

ADVANCING DISCOVERIES + INNOVATION

Emory is where groundbreaking ideas take hold. We prepare our students to be **CRITICAL THINKERS** and **THOUGHTFUL LEADERS** dedicated to exploration and self-discovery, to work for the public good, and to appreciate both the diversity and commonalities found in humankind.

MAJOR OPPORTUNITIES

WE CREATE INNOVATIVE AND INTERDISCIPLINARY MAJORS THAT ALLOW STUDENTS TO PURSUE KNOWLEDGE AND EXAMINE THE WORLD AROUND THEM FROM NEW PERSPECTIVES.

- ▶ **CREATIVE WRITING:** students hone their craft at the place *USA Today* designated the “**best American college for budding writers.**”
- ▶ **CHEMISTRY:** an **inventive, redesigned curriculum**, where students get a big-picture understanding of the “central science” and learn how its parts form a cohesive whole.
- ▶ **FILM AND MEDIA STUDIES:** close mentoring and an **individually tailored** course of study **in the art and practice of filmmaking** and access to Georgia’s booming film industry.
- ▶ **HUMAN HEALTH:** brings together diverse, far-reaching disciplines and resources to better understand the **health challenges facing individuals and populations.**
- ▶ **QUANTITATIVE SCIENCES:** a pathbreaking interdisciplinary major grounded in data science and now a **model for other colleges and universities nationwide.**

It’s a beautiful space to visit and study in, but the

Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library

also hosts class sessions where students can use primary source materials in their instruction.

COX HALL’S TECHLAB

is a maker space and **EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES VENUE** where students are encouraged to stop by and experiment with tools and equipment including 3-D printers and scanners as well as **VIRTUAL REALITY RESOURCES AND TRADITIONAL HARDWARE DEVICES AND TOOLS.**

WITH 330+ ARTS AT EMORY EVENTS

ON BOTH CAMPUSES, students experience visiting artists, engage in performance, and ponder the role of the arts in a full and meaningful life.

LIVING AND LEARNING

Emory College has many themed residential communities including two focused on social innovation. In Raoul Hall, students come together to identify and creatively solve systemic social problems. Their second-year classmates in Woodruff Residential Center serve as mentors and partners, collaborating with Raoul residents in a series of design-thinking workshops led by the faculty member in residence.



A COLLABORATIVE AND DIVERSE

COMMUNITY

Our community is a vibrant exchange of ideas propelling our students forward to make a positive and powerful impact on the world.

LEARNING THAT CHANGES THE WORLD

Guided by evidence, committed to critical inquiry, and fueled by a creative spirit, our students use what they learn at Emory to make an impact.

WHAT ARE EMORY STUDENTS LIKE?

Our students are diverse, intellectually curious servant leaders who care about their community, locally and globally. They are interested in having hard conversations to collaborate with and learn from others, as they prepare to work in an ever-changing world.

DIVERSE

WE ARE A LEADER IN DIVERSITY
Whether by race, faith, socioeconomic, geography, or worldview, our campus community is a diverse one. This diversity of thought enhances our learning, and it prepares our students for life in an evolving world.

40+
unique languages are spoken by our first-year class

ATLANTA CAMPUS UNDERGRADUATES
85 NATIONS,
17% international

50 STATES
+ PUERTO RICO & WASHINGTON, D.C.

APPROXIMATELY
30
recognized faith organizations on campus

A national leader AMONG THE NATION'S TOP UNIVERSITIES FOR THE ECONOMIC DIVERSITY OF OUR STUDENTS

MORE THAN
80%
OF STUDENTS participate in volunteering

445+ clubs and organizations

COLLABORATIVE

WE WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE AN IMPACT

At Emory, academics are rigorous, but the spirit of collaboration and support among students and faculty is palpable, something that really does set us apart from our peers.

This collaborative spirit makes our community vibrant and connected, and inspires our students to make the world a better place.

TAKING THE LEAD

These are just a few organizations at Emory University where faculty and other global experts examine the questions of our day and offer programming for students to make change in the world.

- ▶ The Institute for the Liberal Arts
- ▶ Center for Creativity & Arts
- ▶ Neuroscience and Behavioral Biology
- ▶ The Center for Ethics
- ▶ The Center for the Study of Human Health
- ▶ The Institute for Quantitative Theory and Methods
- ▶ The James Weldon Johnson Institute for the Study of Race and Difference
- ▶ The Bill and Carol Fox Center for Humanistic Inquiry
- ▶ The Emory Center for Mind, Brain, and Culture



GAME-CHANGING PROFESSORS + RESEARCHERS

Emory faculty are **ACCOMPLISHED SCHOLARS, COMMITTED TEACHERS,** and **INSPIRING MENTORS.** Their research spans the humanities, arts, and sciences and focuses on transformative ideas and developments that impact the world in myriad ways.

GROUNDBREAKING RESEARCH

- ▶ Through DNA analysis, **Emory anthropology faculty** and colleagues at other universities have studied the origins of the earliest humans on multiple continents. Their findings **challenge conventional wisdom as to how human populations evolved.**
- ▶ **Psychology faculty** are using **machine learning**—computer algorithms and statistical models—to **discover clues in people's language that may predict an eventual psychosis.** This method can predict with 93% accuracy whether an at-risk person will later develop a mental illness as opposed to current methods, which are accurate 80% of the time.
- ▶ Current **Emory faculty and international scholars**—many with Emory ties—**have collaborated on updating and expanding Slave Voyages,** a comprehensive database of the transatlantic slave trade created at Emory that serves as a resource for researchers, professional and amateur genealogists, museums and historical organizations, and others.
- ▶ **School of Nursing faculty** are undertaking a longitudinal **study of how patients with chronic myeloid leukemia take certain daily oral chemotherapy medications** that double survivor rates but have unpleasant side effects and a high cost.
- ▶ Emory **biomedical faculty** are working with a team of multi-institutional researchers to **investigate new technologies** to improve the effectiveness of blood transfusions **in patients with sickle cell disease,** a life-threatening genetic disorder in which the body's red blood cells become misshapen and die prematurely.

Emory faculty advise first-year students on course selection and acclimating to college-level academics,

helping them to chart their undergraduate path until declaring a major, typically at the end of their sophomore year. As major advisers, faculty guide and mentor students in their upper-level coursework and through graduate school and job applications.

From 2015–2018 Emory faculty authored, co-authored, or edited **470 BOOKS AND VOLUMES.**

Emory College has about **5,685** undergraduate students and about **600** full-time faculty members—a **9:1 student-faculty** ratio.

EMORY FACULTY ARE HIGHLY CREDENTIALLED

94% HOLD THE HIGHEST DEGREE IN THEIR FIELD

THE FACULTY IN RESIDENCE (FIR) PROGRAM places live-in professors in residence halls. The professors lead formal and informal programming such as group activities, dinners, invited speakers, and field trips. Research shows that regular student-faculty engagement like FIR supports student satisfaction and learning outcomes.



INVOLVED IN AND ENRICHED BY ATLANTA

Our progressive, global hometown is known for its open-minded and friendly residents. Students learn from our city and add to its impact.



48%
OF ATLANTA
is covered by trees

ATLANTA FUN FACTS

- ▶ Many popular music venues including quiet listening rooms, arenas, and festivals
- ▶ Vibrant arts culture including the High Museum, Atlanta Symphony, Alliance Theatre
- ▶ Pro sports including the champion Atlanta United soccer team
- ▶ The BeltLine, a 22-mile pedestrian path linking neighborhoods and lined with public art, restaurants, and cafes
- ▶ Piedmont Park, a 189-acre green space in Midtown Atlanta, regular host of music and arts festivals

ATLANTA GAINS STRENGTH FROM OUR STUDENTS

- ▶ **VOLUNTEER EMORY**
Through Volunteer Emory, one of the largest student organizations on campus, students engage in weekly service trips, alternative breaks, and social justice dialogs in Atlanta.
- ▶ **URBAN DEBATE LEAGUE**
The Barkley Forum, Emory's renowned and championship debate team, pioneered the growth of Urban Debate Leagues, where student members share the value of debate education with children from diverse communities.
- ▶ **SEED**
SEED, or Student Educational Experience Development, raises awareness of higher education for under-resourced K-12 students. Participating Emory students invite area schoolchildren to experience A Day in the Life of a College Student.

#1
for availability of internships (tie) (WalletHub)

#1 CITY
for start-ups outside of New York and San Francisco (FitSmallBusiness.com)

GLOBAL HEALTH CAPITAL OF THE WORLD with the CDC, the American Cancer Society, and CARE; and thriving health IT and biosciences industries

HOME TO inclusion & diversity

with the Center for Civil and Human Rights, the Martin Luther King Jr. Center for Nonviolent Social Change, and the Carter Center

Home to media giants TURNER BROADCASTING, COX COMMUNICATIONS, AND CNN

26 FORTUNE 500/1000
HAVE HEADQUARTERS IN ATLANTA

OUR STUDENTS IN ATLANTA

AS THE BUSINESS, TECHNOLOGY, ENTERTAINMENT, AND HEALTH CARE CENTER OF THE SOUTHEAST, ATLANTA PROVIDES A STEADY SOURCE OF EXPERIENCE AND KNOWLEDGE.

- ▶ **2,000+ internships at hundreds of businesses, start-ups, nonprofits**
 - The Carter Center
 - Deloitte
 - Children's Healthcare of Atlanta
 - CNN
 - Delta Air Lines
 - Atlanta History Center
- ▶ **Research opportunities in a range of settings**
 - The CDC
 - Winship Cancer Institute
 - Yerkes National Primate Research Center
 - High Museum of Art
- ▶ **More than 80% of students volunteer in Atlanta**
 - Literacy Action
 - Medshare
 - Park Pride
 - International Rescue Committee Atlanta
 - Gaia Gardens
 - Our House
 - Latin American Association

