



JOHNSON & WALES  
UNIVERSITY

# EDUCATOR'S GUIDE

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POWERED  
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**PURPOSE**



**“TO LEARN, DO” MIGHT AS WELL BE JWU’S MOTTO.** Our action-focused education allowed 120,000+ alumni to practice — and perfect — their passions.

What started as a small business school founded by two remarkable women in 1914 is now a comprehensive university.

While many know Johnson & Wales University’s worldwide reputation for culinary excellence, the university offers 100+ undergraduate and graduate programs. Students learn in small classroom settings — no lecture halls — and get individual attention from faculty who have years of industry experience. We excel in teaching communications, health, STEM, sustainability and pre-professional studies. We also have a knack for helping students discover their interests through undecided tracks.

In short, JWU is laser-focused on student success. We’ve developed interdisciplinary programs targeted to relevant industry demands. Our goal: to prepare every student for the global workforce. Whether at the Providence, R.I. or Charlotte, N.C. campus, students find supportive faculty and classmates.

Imagine what your students could do at JWU!



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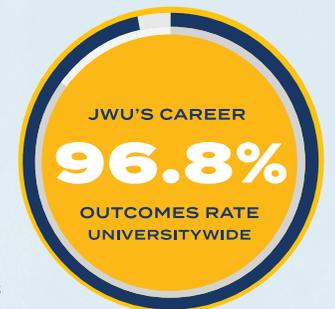


**CAREER OUTCOMES RATE\***

JWU’s Career Outcomes Rate is 96.8%, historically higher than the national average. Why is JWU’s Career Outcomes Rate so high?

- Our education is career-focused and student-centered. We have programs that prepare students for the career they want.
- We value internships. Despite the pandemic, 1,559 students gained industry experience related to their major at 1,006 sites across 44 states and 20 countries in 2020–21. Approximately 72% of all paid interns received a job offer upon completion of the experience.
- Students have access to thousands of jobs and internships through HireJWU, our online job search tool.

\*For an explanation of this rate and for more information, visit [jwu.edu/career-outcomes](http://jwu.edu/career-outcomes).



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## HELP YOUR STUDENTS BE UNSTOPPABLE

Education is not confined to the four walls of the classroom. And earning a degree in less time is possible.

Here, students are not going to spend their entire education learning theories that they may not apply — they're going to put lessons into action immediately through internships, group projects, leadership opportunities and competitions. From their first day, they'll be immersed in a professionally focused curriculum, learning by doing.

In addition, through JWU's Early Enrollment Program and the Accelerated Master's Programs, your student can earn a degree in less time, bringing their future even closer.



### EARLY ENROLLMENT PROGRAM

High school juniors can get started early at Johnson & Wales through the Early Enrollment Program (EEP). This program allows students to apply for early enrollment at JWU during their junior year of high school. Then, at the beginning of their senior year, they'll start attending classes at JWU, earning credits for high school and college courses while still participating in their school activities.

**Benefits:**

- Graduate one full year earlier.
- Get started on finding a career path sooner.
- Save on tuition. Pay half the regular tuition the first year at JWU.

**To be eligible a student must:**

- Be a high school junior to apply.
- Have a minimum 2.75 GPA (B-) and a B- in English.
- Have a minimal number of high school classes left to complete to meet graduation requirements.

For more information, visit [jwu.edu/eep](http://jwu.edu/eep).



## CREATING A LIFE THEY'LL LOVE, ONE EXPERIENCE AT A TIME

At JWU, opportunity becomes both a job and a passion for our students — one of many building blocks for a life they'll love.

We've spent years working to enrich the student learning experience by turning classroom theory into real-world practice. Whether students want to jump right into working for a company or sample different industries to see what fits, we've got them covered — and we're getting them to work.



### INTERNSHIPS

Internships are a core part of our academic programs. We don't just treat them as an elective or a way to spend the summer. Internships are just as important as any class, with full academic credit and the opportunity to learn valuable lessons, the kind students can only get through first-hand experience.

As Wildcats, students have access to award-winning career services staff, who are dedicated to helping them put their major into practice. In addition to career-building resources, students can take advantage of amazing university industry partnerships with companies like Marriott, Hilton, Hasbro, Walt Disney World, CVS Health, Kohl's, TD Garden, the U.S. Department of Defense and more.

### STUDY ABROAD

No matter what major students choose to study, they have the ability to take it to the next level. Sometimes that level is halfway around the globe, and all they need to do is get there with the help of our study abroad programs. With programs in locations from Athens to Zanzibar in areas like community engagement and software engineering, the JWU Global experience means students are sure to find something that makes them dig a little deeper, think a little broader and venture a little outside their comfort zone. Beyond that, they'll gain skills that employers value, like flexibility and intercultural competence, and make professional connections that could last a lifetime.

# STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

Johnson & Wales offers a supportive, caring environment where faculty and staff work together to help students adapt to college and succeed academically, personally and professionally. Student support services include:

- **Accessibility Services:** JWU provides reasonable accommodations to give students with learning disabilities, physical challenges and chronic medical conditions the opportunity to succeed. Services and assistance for accessibility, academic, classroom and housing accommodations, among others, are available.
- **Academic Support Services:** The university also offers a variety of services including peer and professional tutoring, online tutoring, writing labs and study skills workshops for topics such as time management, memory and test-taking tips and stress management.
- **Student Financial Services:** To assist with the financial aid process and selection of a payment option, JWU provides each student with a financial planning representative. Throughout the process, they provide in-person loan counseling, education and strategies to make attending JWU financially possible for them and their families.
- **Counseling, Health & Wellness:** Inclusive, confidential professional services are offered to provide support for students to manage their emotional and physical well-being through health services, counseling services and health education.
- **Gender Equity Centers:** Students will find a welcoming space for support, education and confidentiality around topics including sexual orientation, gender identity, violence prevention and more.

**“We’re catering to more diverse learners, and our students are flourishing academically and socially. They feel so empowered and confident.”**

— *Joseph Barresi Jr., Ph.D., LICSW, LCDP*  
*Associate Dean of Counseling, Health & Wellness*



# AFFORDABILITY AND VALUE

**We’re committed to making a quality education as accessible and affordable as possible. We know that college is an investment, and like any good investment, it should pay off in dividends.**

When calculating costs, discounts and other factors, the value and benefits of a JWU education make it competitive with other private and many public universities. Here’s why:

- Approximately 97% of all JWU on-campus undergraduate students receive institutional scholarships and/or grants.
- We offer numerous academic, membership and curriculum-based scholarships.
- Compared to a public university, there is a greater likelihood of graduation in four years, which reduces costs.



[jwu.edu/scholarships](https://jwu.edu/scholarships)





## NATIONAL STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS (NSO)

Johnson & Wales has a rich history of supporting career and technical organizations and developing strong relationships with high school advisors. In fact, we've been doing it for more than 40 years. Our JWU representatives actively participate in state, regional and national conferences and mentor students as they navigate the transition to college.

JWU awarded more than 1,164 renewable National Student Organizations (NSO) scholarships totaling more than \$11.3 million over four years. Over 20% of all JWU students participated in one of these organizations while they were in high school and chose to continue as members of NSO at JWU. This community provides a strong network to assist students with their personal and professional growth.

### JWU NSO ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDE:

- Business Professionals of America (BPA)
- DECA/Collegiate DECA
- Family Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA)
- HOSA - Future Health Professionals
- Junior Achievement (JA)
- National FFA (FFA)
- Future Business Leaders of America/Phi Beta Lambda
- SkillsUSA
- Technology Student Association (TSA)

For more info on NSO scholarships, contact [jwunso@admissions.jwu.edu](mailto:jwunso@admissions.jwu.edu).

### JWU'S COLLEGIATE DECA ALL-STARS

The following Johnson & Wales students were recognized in the awards ceremonies during the 2022 Collegiate DECA International Career Development Conference:

- Colin DeVico placed in the top 10 overall in the Hotel & Lodging Management category.
- Ashraf Soltani, top test score and top role play in the Entrepreneurship Operations preliminary round; advanced to finals.
- Cassandra Ponce, top role play in the Marketing Management preliminary round; advanced to finals.
- Sheniah Brague, top test score in the Restaurant & Food Service Management category.

JWU was also recognized as the top Collegiate DECA chapter (based on membership).

On top of those accolades, Davis Jean-Noel, a senior Marketing major from New Jersey, served as a 2021-2022 Collegiate DECA vice president.

# UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

● Providence ● Charlotte

## MAJORS

Accounting . . . . .	●	Management . . . . .	●
Accounting – Corporate Accounting and Financial Analysis . . . . .	●	Marketing . . . . .	● ●
Adventure, Sport and Sustainable Tourism Management . . . . .	●	Media & Communication Studies . . . . .	● ●
Advertising & Marketing Communications . . . . .	●	Operations and Supply Chain Management . . . . .	●
Applied Food Science . . . . .	●	Political Science . . . . .	●
Baking & Pastry Arts . . . . .	● ●	Product Design . . . . .	●
Baking & Pastry Arts and Food & Beverage Industry Management . . . . .	● ●	Psychology . . . . .	● ●
Beverage Sales & Marketing Management . . . . .	●	Public Health . . . . .	● ●
Biology . . . . .	●	Robotics Engineering . . . . .	●
Biomedical Engineering . . . . .	●	Sports, Entertainment, Event — Management . . . . .	● ●
Business Administration . . . . .	● ●	Sustainable Food Systems (baking path) . . . . .	● ●
Business Studies . . . . .	● ●	Sustainable Food Systems (culinary path) . . . . .	● ●
Cannabis Entrepreneurship . . . . .	●	Tourism & Hospitality Management . . . . .	●
Computer Engineering . . . . .	●	Undeclared: Business Explorations . . . . .	●
Computer Science . . . . .	●	Undeclared: University Explorations . . . . .	●
Criminal Justice . . . . .	●		
Culinary Arts . . . . .	● ●		
Culinary Arts and Food & Beverage Industry Management . . . . .	● ●		
Culinary Nutrition (baking path) . . . . .	● ●		
Culinary Nutrition (culinary path) . . . . .	● ●		
Culinary Science & Product Development (baking path) . . . . .	●		
Culinary Science & Product Development (culinary path) . . . . .	●		
Cyber Threat Intelligence & Defense . . . . .	●		
Data Analytics . . . . .	●		
Dietetics and Applied Nutrition . . . . .	●		
Digital Marketing & Social Media . . . . .	●		
Electronics Engineering . . . . .	●		
English as a Second Language (ESL) . . . . .	●		
Entrepreneurship . . . . .	● ●		
Equine Business Management/Non-Riding . . . . .	●		
Equine Business Management/Riding . . . . .	●		
Equine Science . . . . .	●		
Exercise and Sports Science . . . . .	●		
Fashion Merchandising & Retailing . . . . .	● ●		
Finance . . . . .	●		
Food & Beverage Entrepreneurship (baking path) . . . . .	● ●		
Food & Beverage Entrepreneurship (culinary path) . . . . .	● ●		
Food & Beverage Industry Management . . . . .	● ●		
Graphic Design . . . . .	●		
Health Science . . . . .	● ●		
Healthcare Administration . . . . .	●		
Hospitality Management . . . . .	● ●		
Hotel & Resort Management . . . . .	● ●		
Human Resource Management . . . . .	●		
Interdisciplinary Studies: Design Your Own Major . . . . .	●		
International Business . . . . .	●		
Liberal Studies . . . . .	● ●		

## MINORS

Accounting . . . . .	●
Adventure, Sports and Sustainable Tourism . . . . .	●
Advertising . . . . .	●
Beverage Service Management . . . . .	● ●
Chemistry . . . . .	●
Community Justice . . . . .	●
Craft Brewing . . . . .	● ●
Criminal Justice . . . . .	●
Culinary Sustainability . . . . .	● ●
Economics . . . . .	● ●
Environmental Sustainability . . . . .	●
Finance . . . . .	● ●
Food & Beverage Management . . . . .	●
Food Studies . . . . .	● ●
Gender Studies . . . . .	● ●
Global Studies . . . . .	●
Human Resource Management . . . . .	●
Leadership Studies . . . . .	●
Marketing . . . . .	●
Mathematics . . . . .	●
Media & Communication Studies . . . . .	● ●
Nutrition . . . . .	● ●
Political Science . . . . .	●
Professional Communication . . . . .	●
Psychology . . . . .	● ●
Public Health . . . . .	● ●
Race & Ethnicity Studies . . . . .	●
Sommelier Management . . . . .	● ●



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## DEAR EDUCATORS,

I'm Tom Gauthier, Director of Educational Partnerships at Johnson & Wales University.

At JWU, we know that your direction is crucial. We can assist you in guiding students to success by offering you:

- Traditional and online graduate degree programs.
- Conferences, workshops and educator programs.
- Faculty experts and local admissions representatives who can help you with your work in the classroom.

If you know a student who is a great fit for JWU, refer them using our Educator Referral Form (scan the QR code or visit the link below to find it on our site). You can help qualify your students for grants, making attending JWU more affordable for them.

I look forward to getting to know you, and I welcome you to reach out!

Sincerely,

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For educator details, visit  
[jwu.edu/educators](https://www.jwu.edu/educators)



## APPLYING TO JWU

If you have a student who is ready to learn more about JWU, we encourage you to help them take the next step and apply. There is no fee for applying to JWU. Acceptance to the university is valid at either campus.

### EARLY ACTION INFORMATION

First-year applicants for fall semester can apply Early Action Admission (EA), a non-binding application for students who view JWU as one of their top schools. EA applicants will learn of their admissions decision sooner. Along with a decision letter, the applicant will receive scholarship notification (if applicable). **The EA application deadline is November 1.**

EA decisions will be released mid-November. Application and transcripts must be received by the deadline. Candidates for EA will be evaluated primarily on their high school record through their junior year. Students who apply but do not meet the deadline will be placed in the regular admission applicant pool. **For all other application deadlines and admissions requirements, please visit [jwu.edu](https://www.jwu.edu).**

### ROLLING ADMISSIONS

Applicants should follow these steps:

1. Apply online at [apply.jwu.edu](https://apply.jwu.edu) or the Common App. They can also scan the QR code below or download a print application online.
2. Submit high school transcripts to Admissions at the JWU campus where they plan to enroll.
3. Check their application status online at [jwu.edu/admissionsportal](https://www.jwu.edu/admissionsportal).

*Johnson & Wales is a  
test-optional institution.*



[apply.jwu.edu](https://apply.jwu.edu)



The facts presented here reflect the university environment prior to the COVID pandemic, during which time changes have been made to adapt to prevailing conditions and protect the health and safety of the university community. The university reserves the right to make changes to any of its facilities, offerings and services as it deems appropriate.

All statistics are the most current as of May 2022. For the latest statistics and information, visit [jwu.edu/about-jwu](https://www.jwu.edu/about-jwu).

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Nondiscrimination Coordinator, 8 Abbott Park Place, Providence, RI 02903, 401-598-2703, [titleix@jwu.edu](mailto:titleix@jwu.edu), or the Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Washington, DC, 20202-1100, 800-421-3481.

# GET TO KNOW JWU



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