

WORKING ADULTS UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS



MERCER FOR

you

MERCER
UNIVERSITY

CHANGING THE WORLD
STARTS WITH
CHANGING A LIFE.

Yours.

When we think of college students, we don't envision what they're wearing, when they were born, or what they were before they were a college student. At Mercer, it's about the ideas in their minds, the potential in their hearts, and how we can help them bring all that good stuff out into the world. When we picture a student, we see someone who wants to learn. And that could be anyone, from anywhere, at any time in life.

No matter who you are, what you're looking to study, or wherever you want to go, **Mercer is for you.**

1,200+

Working adults
undergraduate
students

APPROXIMATELY

9,000

Total University
students



32%

African American/Black

8%

Asian/Asian American

44%

Caucasian/White

7%

Hispanic/Latinx

3%

Multiracial

6%

Other/Unknown

Flexibility & Convenience

ON CAMPUS. ONLINE. ON YOUR TIME.

At Mercer University, our flexible bachelor's degree programs are designed to fit into your busy schedule. Students of all ages study at our four locations in Metro Atlanta and Macon, fully online, or through a blended combination of online and in-person evening classes. **Choose the location and format that is most convenient for you.**



CLASSES OFFERED IN

8-week
SESSIONS

MOST COURSES MEET

1

Night per
week

5

Start terms
per year

AUG · OCT · JAN · MAR · MAY



Atlanta

3001 Mercer University Drive
Atlanta, GA 30341
678.547.6251



Douglas County

975 Blairs Bridge Road
Lithia Springs, GA 30122
678.547.6200



Henry County

160 Henry Parkway
McDonough, GA 30253
678.547.6100



Macon

1501 Mercer University Drive
Macon, GA 31207
478.301.2999

ATLANTA



Career Pathways

EARN A DEGREE THAT FITS YOUR GOALS.

Looking for the path to success? You're in the right place. Mercer University offers a variety of flexible bachelor's degree programs to serve the diverse interests of our students and help you reach your educational and professional goals.

Start planning your future in one of the fields below.

Business

A business degree provides the foundation to help you maximize your earning potential and reach your business goals. Mercer graduates are prepared to make significant contributions to organizations in roles such as analyst, business manager, entrepreneur, and more.

Communication and Writing

By studying communication or writing at Mercer, you learn how to communicate a message responsibly and persuasively for internal and external audiences. Upon graduation, positions may include content creator, editor, speechwriter, and more.

Education

As an education major, you develop the skills needed to inspire tomorrow's leaders and difference makers. Mercer's degree options prepare you to teach either preschool, elementary, or secondary school-aged children.

Human Services

Through the study of human services, you learn problem-solving methods, case management skills, and client-centered mental health practices to help others become self-sufficient. Mercer graduates are equipped to serve in roles such as benefits manager, child development specialist, shelter supervisor, and more.



Create Your Own Path

Work with an advisor to design your own major that aligns with your career goals.

95%

of the graduating Class of 2022 was employed or in graduate school six months after earning a Mercer degree.*

*See methodology at mercer.edu/post-graduate.

Leadership and Administration

Mercer's leadership programs hone your problem-solving and decision-making skills, while giving you the tools to cultivate an organization's most valuable asset—its people. Graduates can pursue a wide variety of positions, including administrator, executive director, human resources professional, and more.

Public Safety

Earning a public safety degree at Mercer equips you with the knowledge and skills to excel as a strong leader in your community. Career opportunities may include criminal investigator, disaster engagement specialist, law enforcement officer, and more.

Science and Healthcare

The study of psychology or healthcare provides you with knowledge about human behavior and prepares you to serve others through quality care. Depending on the program, Mercer graduates are prepared to either further their studies or immediately enter the field.

Technology

With a Mercer technology degree, you are equipped with the skills to design, develop, and maintain information systems. In an industry where these skills are in high demand, graduates can explore roles such as data analyst, technical consultant, systems analyst, and more.

BECOME A

Double Bear

Upon completion of your bachelor's degree, you may be eligible to enroll in a **Mercer graduate program** through our **Special Consideration Program**.



30% Graduate Tuition Benefit



Waived Application Fee



Priority Admission Consideration



Mercer's professors are very approachable and care about student success inside and outside of the classroom. The curriculum in the B.B.A. program is well-rounded, and the courses laid a solid foundation for my career.

RENEE ZHANG | B.B.A. IN ACCOUNTING, '20

Student Support Services

BENEFIT FROM PERSONALIZED RESOURCES.

We're moms jumping into new careers. Dads juggling kids and school. Busy professionals squeezing in online classes. Pursuing a bachelor's degree at Mercer University while managing other priorities is possible, and we have support services available to help you along the way.

Prepare for Success

Mercer's **Office for Student Success** partners with students to map out their personalized plan to degree completion and graduation. Through one-on-one success appointments, workshops, and more, the Office for Student Success connects students with the resources needed to succeed.

To support academic success, **Mercer Libraries** provide students with access to essential information for their coursework, library staff for research services, 24-hour study areas, and more.

Enhance Your Skills

The **Academic Resource Center** provides free drop-in tutoring labs for writing and math.

The **Center for Career and Professional Development** offers services to students and alumni, including career workshops throughout the year to assist you with your:

- Résumé
- Cover letter
- Interviewing skills
- Job search process

Students also have access to **Handshake**, a career development platform that connects students and alumni with employers.



Military Resources

Mercer University is dedicated to supporting the success of military-connected individuals as they pursue their educational and professional goals. The University is committed to embracing military-connected students and dedicating resources, including personalized assistance and educational benefits, to ensure their success both in the classroom and after graduation.



U.S. Department of Defense employees may be eligible for a

30% TUITION BENEFIT

Financial Planning

EXPERIENCE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AT AN AFFORDABLE PRICE.

Mercer is committed to helping students build a strong foundation for success through financial aid assistance, often from a combination of scholarships, grants, loans, and part-time employment.

- **Scholarships:** University, state, and other merit-based scholarships, such as the State of Georgia's HOPE Scholarship, may be awarded to students with qualifying academic credentials.
- **Grants:** Students who meet eligibility requirements may use grants, such as the Pell Grant, to fund their education.

MORE THAN
90%
of Mercer students
receive
financial aid

You may
be eligible for
Mercer's
\$500
BEAR Scholarship

- **Loans:** Many students choose to finance their education through one or more student loans—either through the federal government or a private lender.
- **Employer Tuition Assistance:** Some students may be eligible for tuition assistance or reimbursement through their employer's benefits program.
- **Military Benefits:** An array of government-funded stipends, benefits, scholarships, and tuition assistance programs are available to military-connected individuals at Mercer. Employees of the U.S. Department of Defense, including civilians and contractors, also may be eligible for a **30% tuition benefit** for selected programs.
- **Educational Partnerships:** If you are an employee of one of Mercer's partnering companies, you may be eligible for an application fee waiver and tuition benefit.

Submit the FAFSA

To be considered for financial assistance, submit your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at studentaid.gov. It is recommended that you complete the FAFSA at the same time you submit your application for admission. Mercer's federal school code is **001580**. *You will not be able to select a location. Macon is correctly listed as the city, regardless of your program location.*



It's easy to be an educator that is knowledgeable, but it doesn't mean anything if you are not passionate about what you do. Mercer prepares educators that are passionate about their work to provide young children with an unforgettable learning experience while in their care.

MARCHELLETTE THOMAS | B.S. ED. IN EARLY LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT, '19



After a short time at Mercer, I learned how to learn, and something clicked. I learned that with research techniques and the right guidance, leadership, mentors, goals, and vision—anything is possible. I was able to use my education as a tool to grow, and it correlated to my day to day.

HEATH CALLIHAN | B.S. IN ORGANIZATIONAL LEADERSHIP, '20

Application Process

GET STARTED IN A FEW STEPS.

1. Complete and submit your application for admission at workingadults.mercer.edu.
 2. Order official transcript(s) from all previously attended institutions.
 3. Request and submit an official high school or GED transcript, if you have completed fewer than 24 credit hours of college-level coursework.
- **After we receive all of the required documents, you should receive an admission decision within one week.**

➤ **To finalize your plans and set yourself up for success, apply by the priority application deadline.**

Start Term	Priority Deadline
Fall I (August)	August 1
Fall II (October)	October 1
Spring I (January)	December 1
Spring II (March)	March 1
Summer (May)	May 1

Order Your Transcripts

- Visit your previous or current institution's Registrar's Office website, and search "transcripts."
- Follow the instructions for ordering your official transcript.
- When prompted, select **Mercer University** as the recipient.
- For the delivery method, select **electronic (PDF) delivery**. This is Mercer's preferred method as it will ensure prompt delivery.

Note: We cannot accept any transcripts sent from your email address. In order for the transcript to be considered an "official" document, it must be sent directly from the institution you attended, either electronically through the ordering service that the institution uses or via postal mail from the Registrar's Office. If your institution does not utilize electronic (PDF) delivery, enter: Mercer University, Office of University Admissions, 3001 Mercer University Drive, Atlanta, GA 30341.

Transfer Your Credits

Mercer accepts transfer credits from most colleges or universities accredited by an institutional accreditor recognized by the U.S. Department of Education, as well as some international institutions. Transfer courses are evaluated on a case-by-case basis and must be college-level, carry a grade of C or better, and correspond to courses offered at Mercer.

See how your coursework may transfer to Mercer at workingadults.mercer.edu/transferring-credits.

Begin Your Mercer Journey

To get started on your application, plan your visit to one of our locations, or schedule a personalized appointment, visit workingadults.mercer.edu.



At Mercer, everyone majors in changing the world.

BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMS <small>🖥️ = fully online 📍 = evening on-campus ⭐ = blended (combination of online and on-campus instruction)</small>	Online	Atlanta	Douglas County	Henry County	Macon
Accounting, B.B.A.	🖥️	📍⭐		📍⭐	
Business Administration, B.B.A.	🖥️	📍⭐		📍⭐	
Communication, B.A.	🖥️	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	
· Digital Media Communication	🖥️	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	
· Organizational Communication	🖥️	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	
· Public Relations	🖥️	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	
Criminal Justice Leadership, B.S.	🖥️	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
Early Learning and Development, B.S.Ed., with Special Education Preschool Endorsement		⭐	⭐	⭐	
Elementary/Special Education, B.S.Ed.		⭐	⭐	⭐	⭐
Health Informatics, B.S.	🖥️	📍⭐			
Healthcare Leadership, B.S.				⭐	
Homeland Security and Emergency Management, B.S.	🖥️				
Human Resource Management, B.B.A.	🖥️	📍⭐		📍⭐	
Human Resources Administration and Talent Development, B.S.	🖥️				
Human Services, B.S.	🖥️		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
Information Technology and Informatics, B.S.	🖥️	📍⭐			
Liberal Studies, B.A.		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· American Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Communication Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Education Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Historical Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Humanities		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Literary Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Mathematics		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Pre-Law Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Religious Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Science		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Self-Designed Major		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Social Science		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Women's and Gender Studies		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
· Writing		📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐	📍⭐
Management, B.B.A.	🖥️	📍⭐		📍⭐	
Marketing, B.B.A.	🖥️	📍⭐		📍⭐	
Organizational Leadership, B.S.	🖥️	⭐	⭐	⭐	⭐
Psychology, B.S.	🖥️	📍⭐			
Secondary Education, B.S.Ed. (English, History, Mathematics, Political Science)		⭐		⭐	⭐
Software Application Development and Human-Computer Interaction, B.S.	🖥️	📍⭐			
Supply Chain Management, B.B.A.	🖥️			⭐	
PRE-PROFESSIONAL TRACKS					
Pre-Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Pre-ABSN)	🖥️	📍⭐			
Pre-Nursing			📍⭐	📍⭐	
Pre-Pharmacy		📍⭐			