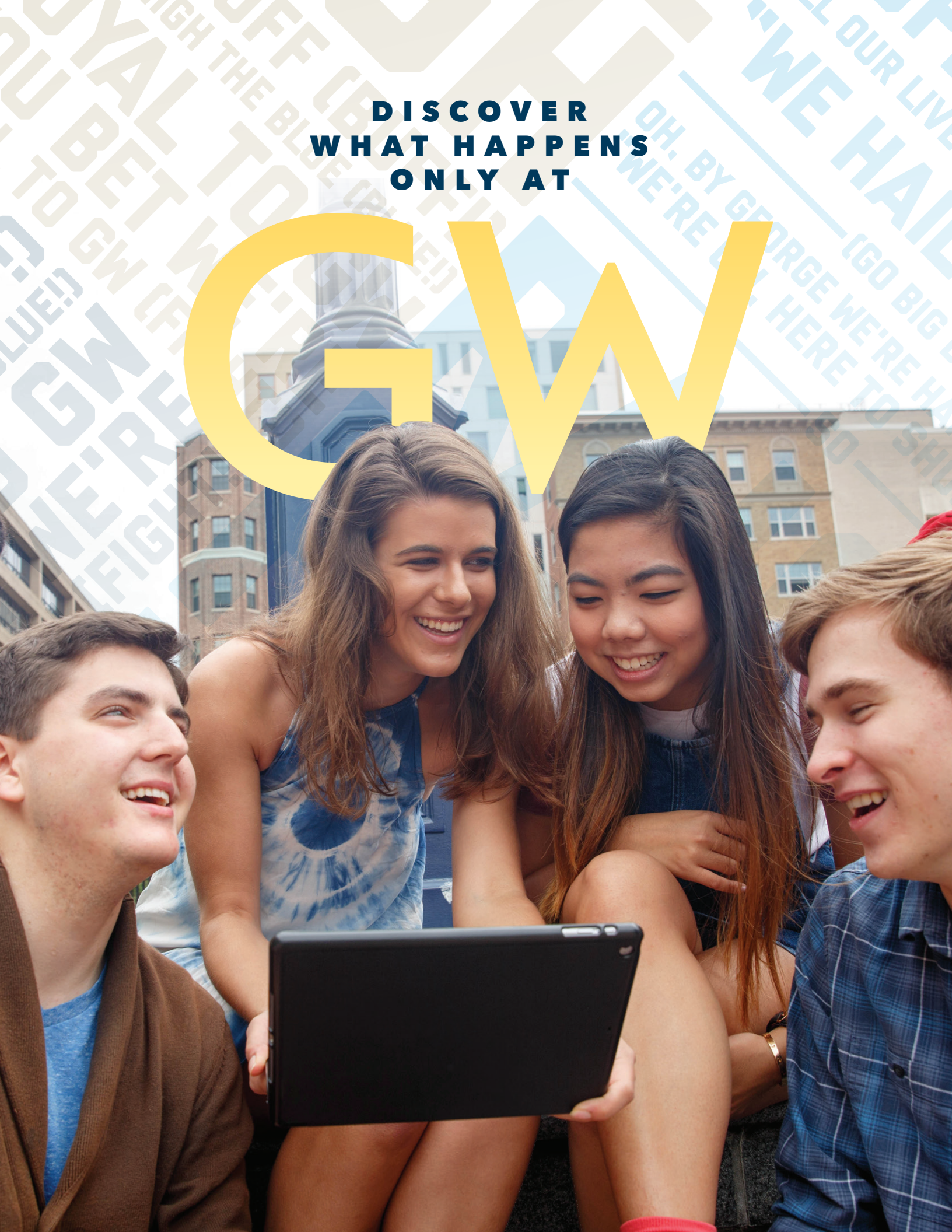


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WHAT HAPPENS  
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**GW**



# WHAT WE MAKE IS HISTORY. SINCE 1821

The George Washington University sits in the heart of the nation's capital, where the worlds of politics, science, business, engineering, media, and the arts converge. Our students have unparalleled opportunities to study and work alongside leaders in every discipline. Our vast network of internships, research, service, partners, and alumni make coming here life—and world-changing. Every day, our students experience moments that happen only at GW.

## Class of 2026



**ADMIT RATE**

**49%**

**APPLICATIONS**

**27,344 applications**

**6-YEAR GRADUATION RATE (2014)**

**85%**

**FIRST-TO-SECOND YEAR RETENTION (FALL 2020)**

**91%**

**3-YEAR AVERAGES FOR ADMITTED STUDENTS**

\*Although GW is a **test-optional** university, average scores are shown below for test submitters.



## Outcomes

Graduating Classes of 2017-2021



- **61%** Employed Globally
- **26%** In Graduate School
- **5%** Other Activity
- **9%** Seeking Employment

Percentages are rounded up to the nearest whole number and may not add up to exactly 100%

[Explore outcomes for your major at go.gwu.edu/outcomes.](https://go.gwu.edu/outcomes)

## Facts

**LOCATION**

**WASHINGTON, D.C.**

**TYPE**

**Mid-Sized, Private, Global Research University**

**FOUNDED**

**1821**

**ENROLLMENT**

**Nearly 11,000 Undergraduate Students**



- **50%** White
- **13%** Hispanic
- **12%** Asian
- **8%** Black
- **5%** Two or more races
- **10%** International
- **2%** Other

**STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

**500+**

**% OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS WHO INTERN**

**71%**

**STUDENT-TO-FACULTY**

**12:1**

**FULL-TIME FACULTY WITH HIGHEST DEGREE IN THEIR FIELD**

**93%**



**OF CLASSES HAVE 30 OR FEWER STUDENTS**

**70%**



**NCAA DIV I ATHLETIC TEAMS**

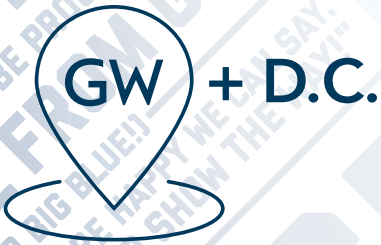
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**STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS IN 50 COUNTRIES**

**300+**





# WITH GREAT PROXIMITY COMES GREAT POSSIBILITY.

## D.C. is home to...



More non-governmental organizations, nonprofits, and think tanks per capita than any other U.S. city

**OVER 800 MILES**

of outdoor trails



**OVER 7,400 ACRES**

of outdoor green spaces

**69 MUSEUMS**

(including 17 Smithsonian Museums)

**DOZENS**

of theaters, clubs, and concert halls within a short distance to campus



professional sports teams



**310,000**

GW alumni







## Two D.C. Campuses

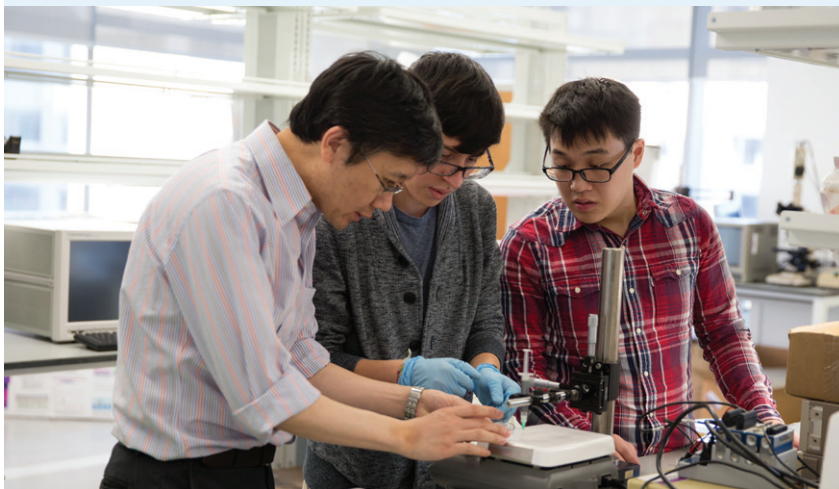
**GW maintains two fully integrated campuses in Washington, D.C. A free shuttle transports students regularly between our Foggy Bottom and Mount Vernon campuses, which are only 3 miles apart.**



Our **Foggy Bottom campus** is 20+ city blocks in the heart of D.C. with residence halls and many academic buildings. Blocks from the White House and the National Mall, you'll find an array of academic, professional, and social opportunities that are unmatched elsewhere.



Our **Mount Vernon campus** is 25 acres in the historic Berkley neighborhood of northwest D.C. With residence halls, classroom space, a library, and athletic fields and facilities, this beautiful campus offers a quieter space for academic exploration.





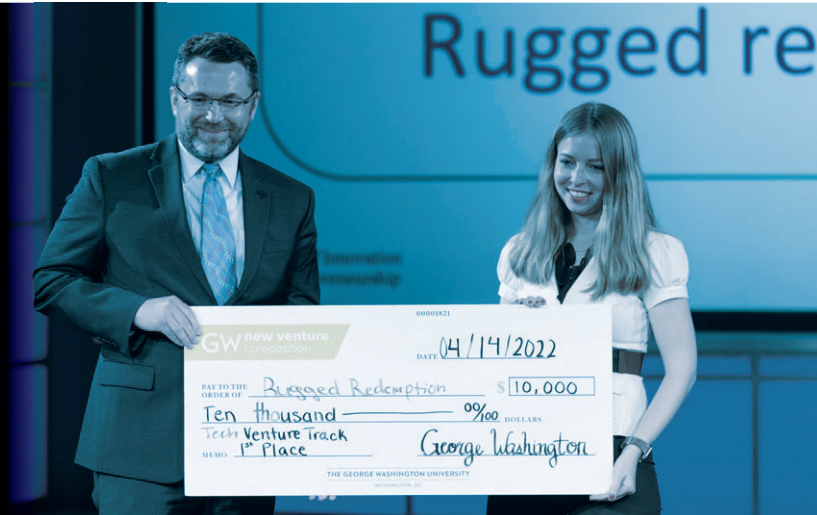
# ANY MOMENT CAN BE MONUMENTAL

## Entrepreneurial Spirit

Students compete to win thousands of dollars in prize money from the New Venture Competition, a nationally recognized pitch competition out of GW's Office of Innovation and Entrepreneurship.

## Learn from Leaders

Secretary of State Antony Blinken took time to speak with GW students after delivering a policy address on campus.



## Medal-Worthy Moments

Olympic bobsled champion Elana Meyers Taylor, B.S. '06, M.T.A. '11, HON '18, shared her stories of adversity, failure and discrimination along her path to becoming the most decorated Black athlete in Winter Olympics history.

## Serving Our Community

GW students used their spring break to complete service projects in Costa Rica, Puerto Rico, and Washington, D.C., a chance to make meaningful change through active citizenship.

## UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

### COLUMBIAN COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

#### MAJORS

Africana Studies	English	Peace Studies
American Studies	English and Creative Writing	Philosophy
Anthropology	Environmental and Sustainability Studies	Philosophy (Public Affairs)
Arabic Studies	Environmental Studies	Physics
Archaeology	French Language and Literature	Political Science
Astronomy and Astrophysics	Geography	Political Science (Public Policy)
Biological Anthropology	Geological Sciences	Psychological and Brain Sciences
Biology	German Language and Literature	Psychology
Biophysics	History	Religion
Chemistry	Human Services and Social Justice	Russian Language and Literature
Chinese Language and Literature	Japanese Language and Literature	Sociology
Classical and Ancient Near Eastern Studies	Judaic Studies	Spanish and Latin American Languages, Literatures, and Cultures
Cognitive Neuroscience	Korean Language and Literature	Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences
Cognitive Science of Language	Mathematics	Statistics
Communication	Neuroscience	Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies
Criminal Justice	Organizational Sciences	
Data Science		
Economics		

### CORCORAN SCHOOL OF THE ARTS AND DESIGN

#### MAJORS

Art History	Graphic Design*	Music
Dance	Interaction Design*	Photojournalism*
Fine Arts*	Interior Architecture	Theatre

\*A portfolio is required when applying to these Bachelor of Fine Arts majors.

### SCHOOL OF MEDIA AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

#### MAJORS

Journalism and Mass Communication	Political Communication
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### SPECIAL PROGRAMS

GW offers many special academic programs, including:

- Cisneros Scholars
- Civic House
- Corcoran Scholars
- Politics & Values
- Seven-Year B.A./M.D.
- University Honors
- Women's Leadership

 Learn more at [go.gwu.edu/specialinterest](https://go.gwu.edu/specialinterest).

### ELLIOTT SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

#### MAJORS

Asian Studies	Latin American and Hemispheric Studies	Middle East Studies
International Affairs		

### MILKEN INSTITUTE SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

#### MAJORS

Exercise Science	Nutrition Science	Public Health
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### SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND APPLIED SCIENCE

#### MAJORS

Applied Science and Technology	Computer Engineering	Mechanical Engineering
Biomedical Engineering	Computer Science	Systems Engineering
Civil Engineering	Electrical Engineering	

### SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

#### MAJORS

Accountancy	Information Systems
Business	International Business
Business Analytics	Marketing
Entrepreneurship and Innovation	
Finance	

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