MAKE YOUR CONNECTIONS

IT’S TIME FOR BIGGER GOALS.
PITTSBURGH IS HOME TO MORE THAN 400 BRIDGES, AND AMID THEM ALL STANDS DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY. OUR LOCATION WILL ALLOW YOU TO STUDY WHERE POSSIBILITIES AND CONNECTIONS EXTEND IN EVERY DIRECTION.

You will explore here, intern here, volunteer here, do research and service here while living in the heart of it all. Pittsburgh is a vibrant and safe city recognized worldwide for its livability, welcoming atmosphere and professional opportunities. You’ll benefit from the kind of energy you only find in a place on the rise.

SEE THE WORLD FROM A GREATER VANTAGE POINT.

“I made a lot of connections at Duquesne through my professors and friends. All of them are lifelong friendships and relationships. I can definitely fall back on them; they’re a really great support system.”

JENELLE CHU, ‘21

Want to hear more from students?

duq.edu/students-speak
MORE THAN JUST CLASSES AND LABS.

“I had a lot of professors who pushed me to do my best. I worked with the biomedical engineering program chair using a laser to detect melanoma cells for early cancer detection.”

SAKINA GOAWALA, ’22
Quality Assurance Engineer, Miltenyi Biotec
Co-founder, InnovatIV

A Duquesne education is HERE, MENTORS AND PEERS WALK ALONGSIDE YOU
as you immerse yourself in experiences that enrich you and create memories that allow you to cherish your past and craft a future that makes you proud. Your journey toward the best version of yourself starts the moment you arrive on campus and begin to forge your path.

Explore the wide variety of experiential learning opportunities at Duquesne including community-engaged courses, internships, student research, study abroad and more.

Learn how we help guide you toward career success.
duq.edu/outcomes
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THE CURIOSITY AND TENACITY that drive our faculty’s research and creativity make their classrooms exciting places to be, and they’re equally enthusiastic about your future. They feel entrusted with your goals, and it is their joy to help you pursue them.

You’ll think beyond what’s right in front of you—discovering new possibilities in your major and seeing how your chosen career can connect to so many other fields in meaningful ways. It’s the perspective you need to make an even bigger impact. After all, success isn’t just about the grades you earn or the career you’re preparing for. It’s about the person you become—one who is prepared for anything.

Learn more at duq.edu/faculty

TEACHER-SCHOLARS.

Learn from genuine TEACHER-SCHOLARS.

“Teaching is not just about what you say or do. It’s about how you make students think, how you engage them, how you make them reach beyond what they thought they could do. It’s about the relationship you build with the students, and how you help them achieve their goals.”

MAYA DUBOIS, Teaching Professor

Duquesne University

A FOUNDATION FOR SUCCESS

We know that general education courses at most universities are organized around required courses in specific subjects, but our Bridges Common Learning Experience is focused on you and the knowledge and skills in demand by employers.

Because of its flexible design, Bridges can help you pursue credentials, certificates, minors or additional majors. Stacking credentials can diversify your skill sets and expand opportunities for employment or graduate study.

No matter your major, our Bridges courses make up approximately one third (more than one year!) of your college curriculum. That’s a big chunk of your undergraduate college experience! At Duquesne University, we want your Bridges experience to prepare you for anything—and to be time well spent.

Learn more about Duquesne’s Bridges curriculum.

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EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS WITH OUR FUTURE-FOCUSED PROGRAMS.

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DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY PROVIDES A ROOM AND BOARD AWARD FOR EVERY ROTC SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT.

For students pursuing careers in medical or other health-related fields, our Pre-Medical and Pre-Health Professions Programs guide you through pre-professional school applications, and help with interview skills. Learn basic clinical skills and build qualifications for pre-clinical learning opportunities.

duq.edu/rotc

STUDY ABROAD and become a global citizen—the world is your classroom! Learn, live and meet new people in some of the most beautiful and fascinating places in the world, all while becoming more intellectually aware, culturally sensitive and professionally prepared.

ITALIAN CAMPUS IN ROME

Duquesne offers a special semester-long program in Italy. Take classes taught by Duquesne professors and other instructors in one of the world’s most iconic cities.

DUQUESNE IN DUBLIN

Through Duquesne in Dublin, spend a semester living and taking classes with fellow Duquesne students at University College Dublin.

SHORT-TERM STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

Get the same global experience, just on a shorter term, through Maymester, Spring Breakaway or summer study abroad programs.

Learn more about study abroad options.
A CAMPUS COMMUNITY committed to innovation and growth.

WE'RE LOOKING TOWARD THE FUTURE, AND WE WANT YOU TO BE PART OF IT.

You deserve a university that’s in touch with your needs and provides everything from state-of-the-art equipment to hands-on learning opportunities to facilities that showcase your talents, like the PNC Recital Hall, the Center for Innovative and Emerging Media and the UPMC Cooper Fieldhouse. Students in all majors are able to participate in research through our Undergraduate Research Symposium.

We also respond to the needs of our communities, committing ourselves to equity and opportunity for all to make everyone’s future brighter. That’s why we’re opening a new College of Osteopathic Medicine in 2024 to decrease health care disparities and train the next generation of physicians.

Research opportunities abound at DU.

duq.edu/research-innovation
We’ll get to know you as you
GET TO KNOW YOURSELF
(and make friendships that last a lifetime).

DUQUESNE STUDENTS ARE INDIVIDUALS
with their own stories, interests, backgrounds and dreams. This diversity of experiences enriches campus culture and provides countless opportunities for you to find your path and a variety of people who share your passions. From intramural sports to STEM groups to cultural organizations and more, you’ll have no trouble getting involved in activities that fulfill you.

Choose from
275+
student organizations.

duq.edu/student-orgs

DU IS RANKED
TOP 10 IN THE U.S.
FOR “EVERYONE PLAYS INTRAMURAL SPORTS.”
PRINCETON REVIEW, 2023
Choose your own adventure in
A CITY THAT HAS IT ALL.

ANY TIME you take a walk or jog or move around the city, you’re not just getting your mind and body strong. You travel the same paths as the innovators, visionaries and determined spirits who built our university and who continue to reimagine Pittsburgh and create a better world. Here, you benefit from where we’ve been while helping us reach what’s next.

We’re a city of 90 diverse neighborhoods where everyone can be themselves and experience other cultures. We’re a city where strangers smile at you on the sidewalk and use a “language” called Pittsburghese to order Primanti’s sandwiches and cheer on the home teams (beyond DU, that includes Steelers, Penguins and Pirates, Pittsburgh’s three major sports teams!).

“...I’m from Honduras originally, I feel very accepted, and I loved it at Duquesne. When I first moved there I liked a lot, and that’s how I got to know the city. I learned about the Point and the South Side trails, you get to enjoy nice weather and see beautiful things.”

SELVIN HERNANDEZ, ‘22

duq.edu/pgh

Learn more about the ’burgh.
FOOD, FUN, ARTS AND CULTURE—all right next to campus.

ORDER GIANT PANCAKES for Sunday brunch, pick up fresh cannoli from the Italian market and buy party supplies for your roommate’s birthday celebration—all within a few blocks.

Past meets the present, and historical buildings house startups set to change the world and employ our graduates. You can take a single staircase to go from our parklike campus to some of the best restaurants and retail in the ‘burgh. Three rivers and hundreds of miles of trails encourage you to take a study break and get some fresh air.
EXPLORE THE NEIGHBORHOOD.

NORTH SIDE
ACTION-PACKED EVENTS.
It's all home runs and touchdowns on the North Side with football and baseball games in state-of-the-art stadiums on the river's edge. When the home teams aren't playing, their venues are home to concerts featuring world-famous musical acts. Bravo!

THE POINT
RELAX.
Watch the boats float by, go for a run or set up a picnic with friends by the water. Point State Park is where Pittsburgh’s three rivers meet, and it serves as home to a giant fountain, the annual Three Rivers Arts Festival and the Fort Pitt Museum.

SOUTH SIDE
AN ECLECTIC COLLECTION.
With 15 blocks of Victorian architecture, it’s no wonder the South Side was named a National Historic District. Boutiques, restaurants, galleries, theaters and live music venues abound. This lively neighborhood treasure is just a single staircase from campus!

MARKET SQUARE
CATCH A BITE, OR THREE.
Pedestrian-friendly Market Square is the perfect spot to try new restaurants or revisit your favorites. Depending on the season, you can visit the Market Square Farmers Market or the Christmas Village. And don’t forget your ice skates! In winter months, you can skate nearby while taking in some of the city’s most iconic architecture. Duquesne sponsors an annual ice skating night just for Duquesne students!

CULTURAL DISTRICT
LET’S PLAY.
Whether you prefer music, theater or dance (or maybe all of the above!), you’ll find ample opportunities to immerse yourself in the arts. The 14-square-block Cultural District encompasses more than 50 retail shops, 50 dining establishments, seven world-class theaters, eight public parks and art installations, and a dozen art galleries.

DOWNTOWN
WORK HARD. PLAY HARD.
You may be working hard at your internship, but it sure is easy to get there. Travel a few blocks from campus and you have access to Fortune 500 companies, non-profit organizations and startups—all ready to mentor talented DU students. Don’t forget to have some fun and treat yourself after work. Shopping, delicious desserts and yes, Primanti’s sandwiches, are just outside your office door.

THE HILL DISTRICT
HOME TO HISTORY.
Visit the birthplace of famed playwright August Wilson on your own, or celebrate his legacy alongside neighbors and friends at the annual block party with food, games and outdoor performances. While you’re there, pay homage to Pittsburgh’s jazz scene. Nationally known artists like Louis Armstrong and Duke Ellington made the Hill District a regular stop on national tours.

PPG PAINTS ARENA
HOCKEY. CONCERTS. GOOD TIMES.
Trust us, you’ll want to be there when the puck and the microphone drop. The arena is the place to be for professional ice hockey and performers of all genres—and it’s a stone’s throw from campus. So scoop up those student-rush hockey tickets (yes, they’re discounted!), rally your friends for the next big concert and simply cross the street to build memories that last a lifetime.

DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY
YOUR HOME AWAY FROM HOME.
Students love Duquesne University’s location—nestled in a city that has it all. But is also parklike, secluded and safe. In fact, it earned an A+ score in Niche’s campus location category in 2023.
WE’VE GOT TONS OF SCHOOL PRIDE—it’s evident in the stands at our Division I athletics games and on the hands of the thousands of alumni who wear our instantly recognizable red ring. Our cheers thunder throughout the beautiful UPMC Cooper Fieldhouse and span the distance of Rooney Field. You’ll find us in red and blue face paint, waving pom-poms and high-fiving our friends. We’re always ready to support our athlete-classmates and the school that we love.

We know you’ll love it here, too. School pride isn’t just about athletics—it’s in everything we do. Look out your residence hall window any time and you’ll see Duquesne gear dotting Academic Walk (we call it A-walk).

But more important than our red and blue sweatshirts and hats, our students live every day in pursuit of their goals and of being part of something bigger than themselves. Through experiential learning and service projects, they honor Duquesne’s purpose, working side-by-side with neighbors in authentic collaborations. We mobilize our school spirit to create a future that everyone can share.

PROUD TO BE A DUQUESNE DUKE.

Proud to be in Pittsburgh.
WE PULL TOGETHER TO HELP and make a difference.

AT DUQUESNE, you’re part of a community that’s got your back because everyone knows you’ve got theirs. It’s an unspoken understanding of care and respect rooted in our Catholic, Spiritan tradition. It’s woven into who we are and what our University and our city stand for. All of this can be at your doorstep.

Duquesne Dukes make an impact. Learn how.

duq.edu/social-impact
YOU BELONG AT DU. We’ve got numbers to back it up...

8,700 STUDENTS (UNDERGRAD & GRADUATE)

““My favorite Duquesne memories always come back to freshman orientation. We had events every day that week to get students acquainted with campus, our freshman class and the city. I always made the best friends through the different organizations on campus and meeting people in class. Duquesne feels like a place where you can be yourself.”

JONATHAN BARSOTTI, ’22

80+ UNDERGRAD MAJORS

“Duquesne is the only school I applied to because it just felt like home to me. It’s such a family atmosphere. I found a home at the business school, and I’m so happy for the connections there.”

ISABELLA PORTA, ’23

110 GRADUATE PROGRAMS

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35+ STUDY ABROAD LOCATIONS

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11 CAMPUS DINING LOCATIONS INCLUDING STARBUCKS, CHICK-FIL-A AND MOONLIT BURGERS
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Call us: 412.396.6222 or 800.456.0590
Visit us: Take a virtual tour at duq.edu/tour, or come see us in person by scheduling a campus visit at duq.edu/visit.