

Welcome To Georgetown University!

The Blue & Gray Tour Guide Club in coordination with the Office of Undergraduate Admissions has designed this self-guided walking tour for prospective students, families, and visitors who enjoy the convenience of walking around Georgetown's campus at their leisure.

Begin your tour by walking from the Office of Undergraduate Admissions out onto the patio.

The building you have just exited is the White-Gravenor building. Completed in 1932, the first floors of White-Gravenor house the Office of Undergraduate Admissions, the Office of the Registrar and the Dean's Office of the Georgetown College of Arts & Sciences. The upper floors contain classroom facilities as well as the offices for Georgetown's Psychology Department.



With your back toward White-Gravenor, walk to the right and exit the White-Gravenor Patio. Proceed left, and walk on the diagonal brick walkway toward the Front Gates.

The Building on your immediate right as you first enter the walkway is Copley Hall. Copley is an upper-class residence hall that contains double occupancy rooms arranged as suites with a shared bath between two rooms. The first floor contains Copley Formal Lounge. This lounge is used as a formal reception and dining room for student and University gatherings.



Continue walking on the brick walkway across the lawn.

The grassy area on your left and right is known as Copley Lawn. Until 1928, this lawn was used as Georgetown's varsity football and baseball fields. The stone wall on your left encloses the main campus. The University, however, extends an additional three blocks past the stone wall into the neighborhood of Georgetown. Poulton Hall, located on the opposite side of the stone wall, houses the Office of International Programs, Mask and Bauble (a theater organization), and a UPS store.



As you approach the front gates of the University, turn right toward the statue of our founder, John Carroll.

This statue depicts Archbishop John Carroll, the founder of Georgetown University. John Carroll received a grant from George Washington in 1789 to open Georgetown University as the first Catholic university in the United States.



The building directly behind the John Carroll statue is Healy Hall. Healy Hall is named after Patrick Healy, S.J., the first African American president of a non-Historically Black College & University. The basement of Healy Hall contains the Office of Student Financial Services while the upper floors contain offices for Campus Ministries, classrooms, the Office of the President, Riggs Library, the Bioethics Library and Gaston Hall, a world renowned lecture hall.

As you turn left and make your way along Healy Hall, you will be headed toward Lauinger Library.



Lauinger Library is the main undergraduate library on Georgetown's campus. Lauinger contains 1.5 million bound volumes and is the center of study on campus. Lauinger Library also has many computer rooms for students to access the Internet, check e-mail, or work on projects.

Take a right at the iron fence in front of Lauinger Library and walk down Library Walk.



The complex on the left is Village A. Village A is an upper-classmen apartment complex. Each apartment houses four students in two bedrooms, a living room, kitchen and bath. If you are interested in a spectacular view, climb one of the many sets of Village A stairs to see downtown Washington, DC and the Potomac River.

Continue your tour by walking down the hill past Village A.

The building just beyond Village A on your left is New South. New South is a four-story freshman dormitory with two students per room. It is a co-ed residence hall with single-sex bathrooms and showering facilities; there is also a sink in each room. This building was recently renovated in 2003 now features a multipurpose facility for GUTV and dance practice rooms.



Continue down the hill to the Southwest Quadrangle.

The building in front of you is Leo O'Donovan Dining Hall, Georgetown's dining hall. Seating 625 people per floor, this two story dining complex serves a variety of foods, enough options to please every palate; selections include everything from cereal and fresh fruit, to hot meat entrees and vegetarian selections, to salad bar and soups, and make your own stations like pizza, pannini, waffle, and made to order sandwiches.



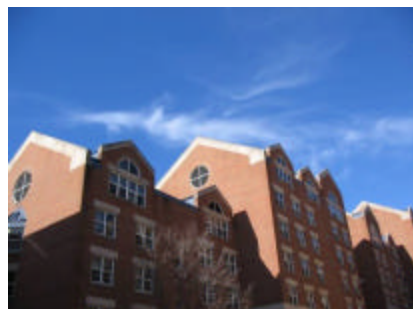
Turn right and walk along side McCarthy Hall.

The building on your left is McCarthy Hall and is part of a complex of three separate dormitories: McCarthy, Kennedy, and Reynolds. The entire facility houses approximately 780 students. This dormitory complex was completed in 2003.



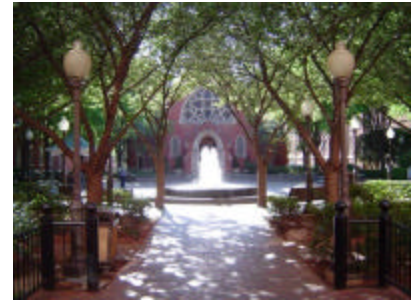
Cross the street and walk up the stairs enclosed in an archway.

This building is Village C. Village C includes two wings, West and East. The West Wing is a freshmen dormitory. The East Wing houses transfers and upperclassmen. There are two students in each room and each room has a full bathroom.



Walk up the ramp toward the street. Walk into the quadrangle behind the Healy building with the clock tower.

The first building on your left is Dahlgren Chapel. This is the main Catholic chapel on campus and seats 350 people. The University also has a Muslim Prayer Room (Copley Hall) and a Jewish Student Association House (1318 36th Street.) Protestant services are primarily held in St. William Chapel (Copley Hall).



Move further into the Quadrangle approaching the Fountain.

This building now on your left is Old North and is the home to the McDonough School of Business Dean's office.



Turn around and walk back out of the quadrangle toward Village C. Make a right and walk through the tunnel. Stop at the top of the staircase.

The nine-story building at the bottom of the stairs is Harbin Hall. Harbin Hall is a freshman dormitory with mostly double occupancy rooms. The rooms are arranged in single-sex clusters around common bathroom and showering facilities. Every room in Harbin Hall is fully wired for both the Internet and cable television.



Notice the cemetery to the right of Harbin.

The cemetery is reserved for Jesuits who have served the University. When built, the cemetery was in the rear of the University. As Georgetown continued to grow, the University had to build around the cemetery.



Continue following the road toward the Main Gates of campus.

The building on your left as you are walking is the new Royden B. Davis, MBNA Performing Arts Center completed in 2005. This is the home of the Performing Arts here at Georgetown. Facilities include a large proscenium theater, a smaller black-box theater, a costume shop, as well as classroom space.



Before you reach the statue of John Carroll, make a left and walk in front of Copley Hall until you reach a large brick square. The large brick building with a solar-paneled roof on your left is the Bunn Intercultural Center (ICC).

The Intercultural Center consists of classrooms, a language learning center, a computer lab and an auditorium on the first and second floors. The ICC is also home to the Underclassmen College Deans' offices as well as the SFS Deans' offices.



Walk inside the ICC Galleria.

The Galleria of the Intercultural Center is home to the School of Foreign Service Dean's office, the Faculty of Language and Linguistics and many professors' offices. The upper floors of the Intercultural Center house offices for the Departments of Government, Economics, Sociology, History, Linguistics and all foreign languages.



Turn around and exit the Intercultural Center. Take a left and walk through the brick archway and proceed up the stairs. Continue down the walkway.

The building on the left is the Reiss Science Building. This building contains classrooms, science labs, a nuclear accelerator vault, and a greenhouse. The offices of the Departments of Math, Biology, Chemistry, Physics and Computer Science are housed in the Reiss Science Building.



Pass the Reiss Science Building. Climb the stairs that lead to the entrance of the Leavey Student Center. Enter the Student Center.

The Student Center is a multi-purpose facility that contains several restaurants, a fast-food area, a hotel run by the Marriott Corporation, and the University Bookstore. The Leavey Center also is the headquarters of The Corp., the largest 100% student-operated corporation in the country. The Corp. runs a grocery store, a number of coffee shops throughout campus, a video rental store and a shipping and storage company, all located in the Leavey Center. The Leavey Center also houses the MBNA Career Education Center – a valuable resource for Georgetown students looking for an internship or job. The Georgetown University Alumni and Student Federal Credit Union, the largest independent student-run financial institution in the country with over 12 million dollars in assets, is also based in the Leavey Center.



As you exit the Leavey Center, take a left at the bottom of the stairs to visit Henle Village, Darnall Hall and St. Mary's Hall.

The apartment complex on your right is Henle Village. Henle Village contains four and five-person apartments with full kitchens and bathrooms. Past Henle Village on the right is Darnall Hall. Darnall Hall is a six-floor dormitory of double occupancy rooms for freshman. Just past Darnall Hall on the right is St. Mary's Hall, home to the Georgetown School of Nursing & Health Studies (NHS). St. Mary's Hall houses the NHS Dean's offices, classrooms, research facilities and teaching labs.

Henle Village



Darnall Hall



St. Mary's Hall



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<http://www.georgetown.edu/undergrad/admissions>

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