GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY

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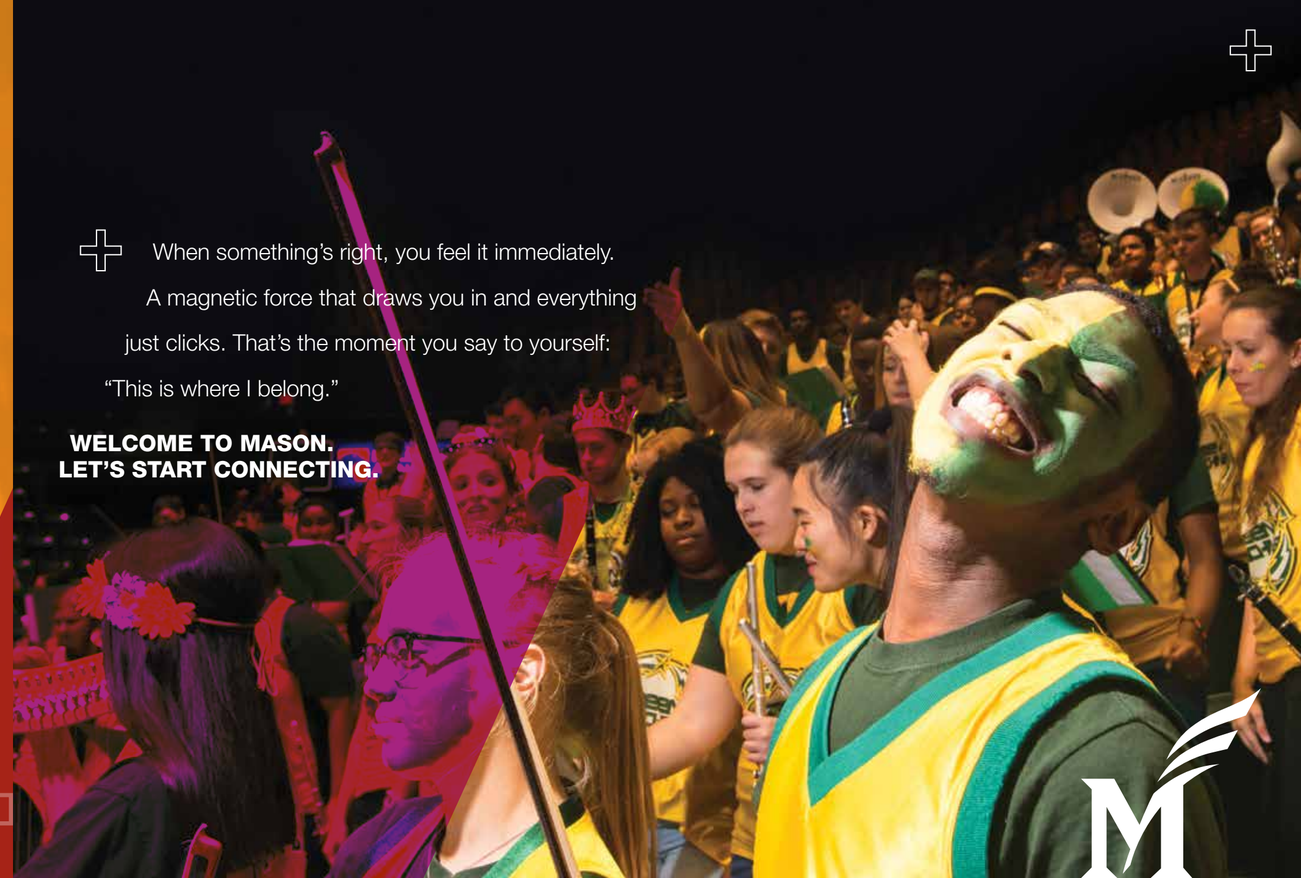
CONNECT

GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY

THE CONNECTION IS REAL

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.



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Highest average starting salary
for Virginia public university graduates according to the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia
350+
clubs + organizations
16:1
student to faculty ratio
22
NCAA Division I athletic teams
130
countries
50
states
represented

THE POWER OF MANY PERSPECTIVES

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 takes place, and a global dialogue begins. It only gets more interesting from here.

THE FACULTY FACTOR

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.

$300K
IN UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS

RESEARCH AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL

R1

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 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 it.

MASON'S HONORS COLLEGE

Mason's most academically talented and motivated students receive distinct benefits, including priority registration, a dedicated Living Learning Community, exclusive seminars, and research with a faculty mentor of your choosing, to name just a few.

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.

HANG YOUR MASON CAP HERE

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. Have a craving for Chipotle? It's right here on campus, along with Steak 'n Shake, Panera, Chick-fil-A, Starbucks, and more.

STUDENT PROFILE > ERIN SCHULTE
MAJOR > BIOENGINEERING
HOMETOWN > CENTREVILLE, VIRGINIA

A member of Mason's Honors College, **Erin Schulte** is a long-distance freestyler for Mason's swim team and has taken home more than one Provost Scholar Athlete Award. A childhood battle with leukemia instilled in her a fierce desire to help others. Erin wants to be a physician's assistant so she can have more one-on-one contact with patients. After graduating, Erin plans to earn her master's degree and to work with children in either pediatrics or orthopedics.

STUDENT PROFILE

While still in high school, **Nick Stasiak** began reporting on the local weather on a website he created, gaining the attention of several local meteorologists. When he came to Mason, he began using the Twitter and Instagram handle @GMUWeatherman to keep Mason students informed of local weather. While an intern at Mason's Center for Climate Change Communication, Nick worked with the National Park Service on a project monitoring the effects of climate change, mainly acid rain, on Washington, D.C.'s monuments. The report resulted in the closure of the Jefferson Memorial for restoration and repairs. He also helped to start a severe weather communication page for the Climate Institute and was a geospatial intern for PlanetRisk Analytics.

STUDENT PROFILE > NICK STASIAK
MAJOR > GEOGRAPHY
HOMETOWN > WINCHESTER, VIRGINIA

FROM MAIN STREET TO MUMBAI

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.

MEN'S > BASEBALL > BASKETBALL > CROSS COUNTRY > GOLF > SOCCER > SWIMMING AND DIVING > TENNIS > TRACK AND FIELD > VOLLEYBALL > WRESTLING
WOMEN'S > BASKETBALL > CROSS COUNTRY > LACROSSE > ROWING > SOCCER > SOFTBALL > SWIMMING AND DIVING > TENNIS > TRACK AND FIELD > VOLLEYBALL

24 HOURS ISN'T ENOUGH

#1 NCAA PEP BAND

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 350+ student organizations. Don't see it? Start your own. You can go Greek, join an a cappella group, volunteer for Best Buddies—or do all three. 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!

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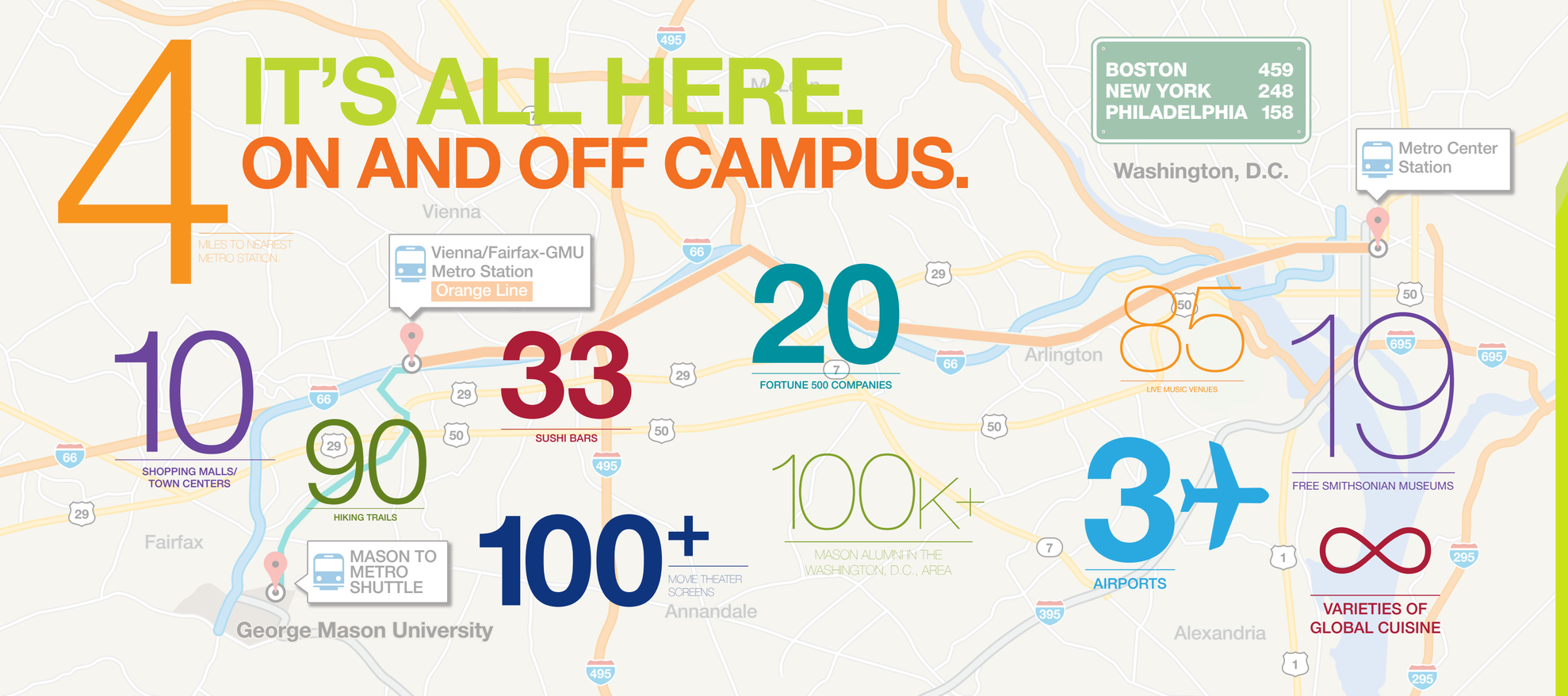
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MILES TO NEAREST METRO STATION.
IT'S ALL HERE.
ON AND OFF CAMPUS.
Vienna/Fairfax-GMU Metro Station
Orange Line
10
SHOPPING MALLS/ TOWN CENTERS
90
HIKING TRAILS
33
SUSHI BARS
20
FORTUNE 500 COMPANIES
100+
MOVIE THEATER SCREENS
100K+
MASON ALUMNI IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C., AREA
MASON TO METRO SHUTTLE
George Mason University
Fairfax
Vienna
Annandale
Arlington
Alexandria
Washington, D.C.
BOSTON 459
NEW YORK 248
PHILADELPHIA 158
Metro Center Station
85
LIVE MUSIC VENUES
3+
AIRPORTS
19
FREE SMITHSONIAN MUSEUMS
∞
VARIETIES OF GLOBAL CUISINE

REAL D.C.
REAL EXPERIENCE

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.

WHAT COMES AFTER MASON?

YOUR CAREER!

84%

OF EMPLOYED GRADUATES ARE IN POSITIONS RELATED TO THEIR CAREER GOALS.

700

COMPANIES INTERVIEWED STUDENTS ON CAMPUS LAST YEAR

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 study 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.

100K+

ALUMNI LIVE AND WORK IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C., AREA

FAIRFAX COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS > BOOZ ALLEN HAMILTON

INOVA HEALTH SYSTEMS > DISCOVERY COMMUNICATIONS

NORTHROP GRUMMAN CORPORATION > DELOITTE > U.S. ARMY

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY > FAIRFAX COUNTY

GOVERNMENT > SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION > ACCENTURE

LOCKHEED MARTIN > U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE

WASHINGTON REDSKINS > CACI INTERNATIONAL INC.

FREDDIE MAC > MITRE > FANNIE MAE > NAVY FEDERAL

CREDIT UNION > CSC > HEWLETT-PACKARD

THE JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE

PERFORMING ARTS > GENERAL DYNAMICS

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY > SAIC

WASHINGTON NATIONAL OPERA > SRA

INTERNATIONAL > U.S. DEPARTMENT

OF HOMELAND SECURITY > PBS

WASHINGTON WIZARDS

MEET YOUR MAJOR

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

Accounting BS+
Anthropology BA+
Applied Computer Science BS
Applied Science BAS
Art and Visual Technology BA, BFA
Athletic Training BS
Atmospheric 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 BFA
Computer Science BS+
Conflict Analysis and Resolution BA, BS+
Creative Writing BFA
Criminology, Law and Society BA, BS
Cyber Security Engineering BS
Dance BA, BFA
Earth Science BS
Economics BA, BS+
Electrical Engineering BS+
English BA+
Environmental and Sustainability Studies BA
Environmental Science BS
Film and Video Studies BA
Finance BS
Foreign Languages BA+
Forensic Science BS
Geography BA, BS
Geology BA, BS
Global Affairs BA+
Government and International Politics BA+
Health Administration BS
Health, Fitness, and Recreation Resources BS
History BA+
Human Development and Family Science BA
Individualized Study BIS
Information Systems and Operations Management BS+
Information Technology BS+
Integrative Studies BA, BS+
Kinesiology BS
Latin American Studies BA
Management BS
Marketing BS
Mathematics BA, BS+
Mechanical Engineering BS
Medical Laboratory Science BS
Music BA, BM
Musical Theater BFA
Neuroscience BS
Nursing BSN
Philosophy BA+
Physical Education BSEd
Physics BS+
Psychology BA, BS+
Public Administration BS+
Rehabilitation Science BS
Religious Studies BA
Russian and Eurasian Studies BA
Social Work BSW
Sociology BA+
Sport Management*
Statistics BS•
Sustainability Studies*
Systems Engineering BS+
Theater BA, BFA+
Tourism and Events Management BS
Tourism Management*

PREPROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Predental
Predivinity
Prelaw
Premedical
Preoccupational Therapy
Prepharmacy
Prephysical Therapy
Prephysician Assistant
Preteaching
Preveterinary

* Programs offered as concentrations within existing majors
\+ Programs offering a combined bachelor's/accelerated master's degree program of study
• Pending SCHEV approval

2017-18 TUITION AND FEES

IN-STATE $11,724/year
ROOM (avg per yr) $6,700/year
BOARD 2017-18 (Independence Plan) $4,390/year

APPLICATION DEADLINES

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

MEET YOUR COUNSELOR
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