

## AU FAST FACTS

# AMERICAN UNIVERSITY WASHINGTON, DC

## FALL 2020 ADMITTED STUDENT STATISTICS

### ADMITTED STUDENT PROFILE (MIDDLE 50%)

**3.60 - 4.14** SCHOOL  
REPORTED GPA

**1270 - 1430** SAT  
SCORES

**29 - 33** ACT  
SCORES

### APPLICATION STATS

**APPLICATIONS: 20,000+**

**FALL 2020 CLASS: 1,760**

**REGULAR DECISION  
ACCEPTANCE RATE : 38%**

**EARLY DECISION  
ACCEPTANCE RATE : 86%**

### ADMISSIONS AND FINANCIAL AID DEADLINES

	<u>ADMISSIONS</u>	<u>CSS PROFILE</u>	<u>FAFSA</u>
<b>EARLY DECISION</b>	November 15	November 15	November 15
<b>EARLY DECISION II</b>	January 15	January 15	January 15
<b>REGULAR DECISION</b>	January 15	January 15	January 15

### ADMISSIONS APPLICATION CHECKLIST\*

- Application and \$75 nonrefundable fee (or fee waiver)
- Secondary School Report
- High School Transcript(s)
- SAT and/or ACT Scores (if not applying Test Optional)
- High School Counselor Recommendation Letter
- Teacher Recommendation Letter
- AU Supplement

### FINANCIAL AID CHECKLIST\*

- FAFSA
- CSS Profile

*\*All applicants receive consideration for merit awards.*

### SPECIAL ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

#### AU HONORS

Frederick Douglass Distinguished Scholars

#### COMMUNITY-BASED RESEARCH SCHOLARS

Sakura Scholars

### THREE-YEAR SCHOLARS PROGRAMS

#### GLOBAL SCHOLARS

Public Health Scholars

#### POLITICS, POLICY, & LAW SCHOLARS

*These programs all require a separate application in addition to the admissions application.*

**PRIORITY DEADLINE: DEC 15**

# LIFE AT AU

## ENROLLMENT

8,527

*Undergraduates*

5,791

*Graduate & Law*

TOTAL: 14,318

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AVERAGE  
UNDERGRADUATE  
CLASS SIZE

11:1

STUDENT TO  
FACULTY  
RATIO

32%

STUDENTS OF  
COLOR



COUNTRIES REPRESENTED: 123  
STATES REPRESENTED: 50  
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS: 8.5%

94%

OF FACULTY HAVE THE  
HIGHEST DEGREE IN  
THEIR FIELD

## MOST POPULAR MAJORS

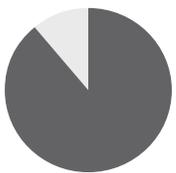
International Studies  
Political Science  
Business Administration  
Communications, Legal Institutions,  
Economics, and Government  
Public Relations & Strategic Communication

NEW!

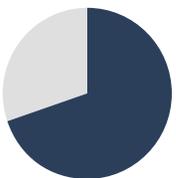
## MAJORS

Data Sciences for Political Science  
Data Sciences for Justice, Law, & Criminology  
Photography

## Experiential Learning



AU students get hands-on experience with **90% INTERNING** at least once before graduation and **70% STUDYING ABROAD**.



Our AU Abroad program offers:

- **150+** programs
- in **50+** locations
- across **6** continents

## Campus Life

### 12 RESIDENCE HALLS ON CAMPUS

Students are guaranteed housing for their first two years.

### 15 NCAA DIVISION I ATHLETIC TEAMS IN THE PATRIOT LEAGUE

Plus EIWA Men's Wrestling and 45 club/intramural sports

### 24+ FAITH GROUPS ON CAMPUS

### STUDENT TRADITIONS

Freshman Service Experience, Welcome Week, trick-or-treating at the nearby embassies, Founders Day Ball, Wonk of the Year; Election Watching Parties, Inauguration

### 150 CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS

22% of students participate in Greek life