WE CAN'T WAIT TO MEET YOU.

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When something's right, you feel it immediately. A magnetic force that draws you in, and everything just clicks. That's the moment you say to yourself: "This is where I belong." Welcome to Mason. Let's start connecting.
#1
Highest average starting salary to Virginia public four-year graduates according to the U.S. News & World Report Best College Rankings.

16:1
Student-to-faculty ratio

450
Clubs + organizations

22
NCAA Division I athletic teams

130
Countries

50
States represented
Mason is a young university, and that works in our favor. We’re anything but old school. We don’t see constraints, only possibilities. And given the types of students we attract—from 130 countries and all 50 states—so do they. Because when different perspectives and new ideas connect, true learning and understanding take place, and a global dialogue begins. It only gets more interesting from here.
Mason’s innovative spirit and reputation for excellence have attracted some of the brightest minds in the country. They have published widely, contributed to major research findings, consulted with government and business officials, and are frequently in the media. They are Nobel Laureates, Pulitzer Prize winners, Fulbright Scholars, and Robinson Professors, to name just a few.
RESEARCH AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL

Mason is one of only 115 schools in the country to hold the coveted R1 status given by Carnegie. As a tier-one research university, Mason is committed to answering questions that matter, from cybersecurity to cancer treatments.

And undergraduates are taking part, from building a prosthetic arm with a 3-D printer to working with artifacts at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C. There is even an office on campus devoted to helping you find a faculty mentor, support for your research, and the opportunity to present your findings.
MASON’S HONORS COLLEGE

Mason’s most academically talented and motivated students receive distinct benefits, including priority course registration, a dedicated Living Learning Community, exclusive seminars, and research opportunities in their very first semester at Mason.

Application to Mason’s Honors College is competitive and requires students to apply by the November 1 priority deadline and to submit a supplemental Honors College essay for consideration.
Our 40+ residence halls offer a variety of living arrangements, including suites and apartments. And our popular Living Learning Communities help you connect with others who share your interests or major. Residence halls offer:

+ New or recently renovated spaces
+ Shared kitchens
+ Free laundry facilities
+ Bright, open lounge areas
+ State-of-the-art fitness centers

Check out our Living Learning Communities (LLCs) and connect with others who share your interests or major.

WHAT ARE YOU HUNGRY FOR?

Mason Dining offers something for every taste, including vegan, gluten-free, and Halal options. Have a craving for Chipotle? It’s right here on campus, along with Steak ‘n Shake, Panera, Chick-fil-A, Starbucks, and more.
Cyber security engineering major Doreen Joseph is committed to public service. At Mason, she has set up a textbook library to help students with limited means access the texts they need at no cost. She also coaches college-bound high school students in the university’s Early Identification Program. Also a student in the Honors College, Doreen was a finalist for the prestigious Truman and Goldwater Scholarships. She was awarded a fellowship in Boulder, Colorado, with the National Institute of Standards and Technology and wants to start a nonprofit to support women of color in STEM.
Junior AJ Doane fell in love with science in his high school AP Biology class. He chose Mason after learning about the university’s many research opportunities for undergraduates. Throughout his time at Mason, AJ worked in the Grant Lab on Mason’s Science and Technology Campus, conducting research on the genetic and physiological causes of idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis. He has also interned at the Reston Microbiology Lab and worked as a medical technician at the Glaucoma Consultants of Washington.
To compete in today’s global economy, you need to have an understanding of the complexities of our interconnected world.

We help prepare students by infusing global awareness across our campus and curriculum.

Our study-abroad programs also give students the opportunity to experience different cultures or master a language while studying at prestigious host institutions.
When you’re not hitting the books, there’s plenty of fun stuff going on all over campus. Join one or two (or three!) of the 450+ student organizations. Don’t see one that you like? Start your own. You can go Greek, join an a cappella group, volunteer for Best Buddies—or do it all. Enjoy concerts and theater performances, rock climb or mountain bike at a nearby park, or explore downtown Washington, D.C.

Show off your Patriot Pride by cheering on one of our 22 NCAA Division I teams, or play on a club or intramural team yourself. And let’s not forget Mason Day, Holi Moli, and Mason Madness! Sleep will just have to wait!
IT'S ALL HERE.
ON AND OFF CAMPUS.

10
MILES TO NEAREST METRO STATION.

90
HIKING TRAILS

33
SUSHI BARS

20
FORTUNE 500 COMPANIES

85
FREE SMITHSONIAN MUSEUMS

19
LIVE MUSIC VENUES

3
AIRPORTS

100+
SHOPPING MALLS/TOWN CENTERS

100K+
MOVIE THEATER SCREENS

20
VARIETIES OF GLOBAL CUISINE

3+
FORTUNE 500 COMPANIES

MASON TO METRO SHUTTLE

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PHILADELPHIA

George Mason University

Arlington

Vienna/Fairfax-GMU Metro Station

Mason Center Station

Metro Center Station

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Washington, D.C., is just a short distance away, along with limitless internship possibilities. Sure, there’s Capitol Hill, but there are also tech startups, Fortune 500s, nonprofits, the FBI and CIA, performing arts, and numerous museums where you can test out a possible career choice, gain relevant experience, and make valuable contacts.
When you're ready to go out and make your mark on the world, University Career Services can help by providing industry-based career advice, resume and interview workshops, and access to a strong professional network.

Our alumni have gone on to graduate studies at Stanford, MIT, and the Medical College of Virginia, to name a few. Many take a break to join the Peace Corps or Teach for America before tackling that advanced degree.

84% of employed graduates live in positions related to their career goals.

100K+ alumni live and work in the Washington, D.C., area.

700 companies interviewed students on campus last year.

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MEET YOUR MAJOR

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

 Accounting BS+
 Anthropology BA
 Applied Computer Science BS
 Applied Science BAS
 Art and Visual Technology BA, BFA
 Astronomy Science BS
 Bioengineering BS
 Biology BA, BS
 Chemistry BA, BS
 Civil and Infrastructure Engineering BS
 Communication BA
 Community Health BS
 Computational and Data Sciences BS
 Computer Engineering BS+
 Computer Game Design BS
 Computer Science BS+
 Criminal Justice and Criminal Justice BS/JS+
 Creative Writing BA
 Criminology, Law and Society BA, BS
 Cyber Security Engineering BS
 Dance BA, BFA
 Earth Science BS
 Economics BA, BS
 Electrical Engineering BS+
 English
 Environmental and Sustainable Studies BA
 Environmental Science BS
 Environmental Studies BA
 Finance BS
 Foreign Languages BA
 Forensic Science
 Geography BA, BS
 Geology BS
 Global Affairs
 Government and International Politics
 Health Administration BS
 Health Informatics and Biomedical Informatics BS
 History
 Human Development and Family Science BA
 Interdisciplinary Studies
 Information Systems and Information Management BS
 Information Technology BS
 Integrative Studies BA, BS
 Journalism BS
 Latin American Studies BA
 Management BS
 Marketing BS
 Mathematics BA, BS
 Mechanical Engineering BS
 Medical Laboratory Science BS
 Music BA, BM
 Neuroscience BS
 Nursing BSN
 Philosophy BA+
 Physical Education BS/ES
 Physics BS
 Political Science BA
 Public Administration BS
 Public Health Science BS
 Religious Studies BA
 Russian and Eurasian Studies BA
 Social Work BS
 Sociology BA
 Sport Management
 Statistics BS
 Sustainability Studies*
 Systems Engineering BS+
 Theater BA, BFA
 Theatre and Events Management BS
 Social Management*

PREPROFESSIONAL STUDIES

 Predental
 Predivinity
 Prelaw
 Premedical
 Preoccupational Therapy
 Prepharmacy
 Prephysical Therapy
 Preprofessional
 Preprimary
 Preveterinary

APPLICATION DEADLINES

EARLY ACTION: NOV 1
SCHOLARSHIP CONSIDERATION: NOV 1
HONORS COLLEGE CONSIDERATION: NOV 1
REGULAR DECISION: JAN 15
PRIORITY FAFSA DEADLINE: JAN 15

MEET YOUR COUNSELOR

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