



YOUR NEXT ADVENTURE STARTS HERE





Welcome to an adventure that never ends.

Success isn't at the end of your journey. It's found in every moment along the way.

At Salve Regina University, we know there isn't just one destination, but many – at every key step of your growth. When you strengthen the friendships that last for life. When you build the skills that power your career. When you take a chance on joining a club, experiencing a class outside your discipline, envisioning a new project and following your curiosity wherever it leads.

Your moment to shine isn't off on some distant horizon. It's right here at Salve, from the moment you step foot on a campus that inspires your growth like never before.

Arrive at Salve and let your adventure begin.

With liberal arts courses and professional programs, Salve's curriculum is designed to help you make an informed decision about your intended major through curricular advising and workshops that link academic experiences to career success. Learn more on this path of self-discovery by working with advisors who will assist you in exploring various academic areas of interest while staying on track for graduation.





Why Salve?

It's the combination of a one-of-a-kind location beside the ocean, a deep connection to the Salve, Newport and global communities, plus a purposedriven education that will provide you with a unique experience that prepares you for what's next.

Start writing your own success story at *salve.edu/adventure*.

SALVE C MPASS

The Salve Compass is the framework for your four-year experience, connecting college to career and empowering you to explore, define and pursue your academic and professional goals.

With an emphasis on a whole-person approach, the Salve Compass equips students with the skills required to navigate the needs and opportunities of an evolving job market. It provides an immersive and transformative undergraduate experience, both in and out of the classroom, for every Salve student.

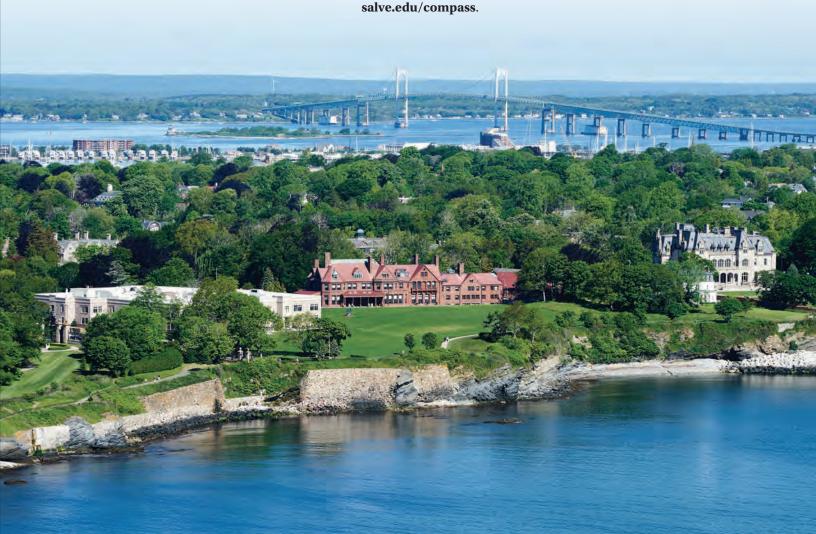
FIRST YEAR
Foundation

second year Exploration THIRD YEAR

Immersion

FOURTH YEAR Integration

Learn more about the programming that guides students to and through their academic journey at Salve in the stories that follow and at









Accounting Major, Data Analytics Minor Varsity Soccer Player / Member of the Leadership Scholars Program

"I had never met a lot of the people who were at the compass retreat, so it was definitely a good experience for me. We were all on the same page and willing to learn and grow in the experience. The group activities were beneficial, everyone participated. One thing we talked about was something we thought didn't go the best for us. We found other people who had similar struggles in their first semester and in talking to them, it was nice to learn from their experiences as well.

As long as you are putting yourself out there, you'll find your place. Having people available to talk to about what I want to do going forward is definitely really nice, whether it be my advisor, or professors, or upperclassmen, I've had a great number of people who I can talk to.

Now I have something that I know I enjoy and want to do; I think that's really important to find that drive and sense of purpose in your schoolwork."

OUR MISSION

As a community that welcomes people of all beliefs, Salve Regina University, a Catholic institution founded by the Sisters of Mercy, seeks wisdom and promotes universal justice.

The University, through teaching and research, prepares men and women for responsible lives by imparting and expanding knowledge, developing skills, and cultivating enduring values. Through liberal arts and professional programs, students develop their abilities for thinking clearly and creatively, enhance their capacity for sound judgment, and prepare for the challenge of learning throughout their lives.

In keeping with the traditions of the Sisters of Mercy, and recognizing that all people are stewards of God's creation, the University encourages students to work for a world that is harmonious, just, and merciful.

Through coursework, programs and activities, students become advocates and change-agents in finding solutions to the many challenges that face our world.

As a mercy institution, Salve is deeply committed to a focus on the Critical Concerns of the Sisters of Mercy:

ANTI-RACISM • EARTH • IMMIGRATION • NON-VIOLENCE • WOMEN





SOPHIA CARGES '26

Psychology Major

Female Empowerment Club President / Member of the Mad Batter Baking Club, Psychology Club and SRyou Planning Committee

"My First Year Studio that met once per week with a Compass Advisor and upperclass mentor was a big part of my success in my first semester. We knew we could trust Natalie to give us real answers to whatever questions we had. She always made herself accessible and at every class we were calling her over to help with something we had been wondering about during the week. Natalie quickly became more of a friend than a mentor."

NATALIE COTE '25

Literature and Secondary Education Double Major, Creative Writing Minor

Peer Mentor / SRyou Chair / Member of the Leadership Scholars Program

"I think the first year should be more about exploration – I tried a whole bunch of new things, and it was in my sophomore year that I put down roots. As an education major, I knew I wanted to work with first-year students; I want to be there for them and be someone they can come to if they need something. In each class, I tried to create a cohesive environment where they could share what they were doing and what they wanted to accomplish. We had lots of collaboration and communication – I believe it's important to include students in their learning process in order to create trust and create a bond."

YOUR SUCCESS TEAM AWAITS.

When you arrive at Salve, you will have a group of people dedicated to supporting you each step of the way, from academic and career advisors to orientation leaders, peer mentors and extraordinary faculty across disciplines. You will create your road map to the future with people dedicated to ensuring that you achieve your goals and live your best life – here at Salve and well beyond.



S E C O N D Y E A R

EXPLORATION

Expand your viewpoint.

Explore your strengths, learn the skills required for personal and professional success, and discover ways in which you can address the challenges facing our world.

Designed to develop career readiness competencies and prepare students for their Compass Summer experience, Sophomore Studios are a series of workshops. Students explore the diversity of career and life paths available while building a professional network and developing the skills required for future employment opportunities.





ROSE ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE

FIELD ECOLOGY AND NATURAL HISTORY

Focus on the critical concern of the Earth through ongoing field research on Rose Island, the Norman Bird Sanctuary, Newport Neck/ Narragansett Bay and the Aquidneck Island coastal waters.







CARDINES FIELD

BOWEN'S WHARF DOWNTOWN NEWPORT



TOURO SYNAGOGUE

free public transportation



FORT ADAMS

JAZZ DANCE

The Newport Jazz Festival, held annually at Fort Adams, serves as a backdrop for connecting students to dance as they explore intersecting identities of jazz artists and activists through community dialogue, performance and choreography.



OCEAN DRIVE

INTERNATIONAL TENNIS HALL OF FAME

HISTORICAL AND MODERN SPORTS

Complete sports analytics projects with local organizations centered on Newport's extensive history of sporting events, foundations and businesses such as the International Tennis Hall of Fame just down the road from campus.



CLIFF WALK





ARCHAEOLOGY AND PRESERVATION

Link history to the environment with excavations at a private 18th-century home in Bristol, document historic resources at the Norman Bird Sanctuary and use ground-penetrating radar to explore local cemeteries.









Salve Regina University

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SECOND YEAR

EXPLORATION

COMPASS SUMMER

SACHUEST POINT WILDLIFE REFUGE





NEWPORT'S CLASSIC COAST

INSPIRES ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

and COMMUNITY IMPACT

The Salve Compass has developed a unique way to help our students build the skills employers are seeking, develop expertise in tackling the critical concerns facing our world and connect students more deeply to the cultural, historic and environmental richness of Newport.

The **Compass Summer** caps off the sophomore year with a one- or two-week immersive group project. Students select experiences that pique their interest, like the examples highlighted on this page, allowing them to explore a new area or expand on their established academic journey.



SEAHAWK PRIDE

Becoming a Seahawk means joining a community dedicated to collective success. Whether it's participation in one of our 20 NCAA Division III varsity teams, intramural sports or cheering on the sidelines, every action and interaction inspires growth.

As the newest member of the New England Women's and Men's

Athletic Conference (NEWMAC), Salve is aligned with premier academic
and athletic institutions dedicated to providing high-quality,
competitive opportunities for student-athletes. With a consistently
high average GPA and 10 NCAA postseason qualifications in
the past several years, the Seahawks will be at home in a conference
that champions academic and athletic excellence.



Babson College
Clark University
Emerson College
Massachusetts Institute
of Technology
Mount Holyoke College
Salve Regina University
Smith College
Springfield College
U.S. Coast Guard Academy
Wellesley College
Wheaton College
Worcester Polytechnic Institute

student-athletes earned an average cumulative 3.4 GPA during the spring 2023 semester.





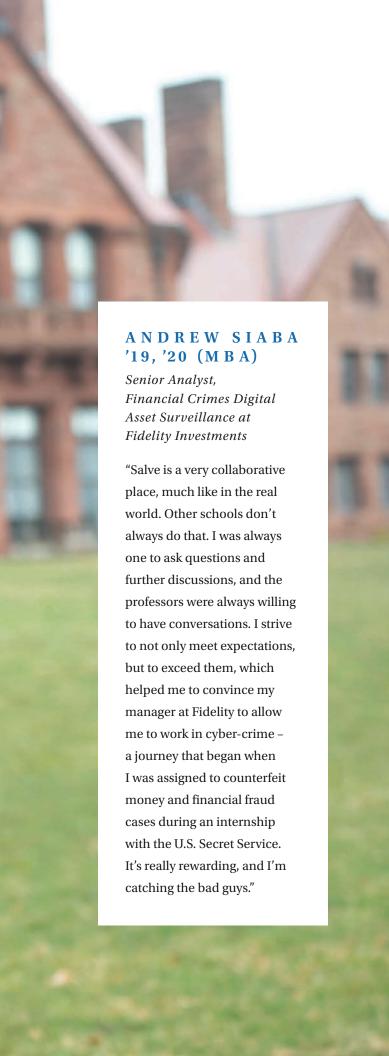
BRANDON GROVER '24

Business Administration Major, Data Analytics Minor

Varsity Baseball Team Captain / Member of the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee

"You can really tell that there is a special culture being built here. Salve Athletics does a great job in promoting a balance between academic and athletic success. You are challenged every day to be better than you were the day before. It is not only going to help you be successful now but is vital to future success after Salve."





UNDERGRADUATE

Accounting

Art/Studio art (ceramics, graphic design, illustration, interactive media, painting, photography)

Art history

Biochemistry

Biology

Business administration

Chemistry

Chemistry and bioengineering (3+2 dual degree)

Communications

Creative writing and publishing

Criminal justice and criminology

Cultural and historic preservation

Cybersecurity minor

Dance

Data analytics minor

Data science (3+2 dual degree)

Early childhood education

Early childhood education and special education Economics

Elementary education

Elementary and special education

Engineering (3+2, 3+3 dual degree)

Entrepreneurship minor

Environmental studies

Film minor

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Finance

Food studies minor

French

Global business and economics

Global studies

Healthcare administration

History

Hospitality minor

Human services minor

Italian studies minor

Literature

Marketing

Mathematics

Mathematical finance

minor

Medical laboratory sciences

science

Music

Music education

Neuroscience minor

Nursing (direct entry)

Pharmacy (3+3 dual degree)

Philosophy

Political science

Pre-health

Pre-law

Pre-med

Psychology

Religious and

theological studies

Secondary education (in combination with biology, chemistry, history, literature or mathematics)

Social work

Sociology and anthropology

Spanish

Spanish for the health and service professions minor

Sports management

Theatre arts

Women, gender and sexuality studies minor

World languages education (French or Spanish)

GRADUATE

Administration of justice and homeland security

Behavior analysis

Business administration (MBA)

Clinical counseling with specializations in clinical rehabilitation and holistic clinical mental health counseling

Creative writing, low residency MFA (Newport MFA)

Healthcare administration

Leadership dynamics and practice

Innovation and strategic management

International relations Nursing (DNP and MSN) Earn your bachelor's and master's degrees in an accelerated time frame, most in 5-years, with direct entry into the following programs:

- Business administration (B.S., MBA)
- Criminal justice and criminology (B.A.) and administration of justice and homeland security (M.S.)
- Healthcare administration (B.S., M.S.)
- History or political science (B.A.) and international relations (M.A.)
- Psychology (B.A.) and behavior analysis (M.S.)
- Psychology (B.A.) or social work (B.S.) and clinical counseling (M.A.)



Learning and living through the lens of an ever-expanding world view is what Salve students do best. Whether by attending on-campus lectures and activities such as the twice-yearly Multicultural Education Week or by studying abroad through one of our many international program partnerships, students become part of something bigger by connecting with each other and with all those they meet as they discover who they are and who they want to be.









FOURTH YEAR

Faculty that inspire and professional connections that lead to opportunity.

At Salve, students have the possibility to have an impact on their community and career as the Compass learning integrates their post-graduate preparation.

Through research opportunities, presentations and networking, Salve students are uniquely prepared to answer the call of what the world needs. We know this is true because they're already doing it.





Each year, students in Sam Sacco's Econometrics class study the direct and indirect economic impact of a Newport organization and present their findings to business and community leaders who use the analyses to make both policy and funding decisions in Rhode Island. Past projects include evaluations of the famed Cliff Walk, the Naval Undersea Warfare Center and the impact of the pandemic on local tourism. As part of Newport Hospital's 150th anniversary commemoration, the class was commissioned by CEO and Salve alumna Crista Durand '92 to examine the hospital's impact; the resulting data demonstrated that it contributes more than \$54 million annually to the community.

#23 BEST REGIONAL UNIVERSITY (NORTH)

BEST VALUE SCHOOLS

BEST UNDERGRADUATE TEACHING

TOP PERFORMERS
ON SOCIAL MOBILITY

BEST NURSING SCHOOLS

U.S. News & World Report

The Princeton Review

TOP 6% in US for lifetime degree ROI

Georgetown Center on Education and the Workforce

CIARA MARRO-WILSON '23

Biochemistry Major 3+3 PharmD Program

> "All of the professors that I had over my three years at Salve were incredible. They were very supportive and kind, and they challenged me. Dr. Khadine Higgins, in particular, always showed me immense support and she is that professor who wants the absolute best for her students. When I heard about Salve's joint PharmD program, she was the first person I reached out to and she responded immediately, helping me right away to ensure my schedule was on track. Even when it came to course work, such as general chemistry, she was always willing to help any one of her students. She was and is always there when you need her, and I could not be more thankful to have had her as part of my Salve experience. Her kindness, humor, and care will never be forgotten."



FOURTH YEAR

A CULMINATING EXPERIENCE

MORGAN MATOS '23

Early Childhood Education Major Special Education Minor OCHRE Scholar / Pell Honors Student



Morgan credits faculty like Dr. Pamela O'Day and Dr. Holly Carrol Moore for preparing her for a career in education. "The professors and field experiences at Salve Regina prepare you to enter the world of education. I am confident that I will land in a position that best fits my teaching style and educational philosophies. As seniors, we spend quite a bit of time developing a digital portfolio that makes us stand out against other applicants. This is a tool that many education majors will be using throughout the interview process to showcase the variety of work we have done throughout these past few years in our placements. Although the idea of leaving Salve is a little daunting, I am excited and feel fully prepared to face the world of education!"



JUWAAN DOUGLAS-JENKINS '22

Biology Major Chemistry and Healthcare Administration and Management Minors

Following graduation, Juwaan joined the Gisela Storz Lab as part of the National Institute of Health (NIH) Postbaccalaureate Intramural Research Training Award (IRTA) program, working side-by-side with some

of the world's leading scientists in an environment devoted exclusively to biomedical research. Juwaan works to identify and characterize small regulatory proteins. He credits Dr. Anna Reid, assistant professor in the Department of Biology and Biomedical Science, with his success. "As my research mentor for three years, Dr. Reid has truly inspired me. Without her insight and guidance, I would not be the researcher I am today."

OTO/ Employed or in graduate school within 6 months of graduation* One of America's Best Colleges



Money Magazine Best Colleges in America 2023

* 10 year average of respondents to Salve's first destination survey

ETHAN HEIDGERD '22

Nursing Major Healthcare Administration and Management Minor

> Ethan prepared for the National Counseling Licensure Exam (NCLEX) after graduation to become a licensed nurse. After taking the NCLEX, he continued working as a certified nursing assistant at Yale New Haven Hospital before starting his training to be a registered nurse. While there's no doubt that the Salve Regina nursing program is rigorous, Ethan said that his faculty were very knowledgeable and always willing to go the extra mile to help their students. "I had a very rewarding four years as a nursing student, and I feel well prepared to be a registered nurse - all thanks to my professors and clinical preceptors who have helped me every step of the way."



Top 3%
Best College Locations

Niche 2022

in America

#7

Most Beautiful College Campus

University Magazine 2023

SHANNON CUSHING '05

Communications Major Dance Minor

Morgan Rizzo met Shannon Cushing for the first time when the former Communications major was a guest speaker in Dr. Donna Harrington-Lueker's feature article writing course. Later, Morgan was asked to research and interview a local business as part of the class and chose a small, family-owned business in Mystic, Connecticut, for her article, which the professor forwarded to Shannon, a magazine editor in the area.

"I loved it from the first sentence, so I immediately reached out and asked her if she wanted to add a few more things to the story for print in the magazine," says Shannon.

"Morgan quickly made the changes and sent back an incredible Q&A. In fact, we made it the cover story!"

"Having the cover story was the highlight of my junior year," said Morgan, who continued to submit feature articles to Shannon on a wide variety of topics.

"Morgan is so talented," said Shannon. "It's awesome to see her wanting to expand her skills and gain industry knowledge. She was a joy to work with. Maybe someday she will be my editor!"

"I still consider Shannon a mentor," said Morgan, who joined A.T.Y. Hospitality as the social media and marketing manager after graduating. "I have called her with graphic design questions. She let me know in a sweet note that as a Salve alumnus she wants to stay in touch and really be there for me."

Being a supportive community is something that
Salve Regina prides itself on – and that starts from day one.

Here, we work with you every step of the way to make
attending Salve your reality. We encourage students
to think of financial aid as a long-term relationship. The experienced
counselor who helps you navigate the application process
will be working with you from your first questions about the FAFSA
through Commencement.



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Complete application includes:

- Common Application and fee (\$50)
- · Official high school transcript
- Two letters of recommendation

SAT and/or ACT optional

Additionally, for select applicants

- Portfolio required for studio art (submitted through the student status page)
- Audition required for dance (see salve.edu/dance-auditions)
- Evidence of English proficiency for non-native speakers
 (TOEFL, IELTS or Duolingo tests)
- Curriculum information and/or portfolio of work required for all homeschooled candidates
- Official college transcript and college report required for transfer students (learn more at salve.edu/transfer)

APPLICATION DEADLINES

FALL (SEPTEMBER) ADMISSION

November 1*	Early Action I Early Decision Nursing*
January 5	Early Action II
February 1	Regular Decision

*Students interested in the nursing program are required to apply by November 1. Learn more at **salve.edu/nursing**.

SPRING (JANUARY) ADMISSION
December 1

salve.edu/apply



I am thrilled that you are considering Salve Regina University as you explore possibilities for your future college home. As you learn more about our remarkable oceanfront campus, you will discover a special, one-of-a-kind place that is fully committed to your success. You will meet our dedicated faculty who are known for their outstanding mentorship of students as they facilitate your learning in our small but dynamic classes. At Salve, we balance deep subject knowledge with state-of-the-art tools and facilities, and theoretical understanding with practical experience.

A Salve education is measured by the impact that our graduates have on the world. Today, more than ever, we are in dire need of educated leaders with both the perspective and ability to address society's most pressing issues. At Salve, our students learn to tackle global problems through the lens of the Critical Concerns of the Sisters of Mercy – Earth, immigration, non-violence, women and anti-racism. These concerns directly address the most acute challenges our communities face, and our Salve graduates are uniquely positioned to be the ethical leaders our society needs.

With the Salve Compass as its framework, a Salve education is a transformative, mercy-inspired experience amidst an inclusive community. Here, you will enjoy the advantages of studying in the globally connected city of Newport, and you will have ample opportunity to augment your classroom and co-curricular campus experiences through community engagement, internships, practicums and study abroad. A degree from Salve will best position you to have a meaningful impact on the world.

I invite you to apply for admission to Salve Regina University. Please be sure to visit so you can see firsthand our unique campus and experience our welcoming community. I firmly believe that we offer a life-changing education, supporting our students every step along the way as they become their very best selves.

Warm regards,

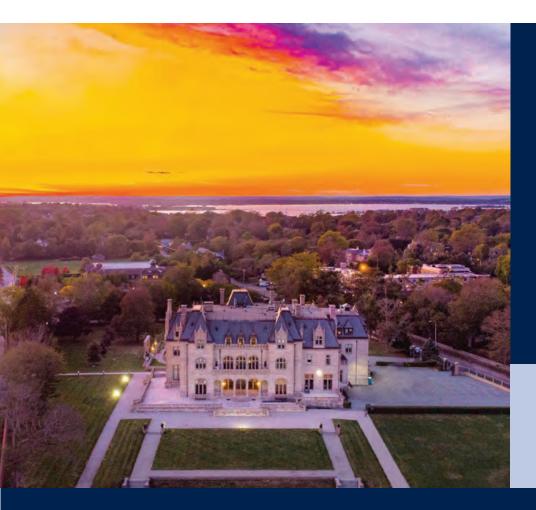
Kelli J. Armstrong, Ph.D.

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President, Salve Regina University







"I knew Salve was going to become a second home the minute I stepped onto the campus. I wanted to go to school somewhere that felt like home, but where I could still feel independent. I have felt supported throughout my educational career and feel fully prepared to go out into the work force after graduation."

-Ashley '22

Find the admissions counselor for your school at salve.edu/counselor.

We invite you to visit our beautiful campus, talk to faculty and students and discover your place at Salve. We are here to help you. Stay connected with us throughout your college search and contact us if you have any questions along the way.



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