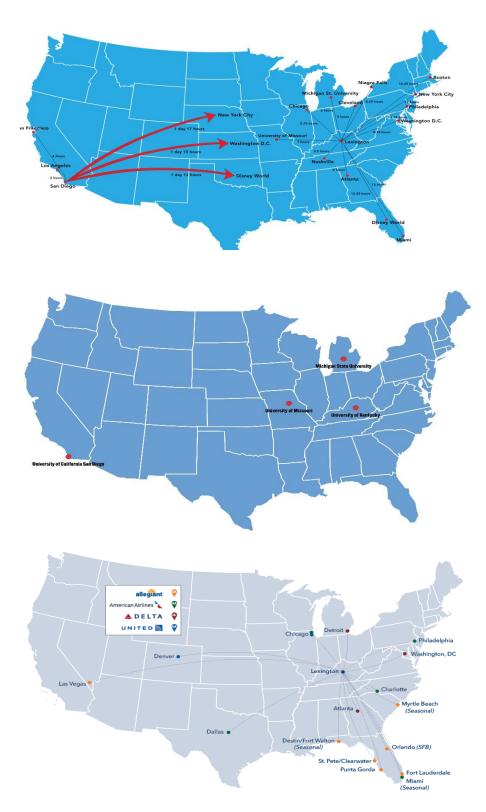
WHY LEXINGTON AND UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY-IPPMI

I. WHERE LEXINGTON AND UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY

• Urbanized City, Safety City, Education City, Wellbeing City. It is Lexington Kentucky.



II. WHY LEXINGTON & IPPMI

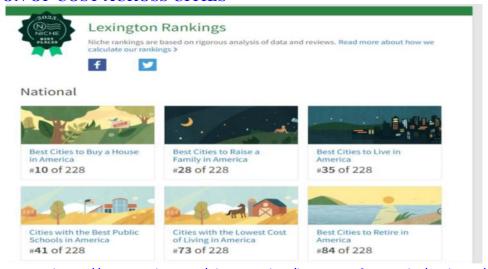
1. Decision Criteria

1) Urban, 2) Safety, 3) Public School, 4) Travel, 5) Airport, 6) Living Cost, 7) English TOEFL, 8) People, 9) IPPMI Curriculum

2. Strength of Lexington & IPPMI

Decision Criteria	Lexington Ranking and Criteria Details
1. Urbanized City;	• Lexington Population: 330,000, 57 th city in U.S.(St. Louis 300,000)
- Rural/Country	Metro Lexington: 520,000, 59 th Metro in U.S.
	Shopping Mall, Department Store, Entertainment Facility, Opera House, etc.
	Public Golf Course: \$12/Lexington, \$50/San Diego
2. Public Safety Index	The 3 rd Safety City in U.S.
-	• https://www.wtvq.com/lexington-ranked-third-safest-city-united-states/)
3. Best Public School	• 24th Educated City(Score: 66.17): higher than NY-NJ-PA(25 th , 65.23)
Education	- <u>https://wallethub.com/edu/e/most-and-least-educated-cities/6656</u>)
4. Best Travel city to	• Lexington: Driving to DC, NY, Chicago, Disney World, Florida Beach, Atlanta, Niagara Falls,
Country	Canada Toronto, etc.
	San Diego: West-South end of the U.S. Country
5. Non-Stop Airport to	• Non-stop flight to 16 cities in U.S.: Las Vegas, Denver, Chicago, Detroit, Philadelphia, D.C.,
travel	Charlotte, Myrtle Beach, Atlanta, Texas, Tampa, Orlando, Miami.
	<u>Airline Destinations – Blue Grass Airport – LEX</u>
6. Lowest Cost of	Apartment Rental fee/month: 2 bed 2 Bath Apartment
Living	- \$1,300-\$1,500(Lexington) vs \$3,500-\$4,000(San Diego)
	Gas cost/Gallon: \$2.89/Lexington vs \$4.00/San Diego
7. Climate & Weather	Weather: Warm/Mild/Cold Weather
	All Seasons: Spring/Summer/Fall/Winter
	Typhoon and Tornado in the US West Coast
8. Settle Down Works	Airport Pick Up, Housing, Bank, Cell Phone, Utility, School Enrollment for Children, Medial,
	Emergency Case, Car Insurance, Social Number registration, Driver's License, etc.
	Free Service: Pick up for degree-seeking students, provide settle down information.
	• Non-Free: \$2,500. Personalize settlement service for entire stay in Lexington.
9. English Proficiency	Non-Degree: No required a specific English Score, need only certificate or English Interview
	with Professor Kim.
	Degree: iBT MyBest Score: 79, IELTS 6.5, Duolingo 115
	- English Interview with the Martin School professor for who does not MEET a requirement.
10. High Quality People	Living with middle & high class American people
	People are kind to foreign students and foreigners.
	No Discrimination
11. IPPMI Curriculum	Korean Professor, Dr. Doo Oak Kim is organizing all things from application to graduation.
\$ Application Fee	Top Public Policy Program Curriculum in the U.S. Universities
	Combination of U.S. Government Experience and Academic Courses.
	• IPPMI Application-No Charge, MSU VIPP(Non-Degree) -\$175, Missouri-Asian Center-\$350

III. COMPARISON OF COST ACROSS CITIES



Source: https://www.niche.com/places-to-live/lexington-fayette-ky/rankings/