LEARN IT WELL.



KEEP IT ALWAYS.



At Berry, your

INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT,

PRACTICAL LEARNING EXPERIENCES

and

PERSONAL DISCOVERY

will be carefully connected and constantly deepened through mentorship and reflection.

This gives them context and substance.

Which makes them last.









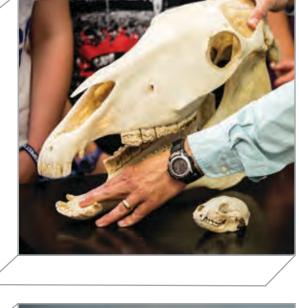




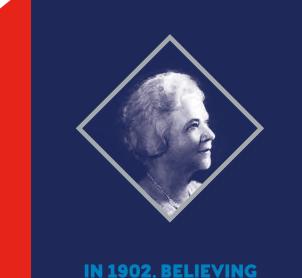














THAT A QUALITY

1,100 number of 400 SCHOLARLY **PRESENTATIONS** ARTICLES and BY BERRY FACULTY 10 40 at major professional conferences over OFFICE HOURS **BOOKS** published **TOP 10%** (at least) per week offered by Berry faculty the past five years RANKING OF BERRY'S STUDENT/ by each Berry professor MINORS AND over the past five years 190 CONCENTRATIONS 48,600 65 **FACULTY** presentations for which BERRY STUDENTS of Berry faculty members HOLD A PH.D. scholarly articles CO-AUTHORED BY **OFFICE HOURS** INTERACTION (according to the National Survey of (at least) available to **HAVE BEEN** OR THE HIGHEST Berry students throughout **BERRY STUDENTS CO-PRESENTERS** DEGREE in their field. Student Engagement) in the past five years the school year

SEEK CHALLENGE.

FIND SUPPORT.

You are wonderfully unique. Your education should be equally so.

HERE, YOU WILL DEVELOP A FOUR-YEAR PLAN

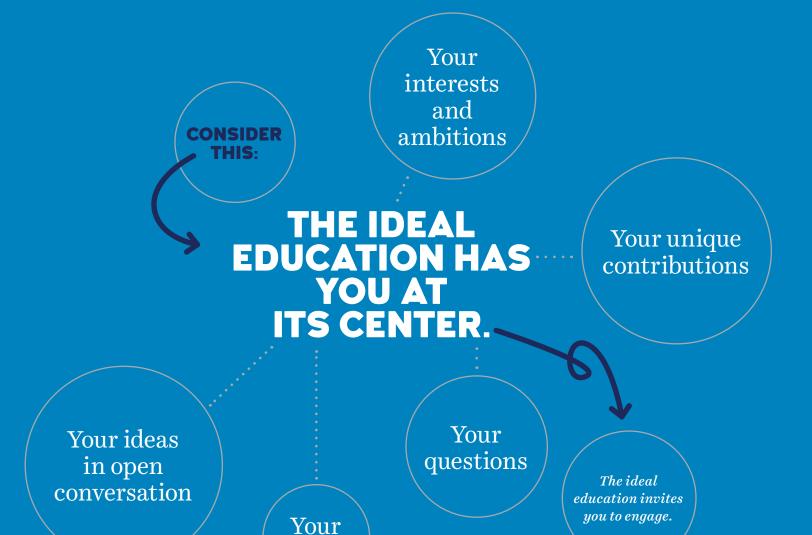
that relates your academic interests and professional goals to relevant practical learning experiences.

YOU WILL BE GUIDED BY TRUSTED MENTORS

who understand your goals and dreams, connect you with life-changing opportunities and consider your well-being as important as their own.

> (Come see what's possible when people walking different paths come together with common purpose.)

LEARN FROM THE BEST.



MAKE THEM EVEN BETTER.

values



TEACHERS. SCHOLARS. MENTORS.

THEIR BEST WORK IS DONE WHEN STANDING ELBOW-TO-ELBOW WITH STUDENTS. Whatever they're teaching, thinking, making, shaping, exploring or discovering at any given time, THEIR WORK IS ENHANCED BY YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS.



THERE'S ONLY ONE BERRY.

Here, you'll learn how to think and write and communicate with clarity and confidence. You'll apply your learning in practical contexts, over and over, until it really sticks.

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE (in its many forms) IS THE FOUNDATION OF EVERYTHING THAT HAPPENS HERE.

BUT IT'S EVERYTHING ELSE — distinctive experiences that amplify learning and uniquely prepare you for whatever comes next — **THAT PLACES THE BERRY EDUCATION IN A CATEGORY OF ITS OWN**.

(That's what the rest of this book is about.)

BERRY'S MORE THAN 75 MAJORS, MINORS, CONCENTRATIONS AND PRE-PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS

broaden your understanding, expand your intellectual toolkit and prepare you for mastery of a future that demands not only deep knowledge of your discipline but also the ability to move nimbly between an abundance of ideas and perspectives.

Accounting
Animal Science
Concentrations:
Pre-Vet/PreProfessional
Science
Production
Management
Applied Behavioral
Analysis
Applied Physics
Art

Applied Physics
Art
Concentrations:
Art Education
Art History
Studio Art
Biochemistry
Biology
Concentrations:

Concentrations:
Integrative Biology
Wildlife, Ecology
and Conservation
Cellular and
Biomedical

Business (minor only)
Chemistry
Communication
Concentrations:
Digital Storytelling
Public Relations
Sports

Communication
Filmmaking &
Cinematic Arts
Communication
Studies

Studies
Creative
Technologies
Creative Writing
Dance (minor only)
Early Childhood
Education

Economics
Elementary Education
English
Entrepreneurship
& Innovation

(minor only)
Environmental
Science
Environmental
Studies
Concentrations:

Environmental
Studies
Environmental
Policy Studies
Exercise Science
Family Studies
(minor only)

Finance
French
Geology (minor only)
German
History
Individually Designed
Major

International
Business
International Affairs
Legal Studies
(minor only)

Management
Marketing
Mathematics
Concentrations:

Computer Science

Mathematics Mathematics Education Middle Grades Education

Music
Music Education
Music with
Elective Studies
in Business

Music Performance Musical Theatre (minor only) One Health Science (minor only) Nursing Philosophy

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inor only) Professional Track
General Physics
tion Political Science
ations: Psychology
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ations (minor only)
Religion (minor only)

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atic Arts Entrepreneurship
cation (minor only)
Sociology &
Anthropology

Spanish
Sports
y) Administration
Teaching English
as a Foreign
Language
ation (minor only)

Theatre
Web Development
(minor only)
Women's and

Women's and
Gender Studies
(minor only)

DUAL-DEGREE

PROGRAMS
Engineering with
Georgia Institute
of Technology
School of
Engineering or

Kennesaw State

University

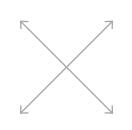
PREPROFESSIONAL

PROGRAMS
Pre-Veterinary
Pre-Medicine
Pre-Dental
Pre-Pharmacy
Pre-Health
Professions
Pre-Law
Pre-Physical Therapy

See the full list (including minors and concentrations) at: BERRY.EDU/ACADEMICS/MAJORS



CONTRIBUTE WITH PURPOSE.



RECEIVE WITH NO LIMIT.



SINCE OUR FOUNDING, BERRY HAS THRIVED ON THE IDEA OF SHARED COMMITMENT:

Martha Berry provided a quality education. Her students helped build the school and contribute to its daily operation.

The spirit of reciprocity continues today through The Berry Compact, a distinctive approach to education in which students take uncommon ownership of their college experience while receiving extraordinary mentorship and unmatched opportunities for professional and personal development.

What we provide:

A FOUR-YEAR PLAN

that carefully integrates classroom studies, experiential learning, purposeful reflection and personal development, guided by Berry's Center for Personal and Professional Development.

OUR LANDMARK LIFEWORKS PROGRAM,

which guarantees eight semesters of paid professional development to every Berry student, with the opportunity for significant leadership and management experience (learn more on page 16).

A CELEBRATED CULTURE OF MENTORSHIP AND SUPPORT

that helps our students develop as scholars, test and strengthen their character and thrive in every aspect of their lives (learn more on page 10). In turn, we ask you to truly engage in life and learning at Berry:

TAKE OWNERSHIP BY CONTRIBUTING TO THE DAILY WORK OF MAINTAINING YOUR COLLEGE,

choosing among more than 1,000+ possibilities and filling key roles in any of our 180 departments (learn more on page 16).

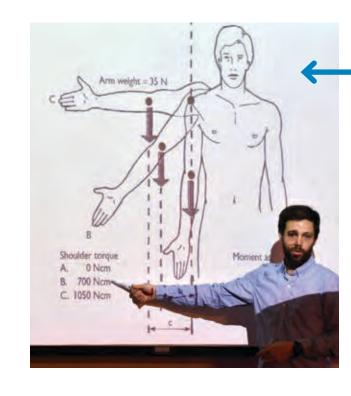
SHOW UP AND DIG IN,

sharing your experience, opinion and energy with the Berry community — in class and everywhere else.

USE WHAT YOU LEARN HERE FOR THE GOOD.

putting your education in motion for the benefit of the Berry community and the larger world.

THE RESULT IS AN EDUCATION THAT IS NOT JUST UNIQUE BUT ALSO IMPOSSIBLE TO DUPLICATE.





The essential core of the Berry education is a student-faculty partnership that results in a

FOUR-YEAR SEQUENCE OF INTROSPECTION, EXPERIENCE, GROWTH AND REFLECTION.

It ensures the things you learn will relate to the things you do and the person you become.







FIRST YEAR

Connect with your faculty mentor; identify ideas that excite you.

Start your first campus job (equivalent of entry-level internship).

Make friends, learn to set goals and find your place in the Berry community.

SECOND YEAR

Choose or affirm your major; take courses that challenge you.

→ Select a job with increased responsibility — one that complements your studies.

Build character through leadership; identify mentors and post-graduate goals.

THIRD YEAR

Deepen your study through a hands-on project or experience.

Take a job with a significant management or mentoring component; prepare for graduate school or job applications.

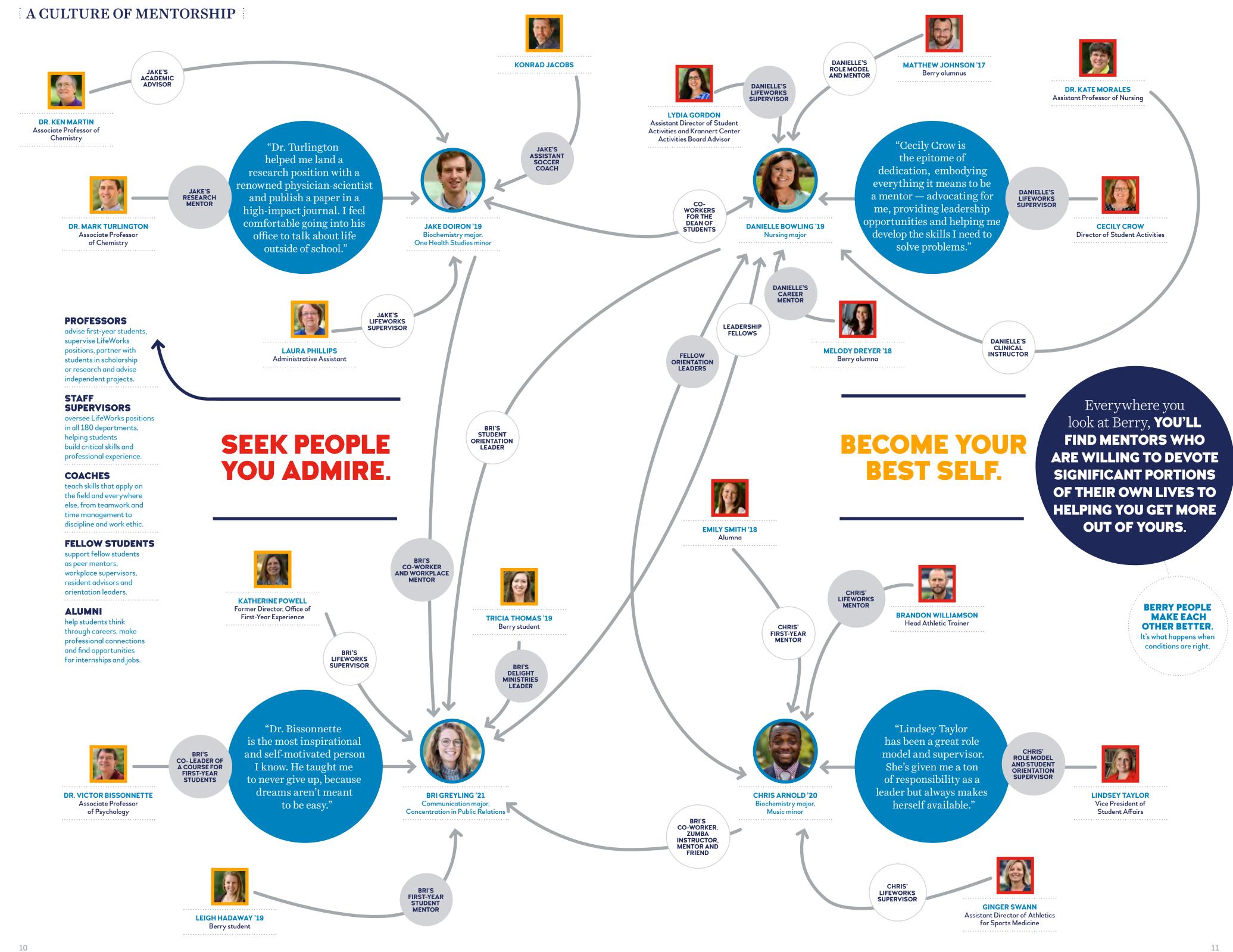
Evaluate your post-college goals; reflect upon and articulate your values and ambitions.

FOURTH YEAR

Prepare to discuss your intellectual growth and accomplishments (this will help you in job interviews).

Reflect upon your growth in work and leadership; train and mentor younger peers.

Create a plan for your next five years; remember that Berry will always be home.



EXPLORE THE WORLD.

MAKE IT YOUR OWN.

YOUR LIFE ON THIS CAMPUS

(the world's largest) will be distinguished by daily opportunities to make positive contributions — while logging invaluable professional experience.

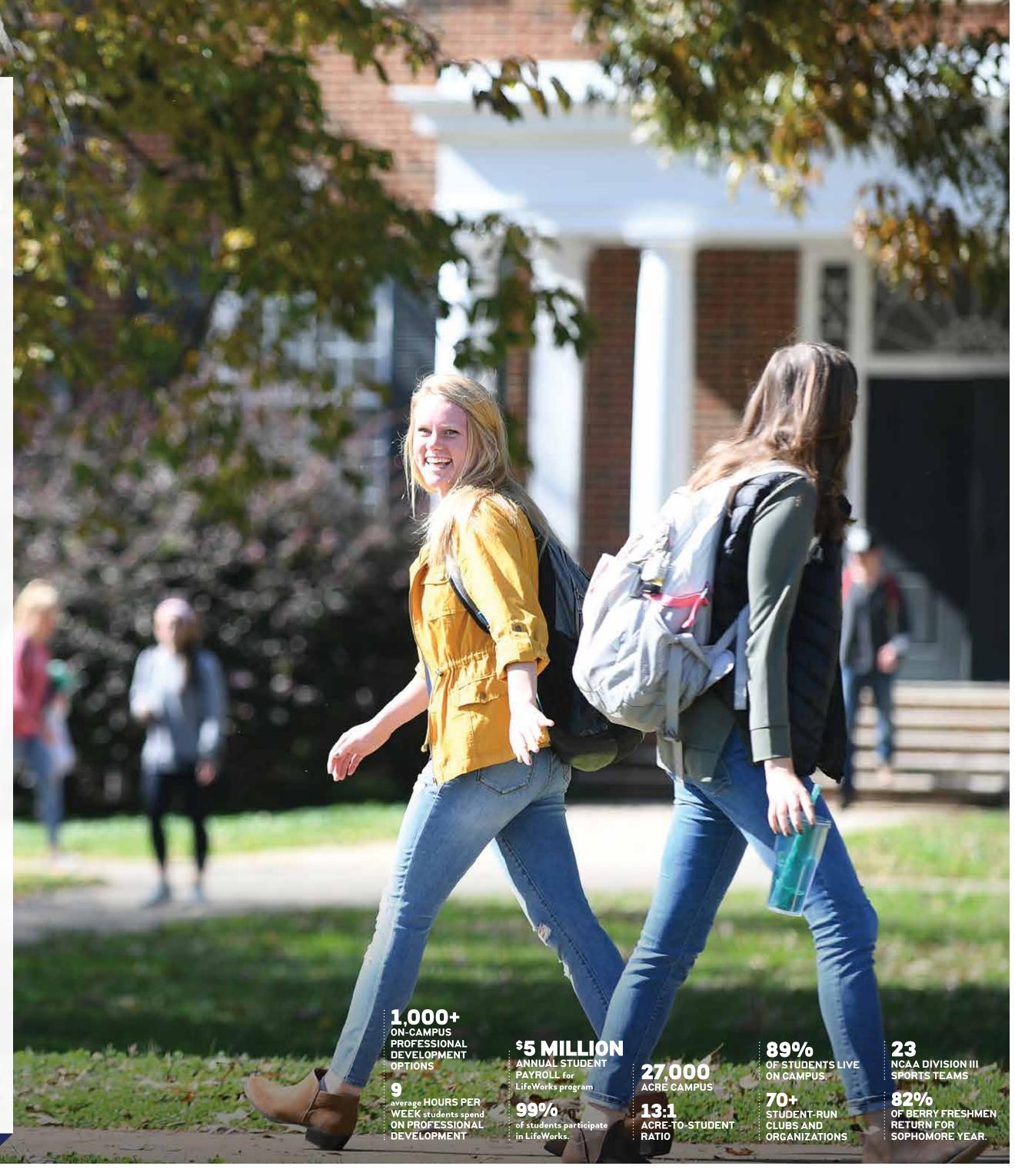
YOUR LIFE IN THIS COMMUNITY

will be a joyful celebration of friendship and new ideas, centered around the people and pursuits you most enjoy.

YOUR LIFE AFTER BERRY

will be built on a solid foundation of knowledge, preparation and lasting connections.

(From the moment you join this community and for the rest of your life—you'll be part of something bigger than yourself.)



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WORK A JOB.

BUILD A LIFE.

Distinguishing our culture and education since 1902, Berry's LifeWorks program gives all students the opportunity to log EIGHT SEMESTERS OF PROFESSIONAL **DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE** so they can earn money while learning on the job and developing into dream employees.



HOW IT WORKS

Everyone starts at a **Level 1** (entry level) position and works their way up from there, as high as **Level 5** (program director). Regardless of the type of work, you'll gain valuable skills and experience at every step.

The result of four years of intensive, built-in professional development, our graduates are known for being

CONFIDENT, SELF-MOTIVATED, RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS with an **UNSHAKABLE WORK ETHIC** and **UNCOMPROMISING CHARACTER.**

Level 1: DIG IN

WHAT YOU DO

Mow the grass. Answer the phones. Serve the lunch. In other words: the critical nuts-and-bolts business of making Berry run.

WHAT YOU GAIN

A solid backbone. Down-to-earth grit. Dependability. The humility and steady work ethic that employers look for. And maybe some cooking skills.

WORK POSSIBILITIES

Grounds Crew Member, Housekeeper, Postal Clerk, Pre-K Assistant, Ceramics Studio Assistant, Outdoor Recreation Assistant Social Media Assistant



GLORY IS BUILT ON DOGGEDNESS.

Level 2: STEP UP

WHAT YOU DO

Take on more challenging aspects of the job, learning a specialty and working with others to accomplish complex tasks.

WHAT YOU GAIN

Time management Problem-solving. Teamwork.

WORK POSSIBILITIES

Event Coordinator, Athletics Trainer, Financial Services Assistant, Ropes Course Technician, IT Network Operations Assistant, Science Lab Assistant, Theatre Scene Shop Technician, Prospect Research Assistant, Strength and Conditioning Assistant



THE KEY TO PERSONAL SUCCESS IS LEARNING HOW TO **DEPEND ON OTHERS.**



Level 3: CONTRIBUTE

WHAT YOU DO

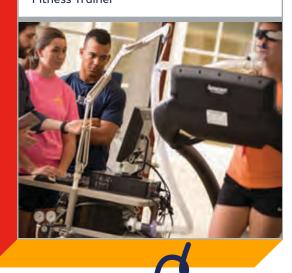
Work in a research lab. Help edit the campus newspaper. Up your involvement and increase your responsibilities.

WHAT YOU GAIN

Discipline. Self-confidence. Analytical chops.

WORK POSSIBILITIES

Accounting and Finance Specialist, Genetics Reproduction Manager, Photo Editor, Social Media Manager, Carbon Neutrality Assistant, Veterinary Assistant, Campus Ministry Coordinator, Personal Fitness Trainer



THE BIG PICTURE COMES INTO **FOCUS WHEN YOU PAY ATTENTION** TO THE IMPORTANT DETAILS.



Level 4: MANAGE

WHAT YOU DO

Shift from learning the ropes to showing others how to climb them. There's no better way to cement what you've learned than teaching it to someone else.

WHAT YOU GAIN

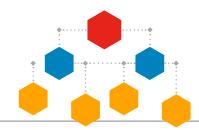
Responsibility. Diplomacy. Discernment.

WORK POSSIBILITIES

News Producer, Grounds Crew Supervisor, Chemical Inventory Manager, Advanced Peer Educator, Predictive Analytics Specialist, IT Helpdesk Supervisor, Athletic Concessions Manager, Coordinator of Volunteer Services, Dance Company Manager, Fitness Supervisor



GUIDING OTHERS DEEPENS YOUR OWN CAPACITY.



Level 5: LEAD

WHAT YOU DO

Oversee a program. Manage a staff. Conduct reviews. Track budgets. Address challenges. Demonstrate positive results.

WHAT YOU GAIN

Accountability. Judgment. Fearlessness.

WORK POSSIBILITIES

Horse Barn Director, Nutrition Specialist, Computer Lab Director, Science Lab Director, Campus Ministry Leader, Chief Building Supervisor, Student Admissions Counselor, Newspaper Editor-in-Chief, Financial Planning Analyst



THE STAKES ARE **HIGHER WHEN THE BUCK STOPS WITH YOU —** AS ARE THE REWARDS.

Every one of Berry's **180 DEPARTMENTS EMPLOYS STUDENTS,** providing options that bolster resumes by building practical skills and intangible attributes

in every profession.

 Academic Support and Research

- Animal Care
- Arts and Theatre Athletics/Fitness/
- Recreation
- Business Consulting that contribute to success Business Operations
- Communication and Media Arts
- Community Engagement
 Library Services
- Education (pre-K-8)
- Environmental Sustainability
- Event Planning • Graphic Design
- Hospitality
- Laboratory Support
- Marketing

• Publications -

Writing/Editing

- Medical Services Philanthropy
- Student Services Technology

· Religion/

Public Relations/

Communications

Chaplain's Office

Skills and Crafts

Tutoring



ENCOUNTER NEW IDEAS.

THE OTHER HALF OF YOUR BERRY EDUCATION **UNFOLDS BEYOND THE CLASSROOM WALLS.**

You'll spend every day for four years living, learning, discussing, debating, discovering, exploring, absorbing, convening, communing and otherwise experiencing life with a concentrated gathering of smart, engaged and fascinating people.





There's just something about this place. Our students are WARM, KIND, WELCOMING and GENUINELY HAPPY to be here.

CULTURE

OUTDOOR RECREATION

Cheaply RENT WHATEVER EQUIPMENT YOU NEED TO EXPLORE OUR STUNNING CAMPUS. Camp, hike, cycle, canoe, fish, hunt or ride horseback on campus. Join off-campus climbing, kayaking and standup paddleboarding adventures.





The Cage Center, a 131,000-square-foot

facility, seats nearly 2,000 for varsity

athletics, and also contains a natatorium with observation seating, a fitness center,

racquetball courts and an indoor track.

Classes in yoga, Zumba, Barre, cycling

PERSONAL TRAINING IS FREE to students,

either individually or in small peer groups.

and other classes are offered weekly.

FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS

The creative impulse is everywhere at Berry, from our classrooms to our makerspaces to the DOZENS OF PERFORMANCES, TALKS, FILM SCREENINGS, WORKSHOPS AND GALLERY EXHIBITS by Berry students and visiting artists each year.



10 GALLERY SHOWS



MAINSTAGE THEATRICAL



2 DANCE CONCERTS





LIVE MUSIC PERFORMANCES



15MASTERCLASSES AND SEMINARS



65–70 LECTURES



5–10 FILM SCREENINGS

RESIDENTIAL LIFE

89% OF STUDENTS LIVE ON CAMPUS. walking or biking from place to place, each residence hall a microcommunity with its own identity, spirit and pride of ownership. Resident advisors suggest resources or help you through a bad day. An absence of Greek life means A SOCIAL SCENE THAT'S OPEN AND WELCOMING TO ALL.







CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

Berry's 70+ STUDENT-RUN CLUBS and **ACTIVITIES** create opportunities for involvement and leadership in performing arts, government, service, media, religious life and celebration of culture.



HISTORICALLY NONDENOMINATIONAL. Berry embraces the Christian principles of **INCLUSIVITY** and **SERVICE**, encourages examination of FAITH and VALUES and is welcoming and respectful to those from all religious backgrounds. Supported by campus ministers and faculty and staff advisors, a variety of student-run religious-life groups provide opportunities for exploration and spiritual growth.

FAITH



EVENTS

Campus pulses. Especially on weekends. A well-funded student board plans and organizes more than 200 EVENTS EACH YEAR. Big days and traditions dot the calendar, from Spring Fling to Rage in the Cage to Marthapalooza (the celebration honoring our legendary founder).



INTRAMURALS

Everything from basketball and soccer to pickleball and Wiffle ball; 40 PERCENT OF BERRY STUDENTS RUN. KICK. SHOOT AND SHOUT THEIR WAY THROUGH APPROXIMATELY 600 GAMES/MATCHES/FEATS OF STRENGTH PER YEAR







ATHLETICS

Berry athletes are genuinely kind but fiercely competitive when the whistle blows or the first pitch flies. 23 NCAA DIVISION III VARSITY TEAMS channel the trademark Berry work ethic into thrilling effort and consistent success — to the tune of 23 CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS **OVER THE PAST FIVE YEARS.** Off the field, coaches, LifeWorks supervisors and professors work together to help students schedules, on-campus work and academic commitments. Non-athlete students support Berry's teams by running gameday operations, overseeing concessions and working as athletic trainers.

It's a full-community effort. Just like everything else at Berry.

WOMEN'S

- * BASKETBALL
- CROSS COUNTRY
- * FOUESTRIAN + GOLF
- * LACROSSE
- SOCCER
- SOFTBALL * SWIMMING & DIVING
- + TRACK & FIELD
- VOLLEYBALL

- BASEBALL • BASKETBALL
- · CROSS COUNTRY
- * FOOTBALL + GOLF
- LACROSSE
- SOCCER
- *SWIMMING & DIVING • TENNIS
- TRACK & FIELD

TEST THEM EVERY DAY.

JUST IMAGINE WHO YOU'LL BE ON THE OTHER SIDE.

Spoiler alert: You'll still be you, but a version that's way more interesting, compassionate, discerning, diplomatic, responsible, empathetic, generous, insightful, open, reflective, considerate and ... we've run out of space for the rest of the adjectives.

The thrilling conclusion?

By the time you walk across that graduation stage, you'll possess a strong sense of inner direction, having discovered a path that springs from your interests and values. You'll have powerful knowledge. And the skills to put it in motion. You'll be a practical thinker. And a creative one. You will be able to understand the needs of others. And you'll know how to work with them. You'll march forward with confidence.

> **YOU WILL BE READY.**



NICK O'CONNOR '18

Just three years out of college, Nick credits his fast start to professional experience gained leading the Student Enterprises Support Team through Berry's LifeWorks program — and to his work with the Berry Investment Group. An accounting and finance major, Nick learned much about business and life from a network of Berry mentors, from his finance professors to fellow student Aaron Chastain '15, who not only helped Nick hit the ground running in his first year of college but helped him learn the ropes as a fellow analyst at Aon Hewitt.

"Berry gave me a chance to gain relevant professional experience, work ethic and leadership skills, setting myself up for a promising future."

DR. MICHELLE

Michelle earned her D.O. at Edward

agreement) before completing her

"I have been $trained\ to\ do$

anything within the wide scope

of family medicine, and to be

among the best in my field."



Recently named to Forbes Magazine's list of 30 under 30 Social Entrepreneurs, Brin's work in Uganda began when she taught microfinancing to Ugandan women and provided comfort to patients with AIDS/HIV as part of a Berry-funded summer learning experience. By graduation, she had founded the nonprofit The African SOUP, an organization that works to help Ugandans channel community development into national impact (and which was featured on CNN and HuffPost). Brin is now chief strategy officer of the Watson Institute, where she is working to create an "Olympic training ground" for social entrepreneurs.

"Anyone, anywhere is capable of helping somebody. I hope people will see that if I can do something like this, anyone can."



DARREN BARNET '13

JACKSON LITTLE '12

A dual biology/Spanish major at Berry, Via College of Osteopathic Medicine (with which Berry enjoys an articulation residency at Floyd Medical Center, where she was selected as chief resident. Michelle now practices family medicine at Hamilton Healthcare System. While walking the long road of preparing for her own practice, Michelle has generously donated her time and expertise to mentoring Berry students interested in pursuing careers in medicine.

> blessed to have an opportunity to pursue a career I am incredibly passionate about."



Just a few years into his career as a professional entertainer, Berry international studies major (and Gate of Opportunity Scholar) Darren has made a name for himself in Hollywood, playing hunky Paxton in the hit Netflix series "Never Have I Ever" (2020). He has also appeared as young Jack on the popular NBC drama "This Is Us," in addition to his work on "Agents of S.H.I.E.L.D." and "Criminal Minds." When not acting or developing scripts, Darren composes original hiphop music under the stage name "Charlie

"I love the journey. I am

99%

of 2019-2020 graduates report that a Berry education led to a job or acceptance to graduate or professional

completed a significant research studied or traveled abroad.

35%

59% held a level 4 or level 5 job, logging significant managerial or supervisory experience

74% of May 2020 bachelor degree recipients reported having a job or acceptance to graduate school at graduation day.

Admitted to professional schools at the following rates:

MEDICINE: 98% LAW: 96% VETERINARY: 79%

Statistics accurate as of 9/1/2020

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KRAFT ANALYTICS

MARCUS AUTISM

NEWELL BRANDS

PIRELLI TIRE NORTH

SHEPHERD SPINAL

TENNESSEE AQUARIUM

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL

SCHOOLS WHERE

ARE CURRENTLY

CINCINNATI CONSERVATORY OF

BERRY GRADUATES

STUDYING INCLUDE: AUBURN UNIVERSITY

LABORATORY

SIERRA CLUB

SMITHSONIAN

OAK RIDGE NATIONAL

RECENT YEARS

DELTA AIR LINES

OF NATURAL RESOURCES

THE HOME DEPOT

STANFORD UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

UNIVERSITY OF UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA

UNIVERSITY OF VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

VIRGINIA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY

COMPANIES WHERE RECENT **BERRY ALUMNI ARE CURRENTLY WORKING INCLUDE:**

AMAZON.COM ARAMARK

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT CHICK-FIL-A

THE COCA-COLA COMPANY DELOITTE

DUKE UNIVERSITY GLOBAL HEALTH INSTITUTE

EMORY HEALTHCARE GEORGIA-PACIFIC THE HOME DEPOT

THE JOHNS HOPKINS HOSPITAL KAISER PERMANENTE

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