Mike the Tiger is LSU's beloved mascot and lives on campus in a 15,000 square foot habitat.

1. **Louisiana State University** is the flagship university of Louisiana & has a real Tiger that lives on the LSU campus!
2. Baton Rouge is the **Capital City** of the State of Louisiana.
3. **Southern cuisine** includes shrimp, crawfish, gumbo, jambalaya, etouffee, oysters, barbeque and much, much more.
4. Louisiana **French/Creole culture** is one-of-a-kind.
5. Baton Rouge is in **Plantation Country** with plantations dating back to the 1700s.
6. There are endless **museums and attractions** throughout the city. Baton Rouge is an extremely historic city!
7. **Weather** in Baton Rouge is warm and wonderful with flowers blooming year around.
8. Enjoy the outdoors! Louisiana is called Sportsman’s Paradise, and Baton Rouge has a love for the outdoors.
9. Baton Rouge is the **Hollywood of the South**. Famous faces call Baton Rouge home and it is also a popular filming location for many blockbuster hits.
10. **Festivals galore**: Bayou Country Super Fest, Baton Rouge Blues Festival, FestForAll, Live After Five, Rock in Rowe and more.

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**Areas of Concentration in TAM**
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- Merchandising
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Facilities & Resources

- Computer lab
- Body scanning lab
- Historic and archeological textile and apparel research lab
- Textiles testing and processing lab
- Apparel production lab
- Hand woven structures lab
- Photography studio
- LSU Textile and Costume Museum

TAM Graduate Faculty

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Textile science, textile chemistry, effectiveness of laundry detergents, product development, scholarship of teaching, and sustainability

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Sustainability, product-service retailing models, collaborative consumption, fashion entrepreneurship

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Consumer behavior; retail market research; retailing management and apparel merchandising; entrepreneurship

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Textile science; chemistry of natural fibers and fiber-forming polymers; physical and chemical characterization of textile

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Iowa State University, 2013
Technology in apparel design and manufacturing; technology in teaching and learning; 3D garment design; 3D body scanning; apparel fit and body shape; apparel and niche markets; updating anthropometric data of US population

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Role of traditional textile handcrafts in contemporary society; sustainable aspects of apparel design; social psychological aspects of apparel design; creative scholarship incorporating fiber art techniques, theory based design, and computer-aided pattern making

Graduate Courses

- Creativity in product development
- Social-psychological theories of dress, appearance, and fashion
- Comparative studies in dress and culture
- Apparel merchandising and global expansion
- Consumer behavior in the apparel merchandising environment
- Introduction to research in textiles, apparel design, and merchandising
- Seminar: textiles, apparel design, and merchandising
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- Modern fiber science and technology
- Thermal Characterization of fibers and polymers
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