THE PATH TO AU2025
BY THE NUMBERS
YEAR 3

CHANGE CAN’T WAIT
THE CAMPAIGN FOR AMERICAN UNIVERSITY

$300M threshold toward $500 million goal

92
Peace Corps Paul D. Coverdell Fellows
AU ranked #1
AY2020–2021

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#7 Study Abroad
#39 First-Year Experience
#42 Undergraduate Teaching

800 faculty members have been certified through the Green Teaching Program

6 new sophomore living-learning communities and 1st Black Affinity Residential Community at AU

RESEARCH
45% YOY increase in externally funded grants and contracts
FY2021

ADDRESSING FOOD WASTE
Record
$15M grant from National Science Foundation

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY DISTRICT SCHOLARS
$3M dedicated to full scholarships for high-achieving, low-income DC public or charter school graduates

$1.2M in additional financial aid for summer courses

4,635 students designated chosen names, pronouns, or gender identity

CONTRIBUTING TO INCLUSIVE EXCELLENCE

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WASHINGTON, DC

A SEVEN-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN
FOR AMERICAN UNIVERSITY