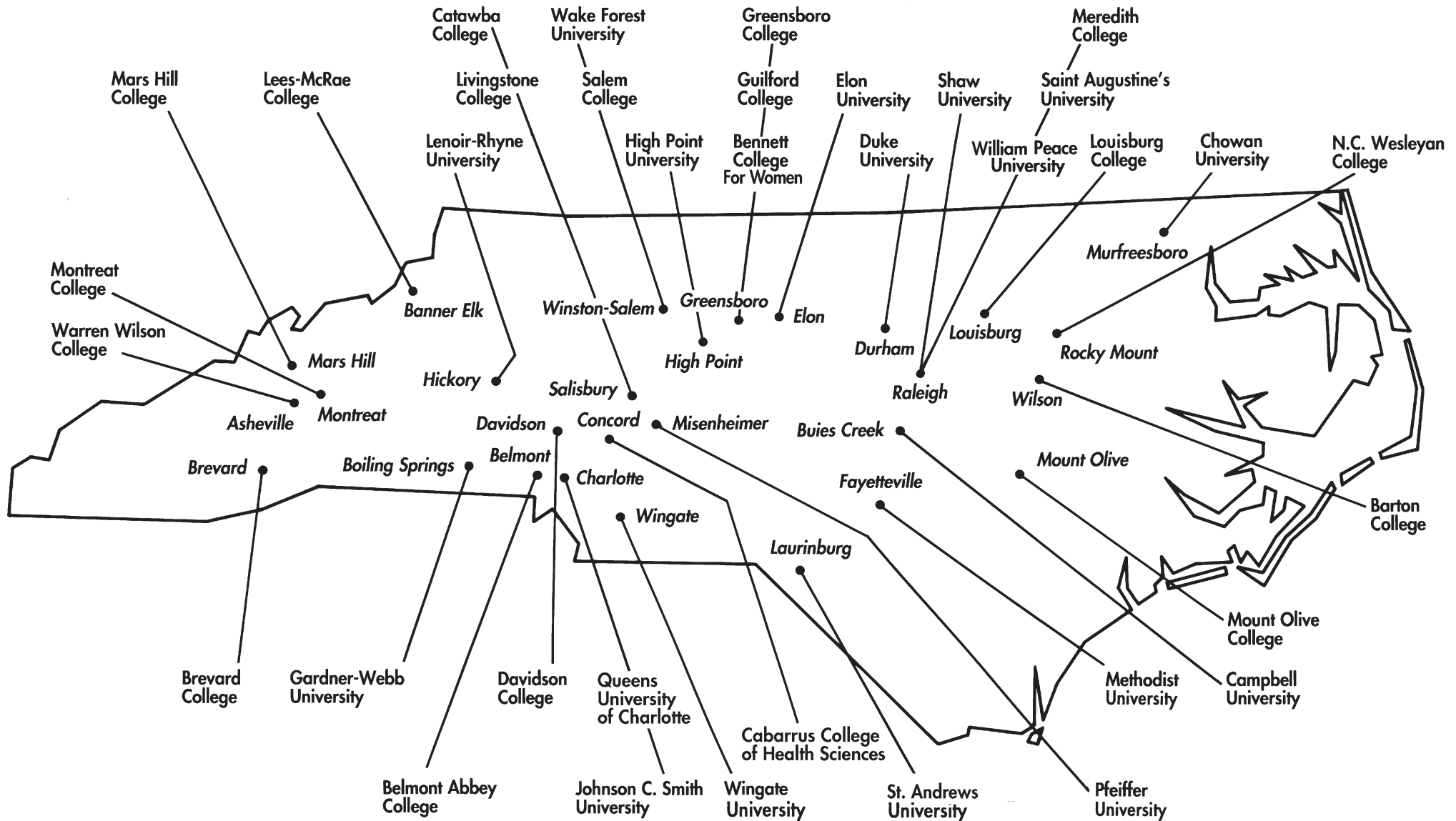


North Carolina's Independent Colleges and Universities



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I N D E P E N D E N T
Colleges & Universities

**36 Liberal Arts, Comprehensive,
and Research Campuses Across North Carolina**

- **89,000 Students**
- **39,000 North Carolina Undergraduates**
- **15,000 North Carolina Graduate and Professional**

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Degrees Awarded

- Almost one-third of bachelor's degrees
- Almost one-half of medical degrees
- 62% of law degrees
- 56% of pharmacy degrees

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Value to the State of North Carolina

- Choice in Higher Education
 - Savings to the State
 - Jobs
 - Economic Development
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