the evening as well as during the day. Enrollment for the Fall, 1975 semester was 1,858 full time day students, 4,116 part time and evening students, 5,974 total.

The University is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the Maryland State Board of Education and the American Bar Association (Code 1957, 1975 Repl. Vol., Art. 77A, secs. 11(a), 12(g), 14L and 14M).

Staff: 1975, 236 (full-time), 157 (part-time); 1976, 260 (full-time), 183 (part-time); 1977, 307 (full-time), 185 (part-time).

## **BOWIE STATE COLLEGE**

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Bowie State College was established originally in 1967 as the Baltimore Normal School, a private Institution. By Chapter 599, Acts of 1908, the State purchased this School and moved it to its present location. It was then renamed the State Teachers College at Bowie. The College adopted its present name and became a general State College on July 1, 1963. Bowie State College is located on a 237-acre tract approximately eighteen miles northeast of Washington and situated in the middle of a triangle of Baltimore, Washington, and Annapolis.

The College is fully accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, the Council on Social Work, and by the Department of Education of Maryland.

The College currently offers baccalaureate degree programs both in teacher education and in the arts and sciences. There are fifteen major departments with offerings in seventeen areas. A graduate program leading to the master's degree in education with concentrations in nine areas was initiated in September 1967. The Adler-Dreikurs Institute of Human Relations, initiated in 1975, offers the master's degree as well as a variety of certificate programs. Special Programs include a five-year Cooperative Work-Study Program, Student Special Services Program, Center for Educational Technology and Communications, three-year / two-year Engineering Program with George Washington University, and Evening and Weekend Programs for Continuing Education.

The enrollment for 1975-1976 was 3,098. Faculty and Staff (all Divisions): 510.