

College of Arts and Sciences

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Founded in 1872, the College of Arts and Sciences is the oldest college at Saint Peter's. The University's broad **core curriculum** is housed here and it thoroughly prepares students to critically address issues that are fundamental to a humane education. Students learn to intellectually appreciate diverse perspectives and ideas, to be conscious of social and moral obligations, and to respect the traditions of Jesuit education. The College's more than 50 undergraduate majors, minors, special programs, as well as its articulation programs and graduate programs are designed to further develop ethically minded students to become rigorous and critical thinkers, lifetime learners and strong leaders in today's diverse and global society.

Undergraduate Major Programs*

- Anthropology (B.A.)
- Art History (B.A.)
- Asian and Asian-American Studies
- Biochemistry (B.S.)
- Biology (B.S. and B.A.) – B.S. with a concentration in Forensic Science
- Biotechnology (B.S.)
- Chemistry (B.S. and B.A.) – B.S. with a concentration in Forensic Science
- Classical Languages and Literatures (B.A.)
- Classical Civilization (B.A.)
- Communication (B.A.)
- Criminal Justice (B.A.) – with concentrations in Law and Justice, Corrections, Police Administration, Investigative Sciences and Profiling, Criminal Research and Intelligence Analysis, Cyber Security and Computer Forensics, and Foundations of Law
- English Literature (B.A.)
- Environmental Studies (B.A.)
- Fine Arts (B.A.)
- Graphic Arts (B.A.) – a concentration in Photography is also available
- Health Sciences (B.S.)
- History (B.A.)
- Latin American and Latino Studies (B.A.)
- Mathematics (B.S. and B.A.) – B.A. with concentrations in Elementary Education, and in Secondary Education
- Medicinal Chemistry (B.S.)
- Modern Languages (B.A.) – with concentrations in Italian and/or French
- Natural Science (B.S.)
- Philosophy (B.A.) – with concentrations in Ethical Leadership and Ethics and Moral Philosophy
- Physics (B.S.)

- Political Science (B.A.)
- Psychology (B.S.) – with concentrations in Clinical, Industrial-Organizational, and Forensic Psychology
- Sociology (B.A.)
- Spanish (B.A.)
- Theology (B.A.)
- Urban Studies (B.A.)
- Visual Arts (B.A.)

* Almost all major programs offer a minor with a credit requirement ranging from 18 to 20 credits.

Undergraduate Minor Programs (self-standing)

- Africana Studies
- French
- Gender and Sexuality Studies
- Italian
- Journalism
- Music
- Social Justice
- Theater Arts

Collaborative/Articulation Programs

- Pre-Med/Pre-Dental Program (with Rutgers University)
- Pre-Pharmacy Program (with Rutgers University)
- Pre-Physical Therapy Program (with Rutgers University)
- Clinical Laboratory Sciences (with Rutgers University)
- Dual Bachelor's degree in Physics and Electrical Engineering (with New Jersey Institute of Technology)
- Joint B.S./M.S. Program in Physics/Engineering Physics (with Stevens Institute of Technology)
- Joint B.A./J.D. Program (with Seton Hall University)

Graduate Programs

- Communication and Public Relations (M.A.)
- Health Sciences (M.S.)
- Industrial-Organizational Psychology (M.S. and M.A.)
- Public Administration (M.A.)

* Accelerated graduate programs are available for high achieving undergraduate students.