

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT GUIDE 2025/2026




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Global Student
Success Program

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FIND YOUR FUTURE IN NEW YORK CITY

Build the future of your dreams in New York City at
Queens College of the City University of New York.

**There's no better place
to reach your full
potential than in the heart
of New York City.**

At Queens College, we believe learning happens both inside and outside the classroom and that there's no better place to learn than in one of the world's greatest cities.

Recognized nationally for our liberal arts and science programs, Queens College offers you a world of opportunities to pursue your passion. With incomparable access to organizations and companies from across the globe, you'll be able to build the future you've always wanted.

Come experience learning at Queens College where our uplifting community, world class programs and award-winning faculty will inspire you to reach for the stars.

**Serving 16,500 students
whose ancestries trace to
over 150 countries**

#7 Social Mobility, Regional
Universities North
U.S. News & World Report, 2025

#17 Top Public Schools,
Regional Universities North
U.S. News & World Report, 2025

#8

Best Value College Nationwide
Wall Street Journal, 2025

101

Languages spoken

TOP 12%

**Of U.S. Colleges offering
an excellent return on
investment**

**BEST
COLLEGE**

**2025 Best College for 33
consecutive years**
Princeton Review, 2025

OVER 100

**Grammy awards and nominations
won by students, faculty, alumni and
staff**

ENDLESS POSSIBILITIES AWAIT YOU IN NYC

New York City:

With over **8.3 million** people from over **110 countries**, NYC is the most populous city in the U.S.



More than **800 languages** are spoken.

Home to **the United Nations**, **The Statue of Liberty**, and **Times Square**



Explore over **100 museums** in NYC, including the Met, one of the largest art museums in the world

Times Square draws an estimated **50 million** visitors annually



Wall Street includes the two largest stock exchanges in the world by total market capitalization – **New York Stock Exchange** and **NASDAQ**.



“Joining Queens College through the GSSP was very helpful. As an international student, I needed that extra support and guidance. I’m new here. This is a whole different and exciting world.”

Aside from the academic support I’ve received, the extra social activities have made making new friends and connections easier. I’ve gained the confidence to really make a mark here.”

NANU

INDIA | Psychology

THE RIGHT PATH FOR YOUR FUTURE



Whether it's working on Broadway or on Wall Street, at a start-up or a Fortune 500 company, our students have access to a variety of internships, co-op programs and job placements.

QC students and alumni have won numerous awards and scholarships, including Big Apple, Fulbright, Gilman, MacArthur Foundation, Marshall, Mellon Mays, Rhodes, Salk and Truman.

\$2,550

Awarded to each student in the internship stipend program

1,000+

Employer and recruiter connections

Build Your Future at QC

Recent QC graduates have completed internships and accepted positions with:

- Google
- Amazon
- NASA
- Deloitte
- J.P. Morgan Chase
- Sony Pictures

amazon



Google

BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY AT QC

At Queens College, we're dedicated to helping you achieve your goals from the moment you apply through to graduation. The Global Student Success Office is here to support you in all aspects of student life.

This home away from home assists with many aspects of your life as a student: offering orientation programs as you transition to the American classroom, providing a comfortable space for students to hang out with friends or study on their own, and scheduling academic and social experiences throughout the year for students in all programs.

We're here to help you connect to the future you've always wanted. QC offers two types of entry including our Global Student Success Program (GSSP – equivalent to year 1 of your degree) or our General Admission (Direct Entry).

The GSSP has many advantages:

- Enjoy smaller class sizes with more personalized attention.
- Access to our knowledgeable academic advisors and tutoring.
- Full-fledged university student from day one.
- Access all our university facilities.
- Easily connect with other students through social activities, student clubs and organizations.
- Student leadership opportunities.
- Pre-arrival support services.

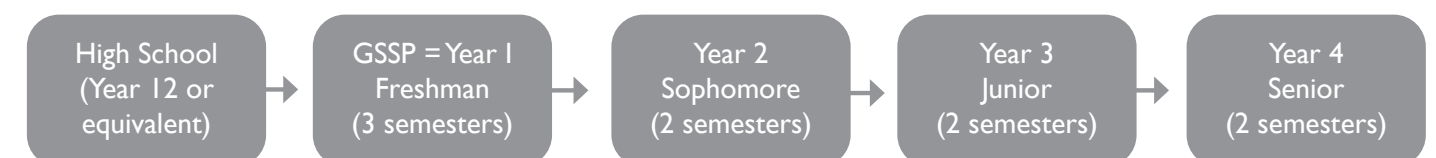


ENTRY OPTIONS TO QUEENS COLLEGE

GENERAL ADMISSION



GLOBAL STUDENT SUCCESS PROGRAM: UNDERGRADUATE



A TRULY GLOBAL CAMPUS COMMUNITY

Queens College is located in the heart of Queens, New York City's largest borough. Nearly half of Queens' 2.3 million residents were born overseas. We pride ourselves on our diverse student body. Queens College offers students a vibrant community like no other.

We believe in facilitating opportunities for students of all backgrounds and financial means so our programs are affordable and accessible. As part of the top one percent of all colleges in moving students from poverty to prosperity (recognized by the Equality of Opportunity Report), Queens College is a place where prosperous and fulfilling futures are realized.

Outstanding Faculty

- 575 full-time professors and lecturers.
- 74% of full-time faculty have a doctorate degree.
- Includes recipients of Fulbright fellowships, Guggenheim awards, National Institutes of Health grants and CUNY Distinguished Professors.

ACADEMIC FACILITIES

At Queens College, we offer a wide range of facilities to help students maximize their college experience.

Performance Spaces

- Three world-class concert venues managed by the Kupferberg Center for the Visual and Performing Arts.
- Multi-use, uniquely designed performance spaces for vocal and instrumental performances, conferences and lectures.

Athletics Program

- One of only two CUNY schools that participate in Division II athletics, with a total of 15 men's and women's teams.
- 40,000+ square feet of gym space including basketball and volleyball courts, 3,300 square feet of dance studios, six lanes of a 22 meter length pool, indoor and outdoor tennis courts, soccer, softball and baseball fields and track areas.

Campus Dining

- Variety of food options including vegan, vegetarian, Kosher and Halal offerings in the dining hall.

Queens Student Association

- Queens College has over 100 different clubs, organizations and student groups for students to participate in.

Libraries

- Queens College has two libraries with three extensive collections including the Benjamin S. Rosenthal Library which hosts the main collection and the Art Library, the Art Center at Queens College and the Music Library.

HOUSING HIGHLIGHTS

On-Campus Housing:

The on-campus housing option, The Summit Apartments, is conveniently located between the library and the gym and offers apartment style housing with single or shared bedrooms. The Summit has a fitness center, rehearsal spaces, laundry, Wi-Fi, cable TV, Residence Life Cinema (with over 150 movie titles a month) and its courtesy desk is staffed 24 hours a day.

Off-Campus Housing:

Students have many off-campus housing options to choose from including homestays and private rentals.



“ Queens College has given me the best opportunity I could imagine. It was a dream of mine to live and

study in New York. The city is very cultural, full of the most welcoming of people. With that said, the GSSP program was invaluable to me as an international student. I was coming into a new country, a new culture, a new environment. They gave me the advice and confidence I needed to not only make it here — but to thrive and maximize my experience and potential.”

VIDHI

INDIA | Finance, BBA: FinTech

Every semester, QC awards Global Student Success Scholarships to a number of select outstanding students who are actively engaged in the community.



Scan the code to find out more about our Global Student Success Scholarship.

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Programs

Below is a full list of the available majors, whether you begin Queens College through the Global Student Success Program or enroll via General Admission (Direct Entry). To find out more about our offerings and the intakes available, please visit our website.

- Accounting, BA
 - Actuarial Studies, BBA ✓
 - Africana Studies, BA
 - American Studies, BA
 - Anthropology, BA
 - Art History, BA
 - Biology, BA ✓
 - Byzantine and Modern Greek Studies, BA
 - Chemistry, BA ✓
 - Chinese, BA
 - Classics, BA
 - Communication Sciences and Disorders, BA
 - Comparative Literature, BA
 - Computer Science, BA/BS ✓
 - Design, BFA
 - Design, Animation and Illustration, BFA
 - Design, Communication Design, BFA
 - Design, Interaction Design, BFA
 - Drama and Theatre, BA
 - East Asian Studies, BA
 - Economics, BA
 - Economics, Quantitative BS ✓
- English, BA
 - Environmental Sciences, BA/BS ✓
 - Environmental Studies, BA ✓
 - Family and Consumer Sciences, BA/BS
 - Family and Consumer Sciences, BA - Food Management Studies
 - Family and Consumer Sciences, BA - Human Development Family Science
 - Fashion and Design, BA
 - Film Studies, BA
 - Finance, Corporate Finance Concentration, BBA
 - Finance, FinTech concentration (BBA)
 - French, BA
 - General Linguistics, BA
 - Geology, BS ✓
 - German, BA
 - Greek (Ancient), BA
 - Hebrew, BA
 - History, BS
 - Interdisciplinary Major, BA
 - International Business, BBA
 - Italian, BA
 - Jewish Studies, BA
- Labor Studies, BA
 - Latin, BA
 - Latin American Studies, BA
 - Linguistics TESOL, BA
 - Mathematics, BA
 - Mathematics, BA, Data Science and Statistics ✓
 - Media Studies, BA
 - Middle Eastern Studies, BA
 - Neuroscience, BA ✓
 - Nutrition and Dietetics, BS
 - Nutrition and Exercise Sciences, BS
 - Philosophy, BA
 - Photography & Imaging, BFA
 - Physics, BA/BS ✓
 - Political Science, BA
 - Psychology, BA
 - Religious Studies, BA
 - Russian, BA
 - Sociology, BA
 - Spanish, BA
 - Studio Art, BFA
 - Urban Studies, BA
 - Women and Gender Studies, BA

✓ Denotes STEM-designation

For more details related to programs and requirements, please visit our website.

PROGRAM SPOTLIGHT: FASHION & DESIGN

The Fashion and Design program at QC features a liberal arts curriculum that examines global fashion through the lens of history, theory, DEI initiatives, sustainability, and socio-cultural issues. We are unique in offering students a multi-disciplinary approach integrating fashion and material culture studies with practices in design.

The hands-on use of the QC Fashion and Textiles Collection gives our students training usually reserved for graduate level studies.



Learn more about our Academic and English language admission requirements.



Find out about our fees and estimated cost of attendance.



Learn more about our calendar of Important Dates.



See what's it like at QC by watching our video!



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