



### AREAS OF STUDY

Choose among a staggering number of majors, minors, and concentrations across our three undergraduate schools.

#### MAJOR

A major is the primary focus of your chosen course of study. All students are required to have at least one.

#### MINOR

A minor is an academic field of study secondary to your major. Minors are optional for students but can be added to your course of study if you have varying interests you'd like to pursue. Think of a minor as a "mini-major." Fewer units are required to complete a minor.

#### CONCENTRATION

A concentration is a specific focus or subject within a major. Concentrations always pair with a related major subject (e.g. Biology with a concentration in Neuroscience), whereas minors can match with any major.

#### ADVISING

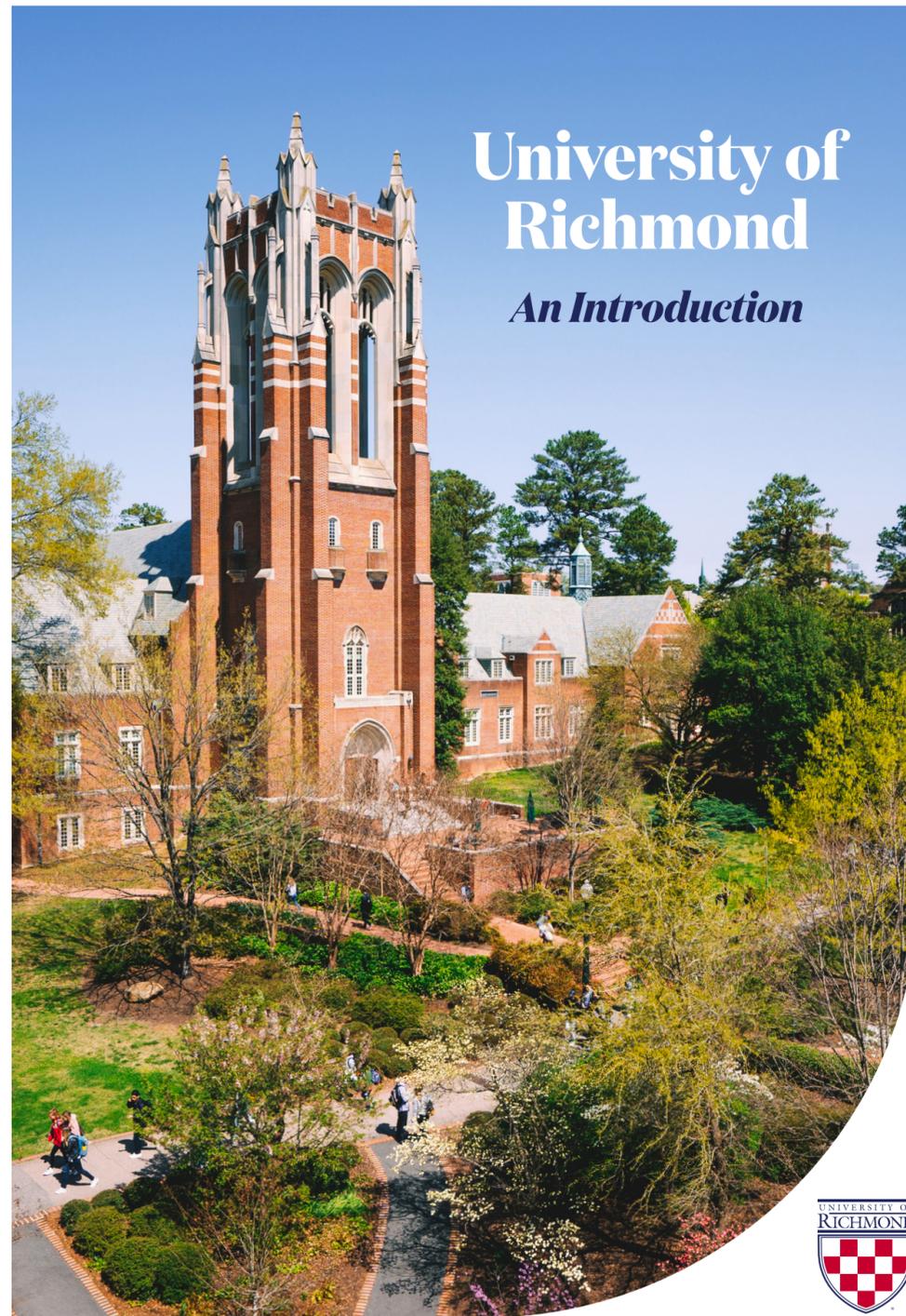
Advising programs provide guidance, support, and academic preparation to students interested in pursuing a certain field or area of post-graduate study after Richmond.

### CONTACT ADMISSION

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- Accounting ■ ★
- Africana Studies ■ ▲
- American Studies ■ ▲
- Anthropology ■ ▲
- Arabic Studies ■ ▲
- Archaeology ▲
- Art History ■ ▲
- Art, Visual Media, and Arts Practice ■ ▲
- Arts Management ★
- Biochemistry and Molecular Biology ■
- Biology ■ ▲
- Business Administration ■ ▲
- Accounting ★
- Business Analytics ★
- Business Economics ★
- Finance ★
- International Business ★
- Management Consulting ★
- Management Entrepreneurship ★
- Marketing ★
- Chemistry ■ ▲
- Chinese and International Business ■
- Chinese Studies ■ ▲
- Classical Civilization ■ ▲
- Cognitive Science ■
- Communications (see Rhetoric and Communication Studies) ■ ▲
- Comparative Literature ★
- Computer Science ■ ▲
- Creative Writing ▲
- Dance ■ ▲
- Data Science and Statistics ▲ ★
- Economics ■ ▲ ★
- Education ▲
- Education and Society ▲
- Elementary Education ■
- English ■ ▲
- English and Classics ■
- English and French ■
- English and German ■
- English and Greek ■
- English and Latin ■
- English and Theatre ■
- English and Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies ■
- Entrepreneurship ▲
- Environmental Studies ■ ▲
- Film Studies ■ ▲
- French ■ ▲
- French and International Business ■
- Geography ■ ▲
- German and International Business ■
- German Studies ■ ▲
- Global Studies ■
- Cultures and Communication ★
- Development and Change ★
- International Economics ★
- Politics and Governance ★
- Greek ■ ▲
- Healthcare Studies ■ ▲
- History ■ ▲
- Integrated Science ▲
- Interdisciplinary Studies ■
- Italian and International Business ■
- Italian Studies ■ ▲
- Japanese ▲
- Jewish Studies ▲
- Journalism ■ ▲
- Latin ■ ▲
- Latin American, Latino, and Iberian Studies (LALIS) ■ ▲
- LALIS and International Business ■
- Law and the Liberal Arts ▲
- Leadership Studies ■ ▲
- Linguistics ▲
- Luso-Brazilian Studies ▲
- Mathematical Economics ■
- Mathematics ■ ▲
- Medieval and Renaissance Studies ★
- Music ■ ▲
- Neuroscience ★
- Philosophy ■ ▲
- Philosophy, Politics, Economics, and Law ■
- Physics ■ ▲
- Physics - Interdisciplinary ■
- Political Science ■
- Pre-Engineering ●
- Pre-Law ●
- Pre-Medicine/Health Professions ●
- Psychology ■ ▲
- Religious Studies ■ ▲
- Rhetoric and Communication Studies ■ ▲
- Russian Studies ■ ▲
- Sociology ■ ▲
- Spanish (see LALIS) ■ ▲
- Sustainability ▲
- Theatre ■ ▲
- Women, Gender, and Sexuality Studies ■ ▲



# University of Richmond

## *An Introduction*



# *Let's look at the big picture.*



NEARLY  
**500**  
STUDENTS RECEIVED  
SUMMER FELLOWSHIP  
FUNDING FROM  
UR IN 2022

**91%**  
FIRST-YEAR  
RETENTION RATE

**16**  
STUDENTS  
ON AVERAGE  
PER CLASS

**98%**  
OF CLASSES HAVE  
FEWER THAN 30  
STUDENTS

**#3**  
FOR INTERNSHIPS,  
ACCORDING TO THE  
PRINCETON REVIEW

# Welcome to Richmond

where your big ideas and bold  
ambitions come into focus.

You'll be connected to world-class resources that enrich your discovery and funded experiences that sharpen your studies. You'll be part of a warm and diverse community and swept up in Division I energy. You'll be valued and challenged and cheered. You'll find yourself at home in remarkable company.



## VISIT

The best of Richmond — the welcoming culture, the intellectual vitality, the gorgeous campus, can only be fully appreciated in person. But if you can't visit us soon, transport yourself to campus through our virtual tour experience.

[admission.richmond.edu/visit](https://admission.richmond.edu/visit)



## ADMISSION DEADLINES

We accept the Common Application or the Coalition Application.

**Early Decision I  
Early Action**  
November 1

**Richmond Scholars**  
December 1

**Early Decision II  
Regular Decision**  
January 1

## MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

**Richmond Scholars**  
Full tuition, plus housing and food  
Applications received by  
December 1 are considered.

**Presidential Scholarship**  
One-third tuition  
All applications, regardless of date or  
application plan, are considered.

**Oliver Hill Scholarship**  
Scholarship is equal to 1/2 tuition.  
January 1 deadline. The scholarship  
is designed for those who  
demonstrate strong commitments to  
multiculturalism and social justice.

# How you ask the questions can make all the difference.

You want answers from colleges that help you really understand their programs and community — and determine the right fit for you. And before you apply, you'll likely research many of them. So, in case it helps, here are the questions we hear most often — along with some suggestions for sharpening them to help elicit the most meaningful answers.

**Instead of "What is your student-to-faculty ratio?":**

- What's the average first-year class size?
- In what ways do professors get to know their students?

**Instead of "How is your [enter your major(s) of choice here] program?":**

- What are professors or students in my area(s) of academic interest currently researching?
- In what ways do professors and students interact outside of the classroom?
- Are students able to access internships or research opportunities the summer after their first year?

**Instead of "How is the food on campus?":**

- What is your favorite campus dining option — and favorite meal served there?
- What are students' favorite places to eat (and hang out) off-campus?

**Instead of "Tell me about the diversity on your campus.":**

- In what ways are your students, faculty, and administration making campus more inclusive?
- How many countries are represented on campus?
- What support systems are available for first-generation college students, students of color, and/or LGBTQ students?

**Instead of "How do I make my application stand out?":**

- What advice do you have for crafting a strong admission essay?
- What types of students are most successful at Richmond?
- Do you practice holistic admission review? What does that mean at your institution?

**And, finally, a few questions you should be sure to ask us when visiting us:**

- Tell me about the Richmond Guarantee. What types of summer experiences does it fund?
- Why do so many Richmond students study abroad? How does UR support their international travels and study?
- Why are Richmond students consistently ranked among the Top 15 Happiest Students in the country?
- UR is located less than 15 minutes from downtown Richmond. In what ways does this proximity to Virginia's capital city elevate students' experiences at the University?

