SUBSEQUENT POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION OUTCOMES FOR 2023-2024 GRADUATES

This report presents information on the number and percentage of 2023-2024 George Mason University graduates who enrolled in or completed a subsequent postsecondary educational program after graduation from George Mason by March 2025. This report includes all degree-seeking undergraduate and graduate students, excluding Law and George Mason Korea students.

Data are derived from the National Student Clearinghouse. For students who enrolled in multiple semesters at postsecondary institutions after graduation from George Mason, their first semester of enrollment is used for summary data in this report.

I. OVERALL SUBSEQUENT POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION OUTCOMES

Approximately 21 percent of all graduates of undergraduate-level programs (n=5,849) at George Mason subsequently enrolled in another postsecondary education program following graduation. An additional two percent of graduates enrolled in and completed a subsequent postsecondary education program by March 2025.

Table 1. Subsequent Postsecondary Outcomes: 2023-24 UG Graduates

	ENROLLED		COMPLETED		NOT ENROLLED		TOTAL GRADS*	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL UG GRADUATES	**1,215**	**20.8**	**131**	**2.2**	**4,503**	**77.0**	**5,849**	**100.0**
Carter School for Peace & Conflict Resolution	8	26.7	2	6.7	20	66.7	30	100.0
College of Education & Human Development	57	24.1	9	3.8	171	72.2	237	100.0
College of Engineering & Computing	189	15.4	32	2.6	1,003	81.9	1,224	100.0
College of Humanities & Social Sciences	387	26.1	29	2.0	1,068	72.0	1,484	100.0
College of Public Health	129	25.0	5	1.0	383	74.1	517	100.0
College of Science	196	32.7	12	2.0	391	65.3	599	100.0
College of Visual & Performing Arts	30	8.8	2	0.6	309	90.6	341	100.0
Schar School of Policy & Government	50	28.4	3	1.7	123	69.9	176	100.0
Costello College of Business	150	13.6	36	3.3	919	83.2	1,105	100.0
University (Provost)	19	14.0	1	0.7	116	85.3	136	100.0

*Students who graduated with multiple George Mason degrees are counted once in this report; therefore College/School totals may vary slightly from degree conferral numbers.

Approximately 8 percent of all graduates of graduate-level programs at George Mason (n=4,109) subsequently enrolled in another postsecondary education program following graduation. An additional 2.5 percent of graduates enrolled in and completed a subsequent postsecondary education program by March 2025.

Table 2. Subsequent Postsecondary Outcomes: 2023-24 GR Graduates

	ENROLLED		COMPLETED		NOT ENROLLED		TOTAL GRADS*	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL GR GRADUATES	**318**	**7.7**	**102**	**2.5**	**3,689**	**89.8**	**4,109**	**100.0**
Carter School for Peace & Conflict Resolution	9	11.8	0	0.0	67	88.2	76	100.0
College of Education & Human Development	62	7.6	27	3.3	732	89.2	821	100.0
College of Engineering & Computing	63	5.1	5	0.4	1,174	94.5	1,242	100.0
College of Humanities & Social Sciences	71	14.3	5	1.0	422	84.7	498	100.0
College of Public Health	22	4.8	2	0.4	435	94.8	459	100.0
College of Science	34	11.9	49	17.1	203	71.0	286	100.0
College of Visual & Performing Arts	7	13.7	0	0.0	44	86.3	51	100.0
Schar School of Policy & Government	8	2.5	2	0.6	306	96.8	316	100.0
Costello College of Business	42	11.7	12	3.3	306	85.0	360	100.0

*Students who graduated with multiple George Mason degrees are counted once in this report; therefore College/School totals may vary slightly from degree conferral numbers

II. PROFILE OF SUBSEQUENT POSTSECONDARY INSTITUTIONS: UG GRADUATES

Most undergraduate student graduates who enrolled in a subsequent postsecondary education program were enrolled in graduate-level programs at public, four-year institutions in the DC, Maryland, and Virginia regions.

Table 3. Control of Subsequent Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 UG Graduates

	PUBLIC		PRIVATE		ALL ENROLLED	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED UG GRADUATES	**981**	**80.7**	**234**	**19.3**	**1,215**	**100.0**
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	6	75.0	2	25.0	8	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	44	77.2	13	22.8	57	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	176	93.1	13	6.9	189	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	296	76.5	91	23.5	387	100.0
College of Public Health	95	73.6	34	26.4	129	100.0
College of Science	160	81.6	36	18.4	196	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	25	83.3	5	16.7	30	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	40	80.0	10	20.0	50	100.0
Costello College of Business	123	82.0	27	18.0	150	100.0
University (Provost)	16	84.2	3	15.8	19	100.0

Table 4. Sector of Subsequent Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 UG Graduates

	TWO-YEAR		FOUR-YEAR		ALL ENROLLED	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED UG GRADUATES	**138**	**11.4**	**1,077**	**88.6**	**1,215**	**100.0**
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	0	0.0	8	100.0	8	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	10	17.5	47	82.5	57	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	4	2.1	185	97.9	189	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	30	7.8	357	92.2	387	100.0
College of Public Health	22	17.1	107	82.9	129	100.0
College of Science	44	22.4	152	77.6	196	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	3	10.0	27	90.0	30	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	0	0.0	50	100.0	50	100.0
Costello College of Business	24	16.0	126	84.0	150	100.0
University (Provost)	1	2.7	18	97.3	19	100.0

Table 5. Location of Subsequent Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 UG Graduates

	DC, MARYLAND, OR VIRGINIA		OTHER		ALL ENROLLED*	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED UG GRADUATES	**1,009**	**83.2**	**204**	**16.8**	**1,213**	**100.0**
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	6	75.0	2	25.0	8	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	47	82.5	10	17.5	57	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	165	87.3	24	12.7	189	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	316	81.7	71	18.3	387	100.0
College of Public Health	107	83.6	21	16.4	128	100.0
College of Science	165	84.2	31	15.8	196	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	23	76.7	7	23.3	30	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	40	81.6	9	18.4	49	100.0
Costello College of Business	124	82.7	26	17.3	150	100.0
University (Provost)	16	84.2	3	15.8	19	100.0

Location data not reported for all enrolled graduates.

Table 6. Degree Level of Subsequent Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 UG Graduates

	UNDERGRADUATE		GRADUATE/ PROFESSIONAL		ALL ENROLLED*	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED UG GRADUATES	**229**	**19.7**	**936**	**80.3**	**1,165**	**100.0**
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	0	0.0	8	100.0	8	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	13	24.5	40	75.5	53	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	10	5.3	178	94.7	188	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	64	17.6	299	82.4	363	100.0
College of Public Health	39	31.5	85	68.5	124	100.0
College of Science	60	31.7	129	68.3	189	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	6	20.7	23	79.3	29	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	3	6.4	44	93.6	47	100.0
Costello College of Business	32	22.1	113	77.9	145	100.0
University (Provost)	2	10.5	17	89.5	19	100.0

Degree level data not reported for all enrolled graduates.

Table 7. Most Common Subsequent Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 UG Graduates

INSTITUTION	N	%
George Mason University	769	57.1
Northern Virginia Community College	122	9.1
George Washington University	35	2.6
Liberty University	22	1.6
Georgetown University	21	1.6
Virginia Commonwealth University	16	1.2
Georgia Institute of Technology	15	1.1
Western Governors University	12	0.9
University of Virginia	12	0.9
Shenandoah University	11	0.8
Marymount University	11	0.8

Table Includes both currently enrolled students and degree completions.

III. PROFILE OF SUBSEQUENT POSTSECONDARY INSTITUTIONS: GR GRADUATES

Most graduate student graduates who enrolled in a subsequent postsecondary education program were enrolled in additional graduate-level programs at public, four-year institutions in the DC, Maryland, and Virginia regions.

Table 8. Control of Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 GR Graduates

	PUBLIC		PRIVATE		ALL ENROLLED	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED GR GRADUATES	271	85.2	47	14.8	318	100.0
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	7	77.8	2	22.2	9	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	47	75.8	15	24.2	62	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	62	98.4	1	1.6	63	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	61	85.9	10	14.1	71	100.0
College of Public Health	15	68.2	7	31.8	22	100.0
College of Science	26	76.5	8	23.5	34	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	7	100.0	0	0.0	7	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	6	75.0	2	25.0	8	100.0
Costello College of Business	40	95.2	2	4.8	42	100.0

Table 9. Sector of Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 GR Graduates

	TWO-YEAR		FOUR-YEAR		ALL ENROLLED	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED GR GRADUATES	17	5.3	301	94.7	318	100.0
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	2	22.2	7	77.8	9	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	3	4.8	59	95.2	62	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	1	1.6	62	98.4	63	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	2	2.8	69	97.2	71	100.0
College of Public Health	1	4.5	21	95.5	22	100.0
College of Science	1	2.9	33	97.1	34	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	2	28.6	5	71.4	7	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	0	0.0	8	100.0	8	100.0
Costello College of Business	5	11.9	37	88.1	42	100.0

Table 10. Location of Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 GR Graduates

	DC, MARYLAND, OR VIRGINIA		OTHER		ALL ENROLLED*	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED GR GRADUATES	253	79.8	64	20.2	317	100.0
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	6	66.7	3	33.3	9	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	49	79.0	13	21.0	62	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	57	90.5	6	9.5	63	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	54	76.1	17	23.9	71	100.0
College of Public Health	13	59.1	9	40.9	22	100.0
College of Science	25	75.8	8	24.2	33	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	7	100.0	0	0.0	7	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	5	62.5	3	37.5	8	100.0
Costello College of Business	37	88.1	5	11.9	42	100.0

Location data not reported for all enrolled graduates.

Table 11. Degree Level of Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 GR Graduates

	UNDERGRADUATE		GRADUATE/ PROFESSIONAL		ALL ENROLLED*	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ALL ENROLLED GR GRADUATES	42	14.0	257	86.0	299	100.0
Carter School for Peace and Conflict Resolution	4	50.0	4	50.0	8	100.0
College of Education and Human Development	10	17.5	47	82.5	57	100.0
College of Engineering and Computing	3	4.9	58	95.1	61	100.0
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	5	7.5	62	92.5	67	100.0
College of Public Health	8	44.4	10	55.6	18	100.0
College of Science	2	6.5	29	93.5	31	100.0
College of Visual and Performing Arts	3	42.9	4	57.1	7	100.0
Schar School of Policy and Government	1	12.5	7	87.5	8	100.0
Costello College of Business	6	14.3	36	85.7	42	100.0

Degree level data not reported for all enrolled graduates.

Table 12. Most Common Subsequent Postsecondary Institutions: 2023-24 GR Graduates

INSTITUTION	N	%
George Mason University	279	66.4
Georgetown University	32	7.6
Northern Virginia Community College	10	2.4
University of Phoenix	5	1.2
Georgia Institute of Technology	5	1.2
University of Florida	4	1.0
Liberty University	4	1.0
Capella University	3	0.7
Walden University	3	0.7

Table Includes both currently enrolled students and degree completions.