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WELCOME TO MASON. LET’S GET STARTED.

top 45
Most diverse universities in the country according to U.S. News & World Report
Mason’s Fairfax Campus is in beautiful suburban Virginia, a short distance from Washington, D.C. Free shuttle buses transport Mason students to the nearby Vienna Metro subway station, which connects you to the city and the many internship opportunities it offers. Or you can go into the city on a weekend to see the cherry blossoms and monuments, visit the museums, and go to a restaurant or theater.

Our prime location is also close to Dulles International and Ronald Reagan National Airports.
#111
AMERICA'S BEST VALUE COLLEGES ACCORDING TO FORBES

24 Kilometers to Washington, D.C.
OUR EXCEPTIONAL FACULTY

Mason’s innovative spirit and reputation for excellence have attracted distinguished faculty: These professors 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, and Fulbright Scholars, to name just a few.

IN-DEMAND DEGREES
+ Cyber Security Engineering
+ Bioengineering
+ Data Analytics Engineering
+ Forensic Science
+ Neuroscience
+ Conflict Analysis and Resolution

16:1 STUDENT-FACULTY RATIO
AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

Professor Laurence Bray created the Applied Neurotechnologies class so bioengineering students could get hands-on experience in a clinical setting.
School of Business is #80 of Best Undergraduate Business Programs, according to U.S. News & World Report, 2016
#59 among top 150 world universities under 50 years old, according to Times Higher Education, 2016

RESEARCH AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL

Mason is one of only 115 schools in the United States to hold the highest research status—the coveted R1 given by Carnegie. As a top research university, Mason is committed to answering questions that matter, from cybersecurity to cancer treatments. Our students take part in this important work and have built prosthetics with 3-D printers, worked with artifacts at the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C., and sometimes shared patents with their faculty mentors. There is an office on campus devoted to helping you find a faculty mentor, support for your research, and the opportunity to present it.
WHEN YOU’RE HERE, YOU’RE HOME

6,200+ STUDENTS LIVE ON CAMPUS
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
+ Lounge and study areas
+ High-quality fitness centers

WHAT ARE YOU HUNGRY FOR?
Residential dining offers something for every taste, including vegan, gluten-free, Halal, and many other food options.

Ranked among top 200 universities worldwide, #46 for social sciences and #66 in the United States (Academic Ranking of Worldwide Universities, 2016)
Xiaoxia had a difficult time deciding whether to major in psychology or environmental science. She decided on psychology, but she is able keep up with her interest in the environment by living in the Sustainability Living Learning Community and working in the hydroponic greenhouse. When she returns to China after graduation, she plans to set up an organic garden for her parents.
Shakhzod has been a builder for as long as he can remember. By the time he reached his teens, he was already building robots with components he purchased on the internet. He says he learned a great deal from those projects and believes that hands-on experimentation is just as important as studying. His dream is to one day start his own company in his native Uzbekistan and manufacture high-end electronics at affordable prices.
WORK HARD
PLAY HARD
+ 350+ student organizations
+ 22 NCAA Division I men’s and women’s sports
+ Club and intramural teams
+ Concerts and theater performances
+ Rock climbing or mountain biking at nearby parks
+ Exploring Washington, D.C.
+ Mason Day, Holi Moli, and Mason Madness!

With so much to do, sleep will just have to wait!
GRADUATE PROGRAMS RANKINGS
by U.S. News & World Report

#17 Criminology
#24 Public Policy Analysis
#32 Industrial/Manufacturing/Systems Engineering
#33 Health Care Management
#41 Public Affairs
#45 School of Law

#51 Education
#61 Political Science
#64 History
#67 Computer Science
#81 Computer Engineering
Washington, D.C., is just a short distance away, along with limitless internship possibilities, including Fortune 500 companies, NGOs, embassies, museums, performing arts organizations, television and radio stations, and more. You can try out a career choice, gain relevant experience, and make valuable contacts.

#1 Highest Average Starting Salary for Virginia public university graduates according to the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia
Global affairs major Luis Parrado had two internships on Capitol Hill.
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.

100K ALUMNI LIVE AND WORK IN THE WASHINGTON, D.C., AREA

76% OF MASON STUDENTS ARE EMPLOYED WITHIN SIX MONTHS OF GRADUATION
Undergraduate applicants are evaluated based on the following:

+ Completed online application form and payment of the required nonrefundable application fee.

+ Official original copies of all secondary school transcripts, leaving certificates, and/or university entrance examinations. Transfer students should submit official transcripts from each postsecondary educational institution attended, as well as a course-by-course evaluation.

+ Students may be considered for admission with no SAT or ACT score through our score-optional admissions program; however, SAT or ACT results may be required for merit-based scholarship consideration. The Engineering and Computer Science programs require a qualifying SAT or ACT score.

+ A minimum TOEFL score of 80 on the internet-based exam with an 18 in each subsection or a 6.5 or higher on the IELTS with a 6.0 in each subsection is required. Applicants with lower scores may be considered for INTO Mason Pathway programs.

+ Financial support statement and verification of finances required for F-1 or J-1 visa applicants.
GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY KOREA
Our commitment to provide our students with a global education extends to George Mason University Korea, a part of the Songdo Global University Campus, strategically located 25 miles from Seoul. It includes preeminent teaching facilities, a library with state-of-the-art technology, a performing arts center, modern dormitories, faculty apartments, and guest housing.

Students spend their first and second year in Songdo, third year at our Fairfax, Virginia, campus, and the final year in Songdo.

masonkorea.gmu.edu

INTO MASON
INTO Mason provides English language instruction and pathway programs for international students who are academically prepared, but need additional English language preparation to have a positive and productive experience at Mason. Upon successful completion of these programs, students gain full admission into one of Mason’s participating degree programs to continue their studies.
### UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

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| 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
APPLICATION DEADLINES

Freshman: October 1 (for spring), June 1 (for fall)
Transfer: October 1 (for spring), March 1 (for fall)

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this is where you belong
Accounting, MS  
Anthropology, MA  
Applied Information Technology, MS  
Art Education, MAT  
Art History, MA  
Arts Management, MA  
Athletic Training, MS  
Biodefense, MS, PhD  
Bioengineering, MS*, PhD  
Bioinformatics Management, MS, PSM  
Bioinformatics and Computational Biology, MS, PhD  
Biology, MS  
Biosciences, PhD  
Business Administration, MBA  
Chemistry and Biochemistry, PhD  
Chemistry, MS  
Civil and Infrastructure Engineering, MS, PhD  
Climate Dynamics, PhD  
Communication, MA, PhD  
Computational Science, MS  
Computational Sciences and Informatics, PhD  
Computational Social Science, PhD  
Computer Engineering, MS  
Computer Game Design, MA  
Computer Science, MS, PhD  
Conflict Analysis and Resolution, MS, PhD  
Counseling and Development, MED  
Creative Writing, MFA  
Criminal Justice, MS*  
Criminology, Law and Society, MA, PhD  
Cultural Studies, PhD  
Curriculum and Instruction, MED  
Data Analytics Engineering, MS  
Digital Forensics and Cyber Analysis, MS*  
Earth Systems Science, MS  
Earth Sciences and Geoinformation Sciences, PhD  
Economics, MA, PhD  
Education Leadership, MEd  
Educational Psychology, MS  
Electrical Engineering, MS  
Electrical and Computer Engineering, PhD  
English, MA  
Environmental Science and Policy, MS  
Environmental Science and Public Policy, PhD  
Executive MBA  
Exercise, Fitness, and Health Promotion, MS  
Foreign Languages, MA  
Forensic Science, MS  
Geographic and Cartographic Sciences, MS  
Geoinformatics and Geospatial Intelligence, MS  
Geotechnical, Construction, and Structural Engineering, MEng  
Global Affairs, MA  
Global Health, MS  
Graphic Design, MA  
Health Informatics, MS  
Health Policy, MS*  
Health Services Research, PhD  
Health Systems Management, MHA  
Higher Education and Student Development, MA*  
Higher Education, PhD*  
History of Decorative Arts, MA  
History, MA, PhD  
Information Security and Assurance, MS  
Information Systems, MS  
Information Technology, PhD  
Interdisciplinary Studies, MAIS  
International Commerce and Policy, MA  
International Security, MA  
Linguistics, PhD  
Management of Secure Information Systems, MS  
Management, MS  
Mathematics, MS, PhD  
Middle East and Islamic Studies, MA  
Music Education, PhD  
Music, MM  
Musical Arts, DMA  
Neuroscience, PhD  
Nursing, DNP, MSN, PhD  
Nutrition, MS  
Operations Research, MS  
Organization Development and Knowledge Management, MS  
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Philosophy, MA  
Physics, PhD  
Political Science, MA, PhD  
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Public Administration, MPA  
Public Health, MPH  
Public Policy, MPP, PhD  
Real Estate Development, MS  
Rehabilitation Science, PhD  
Social Work, MSW  
Sociology, MA, PhD  
Software Engineering, MS  
Special Education, MED  
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Statistical Science, MS, PhD  
Systems Engineering and Operations Research, PhD  
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Technology Management, MS  
Telecommunications, MS  
Transportation Policy, Operations, and Logistics, MA  
Visual and Performing Arts, MFA  
Writing and Rhetoric, PhD  

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