



### *Your Voice Matters*

Women at Darden are student leaders, club leaders and section reps. Each of Darden's five sections has an elected gender equity representative.

### *Collaborative, Not Competitive*

Our students pride themselves on the shared learning experience and tight-knit community that extends outside of the classroom. Voted "Top 10 Greatest Resources for Women," by *The Princeton Review*, 2021

### *We've Got Your Back*

The 1:1 program for prospective students pairs female candidates with a female student mentor. In addition, every First Year woman is paired with a Second Year woman to help navigate the core curriculum, recruiting and more.

### *Women Drive Change*

As part of the Women@Darden initiative, a comprehensive case audit was conducted to determine how many women and women of color were represented in cases - and how to increase that number.

### *Life in Charlottesville*

Consistently top-ranked for lifestyle, health and business, "C-ville" brings together the cultural amenities of a large city with the scenic beauty of the Blue Ridge Mountains.

# WOMEN AT DARDEN

## 2021-22 APPLICATION DEADLINES

**EARLY ACTION:** 9 September 2021

**ROUND 1:** 6 October 2021

**ROUND 2:** 5 January 2022

**ROUND 3:** 6 April 2022

**DIVERSITY CONFERENCE** 5 - 6 November 2021



Natalia Alvarez Diaz (Class of 2022)  
President, Graduate Women in Business

*Coming from a non-traditional background, I wanted a rigorous academic program that would prepare me to be an effective and socially conscious business leader. I also wanted to spend two years at a school with a strong sense of community and with world-class faculty who are passionate about teaching."*

# WHY DARDEN?

## RANKINGS

**#1**

Education Experience in the U.S.  
(*The Economist*, 2011–19)

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U.S. Public MBA program  
(*Bloomberg Businessweek*, 2019)

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Faculty  
(*The Economist*, 2017–19,  
*The Princeton Review*, 2017–20)

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U.S. Public MBA Program for  
Average Starting Salary and  
Bonus  
(*U.S. News & World Report*, 2017–21)

**#1**

MBA for General Management  
(*Financial Times*, 2013–17, 2019)

**#1**

MBA program for Corporate  
Social Responsibility  
(*Financial Times*, 2019–20)

**#1**

Best MBA for Consulting  
(*The Princeton Review*, 2018)



**17,000+**

Darden alumni live  
in 90 countries.

## OPPORTUNITY

### Top Hiring Companies

accenture

amazon

BAIN & COMPANY

BCG

DANAHER

Deloitte.

EY

JPMORGAN CHASE & CO.

McKinsey & Company

Microsoft



**45 LOCATIONS ACROSS  
31 COUNTRIES.**

\*Data based on 2019–20 academic  
year. Travel suspended during COVID-19.



**93%\***

of Class of 2020 students  
received a job offer by three  
months after graduation.

## FACTS & FIGURES

### MBA Class of 2022 Profile

Students Enrolled	395*
Countries Represented	35
Average Age	28
Average GPA	3.5
Average GMAT	705
Average GRE	160V 159Q

\*Includes first-ever January cohort

### Diversity Student Profile

Women	39%
Domestic Minority	16%
International*	24%

\*Class average is typically 33%, Class of 2022 impacted by COVID-19.

### Top 10 Pre-Darden Industry

Financial Services	22%
Consulting	15%
Technology	10%
Education, Nonprofit & Social Enterprises	9%
Military	5%
Pharma, Bio & Healthcare	5%
Marketing and CPG	4%
Manufacturing	4%
Real Estate	3%
Communications, Media & Entertainment	3%

Classes of 2021 and 2022



**\$143,000\***

Median base salary

**\$30,000\***

Median signing bonus

\*Class of 2020

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