Highlights/Accomplishments

New Programs

- *MBA in Business Administration*
- *M.S. in Data Analytics*
- *B.S. in Mechanical Engineering*

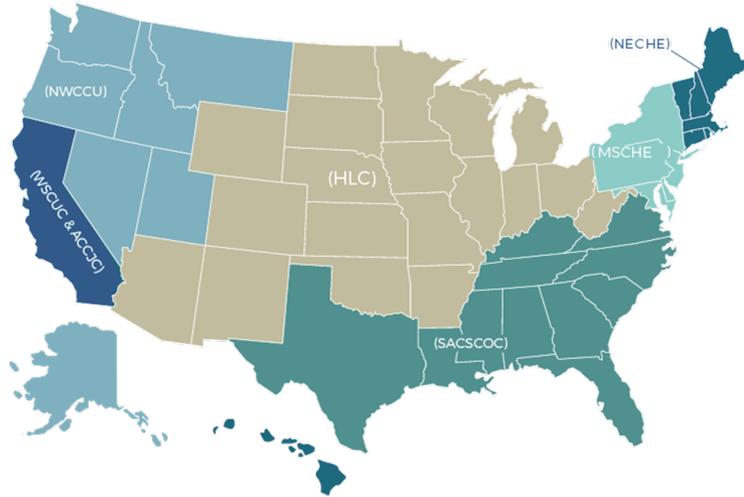## Dual Degree

- *B.S. in Chemistry VSU*
- *B.S. in Chemical Life Science Engineering (Chemical Engineering) VCU*

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Accreditation

Regional Accreditation

Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU)

Higher Learning Commission** (HLC)

WASC Senior College and University Commission* (WSCUC) & Accrediting Commission For Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges (ACCJC)

Southern Association of Colleges and School Commission on Colleges (SACSCOC)

Middle States Commission on Higher Education*** (MSCHE)

New England Commission on Higher Education (NECHE)

ABET
BE CONFIDENT™

CCNE ACCREDITED

ACPHA
Accreditation Commission for Program in Hospitality Administration

CSWE
ACCREDITED BY THE COUNCIL ON SOCIAL WORK EDUCATION

AACSB ACCREDITED

CAEP
Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation

NASM
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF MUSIC

Specialized or Programmatic

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Accreditation

Why is Accreditation Important

- Quality Assurance
- Transferability of Credits
- Employer Recognition
- Professional Licensing
- Financial Aid Eligibility

Accreditation Agencies

- Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (**AACSB**)

- **ABET** (formerly Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology)

- Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (**ACEND**)

- Accreditation Commission for Programs in Hospitality Administration (**ACPHA**)

- Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (**CAEP**)

Accreditation Agencies

- National Association of Schools of Art and Design (**NASAD**)

- Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (**CCNE**)

- Council on Social Work Education (**CSWE**)

- National Association of Schools of Music (**NASM**)

- Southern Association of College and Schools Commission on Colleges (**SACSCOC**)

SACSCOC Fifth-Year Interim Review

- ## Committee Report
  - *Core Requirement 8.1* (Student Achievement)
  - *Standard 5.4* (Qualified Administrative Officers)
  - *Standard 6.2.c* (Program Coordination)
  - *Standard 10.2* (Public Information)
  - *Standard 10.7* (Policies for Awarding Credit)
  - *Standard 14.1* (Publication of Accreditation Status)

SACSCOC Fifth-Year Interim Review

Next Step

- Referral Report to SACSCOC
  - *April 1, 2025*

- Notification from SACSCOC
  - *June 2025*

Quality Enhancement Plan

- Becoming Outstanding Leaders of Tomorrow (BOLT) – Accepted
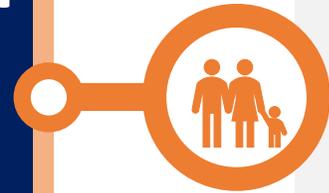
Accreditation Updates

RN to BSN in Nursing
Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)

Master of Social Work (MSW)
Council on Social Work Education (CSWE)

BA/BM in Music
National Association of Schools of Music (NASM)

Enhancing Student Achievement

VSU Degree +

Accelerated Programs

Accelerated Degree - Trojan2

Multiple Degrees

BIS – Certificates - Dual Degree Program

Career Experience

Badges and Internship/Micro-Internship

IBM HBCU All-Freshman Initiative

Student Success is Our Highest Priority

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VSU Priority 2:
Sustain Academic Excellence

2023-2024 Co-Curricular Experiences by College

Unpaid Internships	122	186
Paid Internships	52 / 48 / 59 / 49 / 26 / 16	
Field Practicum	264 / 4	
Externships	3 3	

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■ Agriculture ■ Business ■ Education ■ Engineering and Technology ■ Humanities and Sciences ■ Natural and Health Sciences
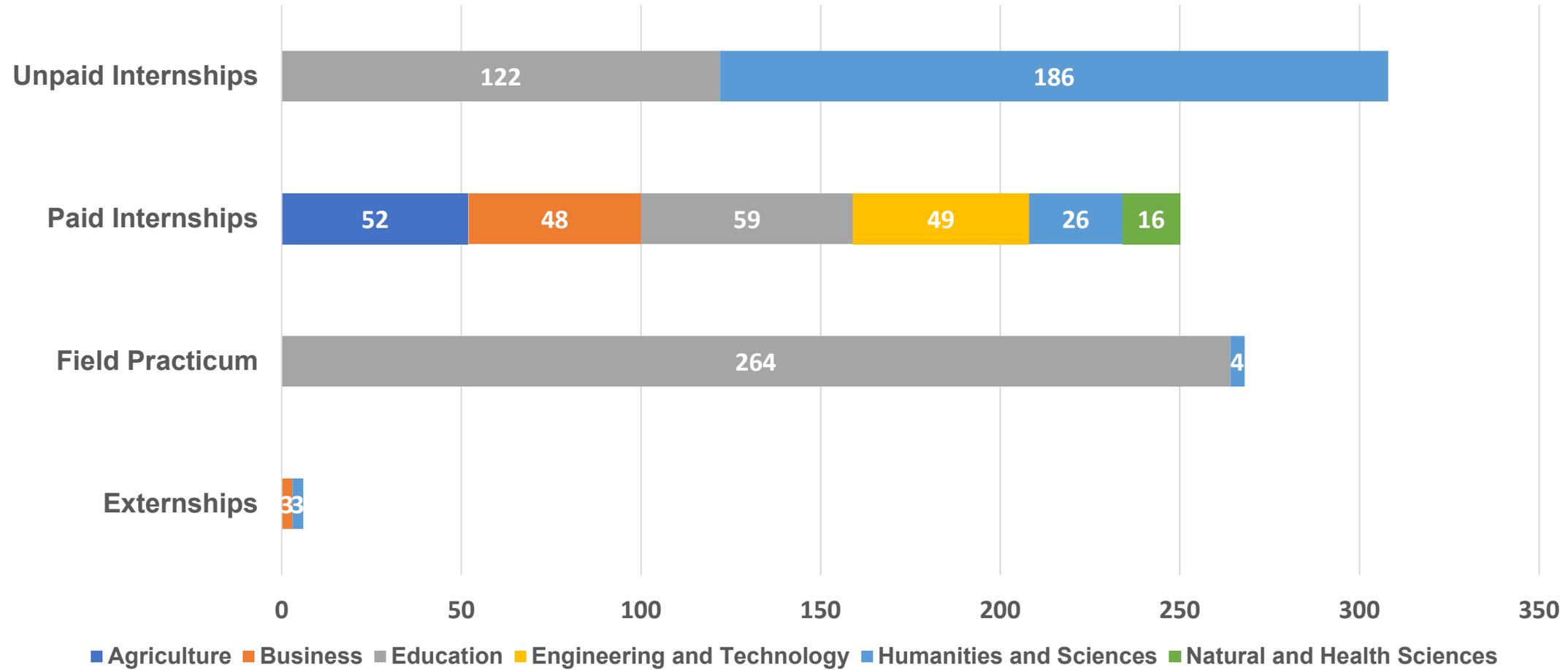
Source: Deans of VSU Colleges, July 2024

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Enrollment Trends

2022-23 DEGREES AWARDED

	Numbers	Percentage
Total Degrees	748	100%
Bachelors	620	82.9%
Masters	88	11.8%
Certificates	13	1.7%
Doctorates	27	3.6%

FALL 2023 ENROLLMENT

	Numbers	Percentage
Total Students	5,190	100%
Undergraduate	4,829	93%
Graduate	361	7%
Full-time	4,810	92.7%
Part-time	380	7.3%

2023-2024 TUITION AND FEES

	Undergraduates		Graduates	
	Virginia	Non-Virginia	Virginia	Non-Virginia
Tuition and Fees	$9,755	$22,006	$12,841	$24,154
Room and Board	$12,966	$12,966	$12,966	$12,966
Total	$22,721	$34,972	$25,807	$37,120

TOP SIX MAJORS (UNDERGRADUATE)

Psychology	502	10.4%
Biology	413	8.6%
Criminal Justice	410	8.5%
Management	388	8.0%
Health & Physical Education	357	7.4%
Computer Science	326	6.8%

2023 HIGHLIGHTS

Virginia State University announced its highest enrollment in school history, with 5190 students enrolled for the fall 2023 semester. The university also welcomed a record number of first-year students, with 1489 students joining the freshman class of 2027. According to the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, VSU had the highest enrollment increase of any college in the state from 2022 to 2023.

Virginia State University was recognized among the 2023 "Most Prestigious Universities Driving Student Success and Career Growth" by Insight Success magazine. A six-page article was featured in the magazine, displaying the hard work and commitment of our Trojan Family to ensure that Greater Happens Here.

Virginia State University ranked 16th overall in the U.S. News and World Report's 2024 rankings for HBCUs. There are 107 HBCUs in the United States. The report also ranked VSU first in the state as a Performer on Social Mobility, a list that evaluates which schools best serve and graduate underrepresented students.

Virginia State University announced that it is the first university in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and one of the first in the nation, to offer Wi-Fi 6E to its campus. Wi-Fi 6E is the latest generation and is considered the gold standard for Wi-Fi internet. The project was funded by a $2.8 million grant from the National Telecommunication and Information Administration (NTIA).

Virginia State University announced a first-of-its-kind and innovative program designed to attract and retain highly qualified employees and improve the economies of local communities. The VSU-HAPI (Home Assistance Payment Initiative) will provide eligible homebuyers up to a $10,000 match toward the down payment or closing cost of a newly purchased home.

TOTAL ENROLLMENT

5,190

New Students	1,867	36%
Returning Students	3,323	64%
In-State Students	3,772	72.7%
Out-Of-State Students	1,418	27.3%

FEMALE: 3,107 59.9%

MALE: 2,083 40.1%

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Welcome VSU 2027
New Trojan Profile

Greater Happens Here — Since 1882

FALL 2023

1,697 NEW STUDENTS
- 1,489 Joining the Class of 2027
- 208 Transfer Students

FEMALE: 1,013 59.7%

MALE: 684 40.3%

AGE

Under 18	18-24	25-39	40+
54	1,586	42	15
3.2%	93.5%	2.5%	0.9%

RACE

Foreign/International 17 / 1%

Black/African American	American Indian	Hispanic	Asian	White	Unknown
1,511	4	107	9	42	7
89%	0.2%	6.3%	0.9%	2.5%	0.4%

TOP MAJORS

Psychology	Biology	Management	Computer Science	Criminal Justice	Health & Physical Education
187	168	141	133	124	111
11%	9.9%	8.3%	7.8%	7.3%	6.5%

RESIDENCY

IN-STATE 1,147 67.6%

OUT-OF-STATE 550 32.4%

TOP STATES OUTSIDE OF VA

New York	167
Maryland	88
Washington, DC	59
New Jersey	44
Pennsylvania	29

FIRST-GENERATION TROJANS 668/39.4%

ACADEMIC ATTAINMENT

Average HS GPA	3.18
Average SAT/R score	479
Average SAT/M score	447
Average ACT score	18

VSU VIEW

New Graduate Students	136
New Doctoral Students	20

Thank You.

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