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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.
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.
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.
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.
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.
Bioengineering major Zachary Baker was awarded a prestigious Barry Goldwater Scholarship for his stellar work in and outside of the lab. Baker’s research looks at the electrophysiological activity of spinal cord neurons in an effort to understand why central nervous systems in mammals cannot regenerate after injury. Zachary is interning at Johns Hopkins University’s Institute of Cell Engineering.
Working behind the scenes is one of communication major Jasmine Waterman's favorite things about being a student coordinator for the Office of Orientation and Family Services and Programs. She loves sharing stories with the incoming families and planning Siblings Weekend. Family is important to her, and one of the first things she did before leaving California for Mason was to teach her grandmother how to text so they can keep in touch.
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 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 Mol, and Mason Madness! Sleep will just have to wait!
IT'S ALL HERE. ON AND OFF CAMPUS.
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?

84%

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

YOUR CAREER!

100K+

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

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.
MEET YOUR MAJOR

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

Accounting BS
Anthropology BS
Applied Computer Science BS
Applied Science BS
Art and Visual Technology BA, BFA
Athletic Training BS
Atmospheric Science BS
Bioengineering BS
Biology BA, BIS
Chemistry BA, BS+
Civil and Infrastructure Engineering BS
Communication BA
Community Health BS
Computations and Data Sciences BS
Computer Engineering BS+
Computer Game Design BFA
Computer Science BS
Conflict Analysis and Resolution BS, IS
Creative Writing BFA
Criminology, Law and Society BA, BS
Cyber Security Engineering BS
Dance BA, DPA
Earth Science BS
Economics BA, BS
Electrical Engineering BS+
English BA
Environmental and Sustainable Studies BA
Environmental Science BS
Exercise Science BA
Finance BS
Foreign Language BA
Forensic Sciences
Geography BA, BS
Government BA, BS
Global Affairs BS
Health and International Policy BA
Health Administration BS
Health, Ethics, and Recreation Recreational BS
History BA
Human Development and Family Studies BS
International Studies BS
Interdisciplinary Studies and Decision Management BS
Information Technology BS
Integrative Studies BA-BS
Intelligence BS
Liberal Arts and Science BA
Management BS
Marketing BS
Mathematics BA, BS+
Mechanical Engineering BS
Medical Laboratory Science BS
Micro BA
Music BA, BM
Music Therapy BA
National Security BS
Philosophy BA
Physics BA
Preprofessional Education BS
Prephysical Therapy PA
Prepsychology BS
Psychology BA, BS+
Public Administration BS
Public Administration BS
Public Health BS
Public Health, Social Work BS
Public Safety BS
Psychology, Social Work BA
Public Relations BS
Public Relations BS
Public Health and Health Administration BS
Radiation Science BS
Religious Studies BA
Rehabilitation Science BS
Religious Studies BS
Renewable Energy and Sustainability BS
Risk Management BS
Russian and Eurasian Studies BA
School of Nursing BSN
Social Work BS
Sociology BA
Sport Management*
Statistics BS
Sustainability Studies*
Systems Engineering BS+
Theater BA, BFA
Tourism and Events Management BS
Tourism Management*
Tuition and Fees

2017-18

OUT-OF-STATE

$34,170/year

BOARD 2017-18 (Independence Plan)

$34,170/year

REGULAR DECISION:

JAN 15

HONORS COLLEGE CONSIDERATION:

NOV 1

EARLY ACTION:

EARLY ACTION:

APPLICATION DEADLINES

PRIORITY FAFSA DEADLINE: MAR 1

MEET YOUR COUNSELOR

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