



WELCOME **International Students**



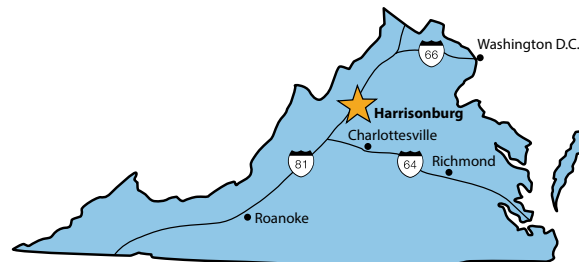
OBTAINING A VISA

Our experienced admissions counselors will walk you through the visa process step by step. Simply apply to begin the first step.

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Traveling to EMU

EMU is located in the small, friendly city of Harrisonburg, Virginia. There is a true sense of community here, as well as a large degree of cultural and linguistic diversity. Travel time to Washington D.C. is two hours.



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HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA

About EMU

EMU, with 100 years of producing leaders across many disciplines, is located in the peaceful Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, USA. Our 1,800 students represent diverse backgrounds from all over the world including some 100 international students. Undergraduate students participate in cross-cultural studies in other countries and experience intellectual and professional life in Washington D.C. through EMU's residential Washington Community Scholars' Center.



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Applying to EMU

Are you ready to take the first step in the admissions process? Apply today! We are always accepting applications for the fall and spring terms. We encourage you to apply in advance so that all steps can be completed on time. (www.emu.edu/apply)

Document Requirements

All documents (including financial) submitted to EMU must be translated into English by a professional translation company.

Foreign university transcripts must be evaluated by a NACES member institution. We recommend World Education Services (WES). You may visit their website at www.wes.org for more information. The student is responsible for the evaluation fee.

Testing Requirements

For unconditional admission, EMU requires the following minimum scores:

SAT (#5181):

Verbal: 460, Math: 460, Combined: 980

ACT (#4348):

Verbal: 19, Math: 19, Combined: 19

GPA: 2.6+

TOEFL (#5181)

iBT (internet based): 79 or higher

CBT (computer based): 213 or higher

Revised paper-based: 59

IELTS: 6.5 or higher

Don't you have an IELTS or TOEFL score? Don't worry. Perfect your academic English skills through our Intensive English Program. emu.edu/iep

Financial Aid for Undergraduate International Students

A U.S. degree from a private university is an investment in your future. EMU seeks to make this opportunity affordable by offering the International Student Grant, as well as a variety of merit-based academic scholarships. This covers between 10-50% of the cost of tuition. International students are also able to gain valuable experience and earn money through a variety of interesting jobs on campus.

OPT work authorization is available upon graduation. Three years for STEM fields. EMU's experienced staff will assist you each step of the way to apply for and maintain this work eligibility.

Living Arrangements

International students benefit from state-of-the-art housing in newly renovated residence halls. Meals are available when school is in session in the Dining Hall, Royals' Den, and Common Grounds Coffeeshop.

SEVIS Fee (Form I-901)

The U.S. has implemented a \$200 fee in order to support the SEVIS system. This fee must be paid prior to applying for the visa. Please remember to print a copy of the receipt for the visa appointment. For additional information and/or to pay this fee visit: www.ice.gov/sevis/i901.