



JAMES MADISON
UNIVERSITY.

THE ULTIMATE AMERICAN
UNDERGRADUATE
EXPERIENCE

INTERNATIONAL STUDY CENTER

ISC.JMU.EDU

#1

most recommended
public university
in the U.S.

Wall Street Journal/THE US College
Rankings, 2021

#1

best college in Virginia
for getting a job for 3
years in a row

Zippia, 2019-2021

Top 100 Ranked

#96

in America's Top
Colleges

Forbes, 2021

OUR STUDENTS ARE CHANGING THE GAME

From enrolling in our top-ranked degree programs to participating in our 450+ student clubs and organizations, our students are changing the game, and we are here to help you achieve a full and rich university experience.

The JMU International Study Center is a place that welcomes, supports, and helps you make the most of your university life.

There is a wealth of support for international students at JMU, from the moment you apply, all the way through your university education and career beyond.

Students love JMU, as shown by our 96% satisfaction rate (JMU data, 2021). Our graduates enjoy great success in academics and in their careers. JMU alumni earn a median salary of \$105,800 after 10 years or more in the workforce (Forbes, 2021).

When you enroll in the International Year, you will earn 24 to 30 academic credits, receive personalized support, and graduate at the same pace as a direct admit student (depending on your English language entry point). Also, we will help you adjust to JMU with courses in American culture, English for Academic Purposes, and study skills.

If you meet the appropriate language and academic requirements, you can apply directly to any of our academic programs at JMU.

If you have not taken an English entrance exam or you do not meet the English language entry requirement for direct admission, you may enroll in English for University Studies (EUS), an 8- or 12-week program that will help you improve your English skills. By successfully completing EUS, you will be guaranteed direct admission to JMU.

For more information, visit isc.jmu.edu/programs



QUICK FACTS

University type: Public

Student population: 21,496

Student to faculty ratio: 16:1

#106

best undergraduate business program in the nation

U.S. News & World Report, 2022

#1

best health services administration degree in the U.S.

besthealthdegrees.com, 2021

#8

best hospitality management program

College Factual, 2022

AT HOME IN HARRISONBURG

Located in Harrisonburg, JMU is surrounded by the beautiful mountains of Virginia's Shenandoah Valley, just two hours from the nation's capital of Washington, D.C. Students thrive in our college town that embraces a vibrant international population.

PROGRAM OFFERINGS UNDERGRADUATE

International Year and Direct Admission

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KEY UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

Choose from our 76 Bachelor's degrees, including:

- Accounting BBA
- Architectural Design BFA
- Biotechnology BS*
- Computer Information Systems BBA*
- Computer Science BS*
- Economics BA/BBA/BS
- Engineering BS*
- Finance BBA
- Health Sciences BS
- Hospitality Management BS
- Integrated Science and Technology BS
- International Affairs BA
- International Business BBA
- Management BBA
- Marketing BBA
- Media Arts & Design BA/BS
- Music BM
- Quantitative Finance BS*



HELPING YOU ACHIEVE SUCCESS

Our ISC instructors and staff provide academic support, and you can access JMU-provided resources through our Learning Centers, our Learning Strategies Instruction programming, and our English Language Learner Services. The Center for Global Engagement (CGE) offers a wealth of services, courses, and excursions aimed at helping international students adapt and excel at JMU.

We are here to guide your professional journey, including assistance from our University Career Center and joining our Practice Interview Program or visiting our career fairs and our International Student Career Day.

Our students go on to successful internships and careers at companies like **Amazon, Google, IBM Global, KPMG, Marriott International, PricewaterhouseCoopers, TESLA, and Walt Disney Company.**

*STEM-Designated Degree Program, which may qualify you for a 24-month extension to Optional Practical Training (OPT).

^AACSB: Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
ABET: Accreditation Board of Engineering & Technology, Inc.

1 of 10 Computer Information Systems programs in the U.S.

to be accredited by both AACSB and ABET[^]

Our accounting students intern

at firms like BDO USA, LLP; KPMG; & Cherry Bekaert LLP

98%

job and graduate school placement within 6 months of graduation

JMU Class of 2020

#2

top public university in the U.S. South

U.S. News & World Report, 2022



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Apply

If you would like to apply to study at James Madison University International Study Center, you will need to complete an application form and submit the relevant documentation.

You can either apply through your local education agent or directly via our website.

If you are applying directly and have a question, then a Student Enrolment Adviser will be happy to help. They speak a variety of languages and understand several more.



You can make an enquiry through the website or visit isc.jmu.edu/contact-us



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