



ST. JOHN'S
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Every human might have their own definition of what it means to belong. At St. John's, the **Office of Multicultural Affairs (OMA)** and **Inclusivity Resource Center (IRC)** are just a few examples of the resources and departments that our institution is committed to advancing in order to ensure that all students and community members feel a deep sense of belonging. *To belong is to ensure that students and employees feel seen, heard, understood, and valued—inside and outside of the classroom and workplace.*

St. John's OMA offers opportunities for students and employees to feel understood by curating and organizing educational trainings and awareness events. These include student-led social justice training and education opportunities like the Safe Zone LGBTQIA+ Ally Program, the Diversity Peer Education Series, Intergroup Dialogue special topic sessions, and cultural-awareness programs that allow our campus community to immerse in the cultures and traditions of others and those that remind them of home. These include programmatic celebrations of Latinx and Hispanic Heritage, Native and Indigenous Heritage, Black Heritage, LGBTQIA+ Heritage, Women's Heritage, and Asian and Pacific-Islander Heritage. Through our free training and programs, students and employees alike are able to connect, learn, engage, and see the value in St. John's—a place where they belong.



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Community

From the moment you set foot on campus as a first-year student, you become a member of a close-knit, supportive community. In fact, your entire first year at St. John's University is designed with your success in mind. By participating in a wide range of introductory programs, you can be sure that your time at St. John's is off to a bright start. Your first-year experience includes the following:

New Student Orientation is a time when our University family comes together to welcome you to our community. Family Orientation is designed to help your family learn more about our programs and services. It is also a valuable opportunity to meet the academic School/College deans and representatives from University offices.

The **New Student Convocation** is a time-honored tradition that introduces you to the University's learning community. It highlights our strong academic culture and Catholic and Vincentian identity—which have made St. John's a life-changing place for more than 150 years.

E.P.I.C. (Establish Relationships. Promote Possibilities. Impact Direction. Confirm Next Steps.) is a yearlong, peer-to-peer mentoring program sponsored by the Division of Student Success. The goal is to create a community where you learn from the guidance and wisdom of upperclass students.

The **R.I.S.E. Network (Reach, Inspire, Succeed, Empower)** is a multicultural program designed to provide you with individualized mentorship and guidance. With an emphasis on reaching first-year students who may need help adjusting to the academic and social demands of college, the R.I.S.E. Network promotes leadership skills, goal setting, financial literacy, character-building, and career skills. Our approach is student-centered and focuses on the unique needs of each network scholar through peer mentoring.





Center for Student Success

Your dedicated team at the Center for Student Success—a one-stop hub of resources for first-year students—includes your First-Year Academic Adviser, who is focused on ensuring you achieve success at St. John's University both inside and outside of the classroom.

Office of Parent and Family Connections

This office looks to partner with your family to ensure your success. Our communications and events provide families with various opportunities to learn more about St. John's University and to explore how—together—we support every student's success story.

Compass (stjohns.campusesp.com) is our St. John's University Parent and Family portal where families receive the latest St. John's news and updates designed specifically for parents and families. We host a family webinar series every semester where families can learn from various campus partners about the many resources available here such as Career Services, wellness, and academic advising. Each fall, we host Family Weekend, our signature event where families are invited to join us and learn and experience life on our vibrant college campus.

Families are integral members of our University community and our partner in your college experience. The Office of Parent and Family Connections is a resource for families when they feel you need extra support or for when they have a question or concern.

Office of University Mission

This office is dedicated to the examples of St. Vincent de Paul and St. Louise de Marillac, who based their ministry on helping those most in need. At St. John's, our students serve in communities locally, nationally, and globally. Gaining direct, shared experience through helping others, Johnnies are uniquely prepared for lives as ethical leaders in whatever career they choose.

Want to volunteer, experience community living, and share in the journey of faith, reflection, and social justice—all before the semester begins? **The Rendu First-Year Service Experience** might be for you!

The **St. Lazare First-Year Weekend Retreat** offers time away from the hectic pace of college life to connect with other students, relax in a beautiful setting, and grow in your spirituality. Visit **www.stjohns.edu/mission** to learn more.

Academic Exploration

With programs for every path, a St. John's University education gives you limitless opportunities to broaden your mind, discover your passion, and reach new heights.

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Rendering of the St. Vincent Health Sciences Center, scheduled to open in the Fall of 2024.



St. John's University's College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences

Providing world-class academics, St. John's University's College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences is committed to cultivating compassionate, responsible, and highly skilled health professionals. With a student-centric educational approach and state-of-the-art facilities, the College equips you with the skills to serve communities in different health professions as pharmacists, clinical laboratory scientists, and health technologists, just to name a few.



The Lesley H. and William L. Collins College of Professional Studies

The Lesley H. and William L. Collins College of Professional Studies is a launchpad for innovators, entrepreneurs, and explorers—problem solvers who want to improve the world. We prepare you for careers in emerging and specialized professions; when you graduate, you are poised to excel in industries that offer diverse opportunities with a multidisciplinary focus on the digital transformation of the economy and society.



The School of Education

Teaching is more than just a profession—it is a calling. The School of Education's goal is to help develop the next class of motivated students into the next generation of great educators. Education majors at St. John's University have the unique opportunity to start student teaching hours in the very first year. The St. John's University RISE (Residency Internship for St. John's Educators) program—one of the few of its kind—embeds education majors in a public school where they spend an entire year student teaching beginning in the first semester of senior year.

St. John's College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

St. John's College of Liberal Arts and Sciences provides you with a firm foundation in analytics, critical thinking, and problem solving. These translational skills allow you the flexibility for your future career. No matter your major, your horizons are expanded and enriched, enabling you to make a positive contribution to the world.

The Peter J. Tobin College of Business

The Peter J. Tobin College of Business has a state-of-the-art Financial Information Lab with access to Bloomberg systems and real-time stock market information. Additional opportunities include a vast New York City contact network, Executive-in-Residence Program, and \$3.6-million Student-Managed Investment Fund. The Tobin College Dean's Honors Program offers elite students extended academic and networking benefits.



Approximately 25 percent of our undergraduates study abroad, and St. John's repeatedly ranks among the top universities for study abroad participation. St. John's benefits from its own campus in Rome, Italy, and its location in Paris, France, and provides semester-long exchange and short-term program opportunities throughout your academic career—from day one. Our nationally unique Global Passport program is designed specifically for our first-year students, connecting their core requirements in Queens to a one-week academic experience at our campuses abroad.

Visit www.stjohns.edu/studyabroad for general information on our study abroad programming and www.stjohns.edu/passport for more detailed information about the Global Passport program.

Make New York Yours

New York City is a bus or subway ride away from campus; explore the benefits of living in New York. World-class museums, dining, Broadway shows, and Central Park await.

Visit www.iloveny.com/places-to-go/new-york-city/ to learn more.



Innovation

Investing in the Future

The new, state-of-the-art **St. Vincent Health Sciences Center** will support and house existing and forthcoming health sciences programs in one facility. Work commenced in the first quarter of 2022 and the building is slated to be open by Fall 2024.

“ The University’s new St. Vincent Health Sciences Center will enable St. John’s to train the next generation of caregivers at a time of tremendous change and opportunity in health care. ”

—Rev. Brian J. Shanley, O.P.,
President



Rendering of St. Vincent Health Sciences Center

Homeland Security/Emergency Management Simulation Lab

This lab creates, simulates, and escalates a variety of large-scale incidents, either natural or manmade, including floods, landslides and mudslides, terrorist attacks, structural collapse, weapon of mass destruction and nuclear strikes, wildfires, civil disorder, hazardous material and biological releases, and severe weather conditions, such as hurricanes or tornadoes—all in a realistic, physics-based environment.

Cybersecurity Lab

Our cybersecurity Lab provides you with the opportunity to learn, apply, and practice cyber security by working with software and employing techniques for intrusion detection, vulnerability mitigation, network perimeter defense, incident response, network forensics investigation, and malware analysis.



Anatomege Tables

Students in the College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences gain a deeper understanding of human anatomy through Anatomage virtual dissection tables—the most technologically advanced virtual dissection table for anatomy education. Through virtual reality, you examine and tour the human body.

The Lesley and William Collins Business Analytics Lab

boasts state-of-the-art learning tools, including 40 computer workstations. Every computer is equipped with the latest FactSet financial workstation software and 17 computers are also Bloomberg terminals. These state-of-the-art software tools and databases provide access to financial markets information, financial statement data, news, and worldwide economics indicators to enrich every student's understanding of the business world. Classes can monitor and discuss the latest financial news and information with DirecTV channels including Bloomberg, CNBC, Fox Business News, and the other cable news channels.



The Venture & Innovation Center

The center aims to foster a culture of collaboration and entrepreneurship and provide significant support to new ideas and businesses. It offers a range of services and programs, such as advisory support, mentoring, and program support.

Center for Integrated Advertising Communications

The Drs. E. Lawrence and Adele V. Deckinger Center for Integrated Advertising Communications, a specialized learning space modeled after a typical advertising agency, gives you a preview of careers in the field and invaluable experiential learning opportunities. It features a touch-down computer center with state-of-the-art Mac stations, Cintiq drawing monitors, format printers, writable walls, and multiple video display screens.



Media Arts and Design Lab

The Media Arts and Design Lab, known as the MAD Lab, is a destination for students choosing to study advertising, animation, digital media, graphic design, illustration, mass communication, photography, public relations, and television and film. The lab includes professional-level Mac Pro workstations with Cintiq tablets—which are used in 3D modeling, illustration, and retouching photographs. In the adjacent Technology Commons, students studying 3D modeling have their design prototypes 3D printed.



Networking

St. John's University Career Services prepares and empowers all students for their career journey, creating connections with employers and alumni, and inspiring lifelong learning and meaningful, professional success. Through a wide variety of industry events, educational programs, individualized advising, and 24/7 digital resources, you develop your career readiness skills while building a robust professional network.

We encourage you to partner with Career Services early and often through participation in programming, extensive online/on demand resources, and 1:1 meetings with a Career Peer or Adviser, helping you to consider career pathways and navigate the transition from college to career.

Career Treks

University Career Services regularly leverages our proximity to New York City by offering you opportunities to participate in corporate office visits at some of the largest and most well-known organizations in the world. With behind-the-scenes tours and professional networking with industry leaders, you gain insight into career pathways, internships, and full-time jobs. Career Treks are led by University Career Services professionals in collaboration with employer and alumni partners, maximizing St. John's unique position as a leader in producing top talent.

On-Campus Events

On-campus opportunities for you to engage with industry professionals are abundant at St. John's University. From large-scale Career & Internship Expos each semester, to industry-focused networking events, alumni insider panels, and employer-led professional development workshops, you can explore your interests and engage with industry experts to expand your horizons and develop an individualized career pathway.

Alumni Insider's View...

Alumni Insider's View... is a series of excursions that offer you a behind-the-scenes look at alumni successfully engaged in careers in Albany, Wall Street, and Washington, DC.

- **Wall Street:** You visit major financial institutions such as Standard & Poor's, Bank of America, and the New York Stock Exchange, envisioning a career in the financial capital of the world.
- **Washington, DC:** This multi-day journey allows you to meet St. John's alumni who are among the nation's most important legislators, lobbyists, and business executives, and experience life and work in our nation's capital.
- **Albany, NY:** You travel to Albany to engage in the inner workings of state government and learn about New York's political processes from alumni in the field.

Aspire Mentor Program

Aspire is an alumni mentoring program designed for juniors and seniors embarking on their professional journey. The University's networking and mentoring programs support students and alumni as they share knowledge and experience, expand professional networks, and build mutually rewarding relationships.

Experiential Learning

Explore... Test... Repeat!

Opportunities for experiences outside the classroom abound regardless of your major or interest area. They are pivotal to your success as they provide tangible ways for you to gain valuable experience and make connections in professional fields you are exploring. Employers utilize these opportunities to guide and evaluate prospective talent and create vital recruitment pipelines.



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Leadership

Developing leadership skills and participating in community service are essential components to the educational experience and lead to greater personal enrichment and academic success.

Leadership Development supplements St. John's University's mission by providing programs, services, and mentorship opportunities that assist and enhance personal growth, decision making, civic responsibility, and leadership advancement and training.

The **Emerging Leadership Program** gives first- and second-year undergraduate students at St. John's the opportunity to learn about campus life and begin developing their leadership skills.

Students participate in five weekly events, and upon completion, are invited to join the St. John's **Leadership Development Program (LDP)**. The LDP is designed to help undergraduate students advance their leadership skills. You gain an understanding of the fundamentals of leadership, apply what you have learned, and receive written recognition from Career Services upon program completion.

The **Professional Development Leadership Program** offers undergraduate students in their final year a foundation for personal and professional success as they prepare for graduation and beyond.

Visit www.stjohns.edu/life-st-johns/career-development/leadership-development to learn more.



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