STUDY IN A SMALL, BEAUTIFUL PLACE WITH SOME OF THE BIGGEST THINKERS IN THE WORLD.
You can breathe here.
You can think here.
You can do your best work here.

OUR CAMPUS MAKES PEOPLE HAPPY.
YOUR RHODY HOME

3,224 first-year students

$900M invested in campus capital projects in the last 12 years

14,653 undergraduates

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SUPPORT FROM DAY ONE

It’s the beginning of your big adventure, and we’ve dedicated the resources you’ll need to discover your best self. Best classes. Best friends. Best fit. At URI, you’ll be welcomed, supported, and challenged through our University College for Academic Success, home to all new students.

uri.edu/ucas

CAMPUS RESOURCES:
Resident advisors
Academic advisors
URI 101 peer mentors
Tutoring services
Career specialists
Health and wellness services
Counseling services
and more: uri.edu/support

URI Police Sgt. Erica Vieira and her partner, Canine Officer Figaro, love greeting students on campus. Your safety is their priority.

167 resident advisors and resident academic advisors

16:1 student-to-faculty ratio
YOU’LL FIND YOUR PLACE, YOUR PEOPLE, YOUR RAMFAM.

Most first-year campus residents live in Living and Learning Communities (LLCs), surrounded by friends with similar academic interests. Sharing classes and living together make it easy to make connections, both socially and academically.

“Living down the line” in nearby beach houses and other rental properties is a popular option for many upper-level students.

94% first-year students reside on campus.

23% students active in campus fraternities and sororities.

30 student residence halls.

15 first-year Living Learning Communities.

uri.edu/housing
YOUR RHODY LIFE

Our small, beautiful place offers four seasons of fun, with countless opportunities to play and make memories. What will your Rhody life look like?

180+ student clubs and organizations

uri.edu/campus-life
Since 2017, over 310,000 pounds of URI dining waste has been composted and used by regional farmers.

Our Energy Fellows Program serves as a talent pipeline. Top energy companies mentor fellows, and often hire them after graduation.

If you think “sustainability” is just another buzzword, you haven’t seen URI in action. You’ll be part of a culture invested in teaching and research, hands-on learning, and student action for environmental justice. You’ll be part of changing things for the better.

100% of our cooking oil is recycled into biofuel.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION Green Ribbon Schools

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#EATLOCALURI

You’ll love the variety of regionally sourced produce, herbs, seafood, and dairy products we offer, including an organic terraponic garden right in your dining hall.

uri.edu/dining

LOCAL CATCH OF THE MONTH

When we say fresh, we mean it. With our Local Catch of the Month dinners, you’ll enjoy fish caught in nearby waters—sustainable, local species sourced from nearby seafood harvesters and processors.

uri.edu/local-catch

OUR OWN CHEFS

At URI, your dining experience is not outsourced. We hire local chefs and support staff who cook from the heart and treat students like family.

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WHAT’S ON THE MENU?

ANYTHING YOU WANT!

30 academic programs include sustainability-related learning.

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YOU’LL HAVE MAJOR CHOICES

Double majors, interdisciplinary minors, in-depth honors classes, and world-renowned international programs—options as unique as you are. You’ll graduate ready to pursue your big idea.

uri.edu/academics

Big thinking takes vision. Our new $150 million engineering complex is a hub of innovation for interdisciplinary scholars, experts, and researchers. And if you want to turn big ideas into revolutionary solutions, it’s waiting for you.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
Be competitive with a robust liberal arts education offering cross-disciplinary opportunities in arts and design, communication and media, humanities, natural sciences and math, and social sciences.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
Through practical training and hands-on internships, you’ll gain the perspective and expertise you’ll need to become a business leader in today’s global economy.

ALAN SHAWN FEINSTEIN COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
Working with award-winning faculty, you’ll learn to teach in diverse, collaborative settings using innovative instructional technologies.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
In our new state-of-the-art engineering complex, you can study biomedical technology, alternative energy, cybersecurity, and more with leading scholars, experts, and active researchers.

COLLEGE OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND LIFE SCIENCES
You can study wildlife conservation, environmental policy, agriculture, marine biology, and more, and work with world-class faculty in our high-tech classrooms, laboratories, and special genomic and aquarium facilities.

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES
Combine disciplines to fit your interests and career goals with clinical and nonclinical majors in health, wellness, behavior, movement, and development.

COLLEGE OF NURSING
We offer research opportunities, newly built simulation labs, faculty-led service trips abroad, and personalized clinical placements to provide you with an unparalleled nursing education.

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY
Using the latest technologies, like patient simulation labs and 3D printing and animation, we prepare you for a successful career in the health care, pharmaceutical, or consumer products industries.

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF OCEANOGRAPHY
Interested in researching and exploring the world’s oceans and coasts? We offer a five-year Master of Oceanography Program with a global reputation for excellence.
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INNOVATE
Our interdisciplinary Artificial Intelligence Lab provides state-of-the-art equipment and resources for you to design, build, and investigate the ethics around smart cities, and technologies like robotics and wearable tech.

LEAD
Our leadership studies minor is customized for you. 100% of students in this minor participate in internships.

COMMUNICATE
In an ever-changing landscape, our Harrington School of Communication and Media provides interdisciplinary studies, internships, expert faculty, and a world-renowned alumni network to prepare and connect you.

EXCEL
Our Honors Colloquium attracts some of the biggest thinkers in the world, like Jane Goodall. 1,354 students are enrolled in Honors courses.

COLLABORATE
Our Colleges of Health Sciences, Nursing, and Pharmacy collaborate to offer a cross-disciplinary approach to prepare you for a rapidly evolving health care environment.

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AN OCEAN STATE OF MIND

It helps to be located near Narragansett Bay. It’s an endless resource for teaching, study, and discovery. It’s inspiration, beauty, and a whole lot of fun. And at URI, it’s your backyard.
YOU’LL DISCOVER NEW WAYS OF LOOKING AT THE WORLD

It’s an interconnected world, and we’ll get you ready for it. Languages, research, service, studying abroad—we offer it all.

uri.edu/global

GLOBALIZE YOUR PERSPECTIVE

Want to study fashion merchandising in Paris, work with environmental scientists in Indonesia, or perfect your German in Munich while interning with BMW? We’ll get you there. From Havana to Milan, you can choose from a vast array of study-abroad programs to immerse yourself in another culture for a year, a semester, or over January break (J-Term). At URI, you’ll make friends from around the world and join a global-minded campus community, too.

GLOBALIZE YOUR DEGREE

With our signature programs, you can pursue a double major abroad, while gaining hands-on professional experience through an international internship. Develop cross-cultural communication skills and practical job training to truly globalize your college degree.

• International Business
• International Engineering
• International Textiles, Fashion Merchandising and Design
• Chinese Flagship Program
• International Pharmaceutical Sciences Program
• International Studies and Diplomacy Program

732 students major (or double major) in a language
76 nations represented
900 study-abroad opportunities in 80+ countries
CAREER AND COMMUNITY
Whether it’s landing an internship that lights your path or supporting a cause that lights your fire, we give you space to explore. We prepare you to succeed in ways that are as unique as you are.

Learn how Kalvin Cho ’19 came to be on top of Newport’s Pell Bridge, and how you could, too.

uri.edu/kalvin

8,000 students engage annually in experiential learning

21ST on Peace Corps’ 2018 Top Volunteer-Producing Colleges list

2,200 undergraduate students employed on campus each year

4,000 national and international internship opportunities

350 employers recruit annually on URI campus

Members of URI Service Corps work on a local Habitat for Humanity home-building site during alternative spring break.

uri.edu/build-to-serve

uri.edu/break-for-change

URI students learn about immigration injustices, community revitalization, and urban poverty during a week in Dallas, Texas, as part of URI’s Service Corps alternative spring break program.
FEED YOUR CURiosity
Undergraduate research and creative innovations are happening all over URI. At the lab bench or out in the field, you’ll have access to the technology and resources you need to explore, create, and solve problems you care about.

IMMERSE YOURSELF
Our Inner Space Center (ISC), a one-of-a-kind research facility, offers a front seat to the inner workings of underwater exploration and education projects worldwide. Learn more about how the ISC interdisciplinary team provides scientists with real-time video and data from oceanographic expeditions.

uri.edu/inner-space-center

uri.edu/students-in-research

WHAT WILL YOUR BIG IDEA BE?

No pressure, but we want to prepare you to help solve the problems of the world.

Whether it’s across the physical and natural sciences, the health professions, or the humanities and arts, you’ll partner with world-class faculty to make ideas happen. You’ll be part of a community of dedicated educators and engineers, scientists and scholars, artists and mentors.

You’ll be part of something BIG.

Learn more about Michael Logar ’18 and the International Engineering Program that brought him to Chile and Patagonia (pictured here).

uri.edu/logar
We’re proud of our 18 NCAA Division 1 varsity teams, 17 competitive club teams, and 22 intramural sports offerings. With options at every level, you can compete, play for fun, and join your fellow Ram fans in cheering on your favorite team. Go Rams!
With the support of our National Fellowships Honors program, our students and recent alumni have won or been finalists for Boren, Fulbright, Marshall, Rhodes, and Truman scholarships.

The Association of Public Land Grant Universities named URI one of five national finalists for progress made in student retention and graduation rates.

Our global alumni network is 128,000 strong and counting.

uri.edu/alumni

WHAT DOES SUCCESS LOOK LIKE FOR YOU?

You’ll define it. You’ll achieve it. We’ll show you how.

“In a little under two years, I successfully made the world’s first cultured quahog pearl.”
– Brendan Breen ’18, founder of Mercenaria

“We acquire the most knowledge while traveling, and we barely know the ocean—only five percent of it has been explored.”
– Breezy Grenier ’17, Ocean M.E.S.E. mariner, educator, scientist, explorer

“I became a Fulbright recipient with the help of the URI community. The international experience I will gain will add more diversity and depth to my future research.”
– Cherish Prickett ’18, International Engineering Program

“It’s a huge responsibility to report the news and give voice to the voiceless. I never lose sight of that.”
– Vladimir Duthiers ’91, CBS News correspondent

uri.edu/duthiers
uri.edu/prickett
uri.edu/grenier
uri.edu/breen

uri.edu/校友

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MONEY MATTERS

We do our best to keep your college investment affordable. We award $99M+ annually in undergraduate aid and scholarships, and about 86% of our students receive some financial aid.

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Location. Location. Location.

Southern R.I. beaches .......... 10–15 minutes
Historic Newport, R.I. .......... 20 minutes
Providence, R.I. .................. 35 minutes
Boston, Mass. ................... 1.5 hours
New York, N.Y. ................. 2.5 hours

Estimated costs for 2019–2020:

TUITION AND FEES:
- Rhode Island residents $14,566
- Out-of-state residents $31,686
- New England regional* $24,009
- Housing and dining** $12,688

AVERAGE TOTALS:
- Rhode Island residents $27,254
- Out-of-state/international $44,374
- New England regional* $36,697

* The New England Board of Higher Education provides discounted tuition for a select group of majors subject to change. Visit nebhe.org.
** Based on double room and standard meal plan.

2019 ADMITTED STUDENT PROFILE:
GPA and SAT ranges represent the middle 50% of all admitted students.
GPA: 3.1–3.8/4.0
SAT: 1110–1280/1600

Application deadlines:
- Early action/nonbinding: December 1, 2019
- Regular application: February 1, 2020

FINANCIAL AID AND MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS

We recommend that all applicants apply for financial aid by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Apply between October 1 and March 1 at fafsa.ed.gov.

We offer a wide range of merit scholarships to students who have had a challenging curriculum, earned a recalculated 3.2/4.0 GPA, and an SAT of 1130 or ACT of 23.

There is no separate scholarship application. To be considered for our highest scholarships, we recommend that you apply by our December 1 Early Action deadline. We also strongly recommend that students interested in business, engineering, music therapy, nursing, and pharmacy apply by December 1, as spaces are limited in these programs.

Questions regarding provisions for students with disabilities should be directed to the director of Disability Services for Students in the Office of Student Life, 330 Memorial Union, Kingston, R.I., 401.874.2098 (TTY v R.I. Relay 711); uri.edu/disability.

URI is an equal opportunity employer committed to the principles of affirmative action.
UNDERGRADUATE
90+ majors, 100+ minors, and countless combinations

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
Africana Studies
Anthropology
Art (Studio)
Art History
Chemistry
Chemistry and Forensic Chemistry
Chinese
Classical Studies
Computer Science
Criminology and Criminal Justice
Data Science
Economics
English
French
Gender and Women's Studies
German
Global Language and Area Studies
History
International Studies
Italian
Landscape Architecture
Mathematics
Music
Music Composition
Music Education
Music Performance
Philosophy
Physics
Physics and Physical Oceanography
Political Science
Sociology
Spanish
Theatre

Harrington School of Communication and Media
Communication Studies
Film/Media
Journalism
Public Relations
Sports Media and Communication
Writing and Rhetoric

COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES
Communicative Disorders
Health Studies
Human Development and Family Studies
Kinesiology
Nutrition and Dietetics
Psychology

COLLEGE OF NURSING
Nursing

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY
Pharmaceutical Sciences (bachelor's degree)
Pharmacy (six-year doctoral degree)

ALAN SHAWN FEINSTEIN COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
Early Childhood Education (Human Development and Family Studies B.S.)
Elementary Education
Interdisciplinary Studies (Providence Campus only)
Physical Education (Kinesiology B.S.)
Secondary Education

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS
Accounting
Finance
General Business Administration
Global Business Management
Innovation and Entrepreneurship Management
Marketing
Supply Chain Management
Textile Marketing
Textiles, Fashion Merchandising, and Design
International Business Program (dual degree in Chinese, French, German, Italian, or Spanish)

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING
Biomedical Engineering
Chemical Engineering
Civil Engineering
Computer Engineering
Electrical Engineering
Industrial and Systems Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
Ocean Engineering
International Engineering Program (dual degree in Chinese, French, German, Italian, or Spanish)
Engineering and M.B.A. Program

COLLEGE OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND LIFE SCIENCES
Animal Science and Technology
Aquaculture and Fisheries Science
Biological Sciences
Biology
Biotecnology
Cell and Molecular Biology
Environmental and Natural Resource Economics
Environmental Science and Management
Geology and Geological Oceanography
Marine Affairs
Marine Biology
Medical Laboratory Science and Biotechnology Manufacturing
Plant Sciences
Sustainable Agriculture and Food Systems
Wildlife and Conservation Biology

COMING SOON
Music Therapy
Neuroscience

PRE-PROFESSIONAL STUDIES
Pre-dental
Pre-law
Pre-medical
Pre-physical Therapy
Pre-physician Assistant
Pre-veterinary

ALSO AVAILABLE
Center for Student Leadership Development
Honors Program

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