Great things to know about Rutgers

Committed to access and academic excellence, building a beloved community, and serving the common good.
Rutgers is a top national research university and New Jersey’s preeminent public institution of higher education. An academic, health, and research powerhouse, Rutgers is a university of excellence and opportunity—a changemaker for the common good, locally and globally.

1766

Founded before the American Revolution, the nation’s 8th oldest institution of higher education

67,600+ students

Undergraduates: 48,040
Graduate Students: 19,580

#1 in R&D

Rutgers devoted $720 million to research and development in FY 2020, expending more in R&D than all other New Jersey universities and colleges combined, according to the latest National Science Foundation data

Access to Life-Changing Education

Low or No Tuition Programs Income-based financial aid helps cover in-state tuition and fees and reduces student debt

Scarlet Promise Grants Need-based financial aid and emergency assistance supported by $14 million+ in donations, part of the broader Scarlet Promise Initiative

First-Generation Students 34 percent of first-year Rutgers students are first-generation college undergraduates

Life-long Learning

113,200+ continuing education students aged 4 to 100+ served annually

The Places They Go: Recent Grads

Hired By: Apple • Bloomberg • Bristol Myers Squibb • CNN • Deloitte • Facebook • General Motors • Goldman Sachs • Google • IBM • Intel • Johnson & Johnson • Lockheed Martin • L’Oréal • Merck • Microsoft • Prudential Financial • U.S. House of Representatives

Grad Schools: Columbia • Harvard • Johns Hopkins • MIT • NYU • Princeton • Rutgers • Stanford • University of Michigan • University of Oxford • University of Pennsylvania • Yale

150+

Undergraduate Majors

400+

Graduate Programs
Service to Strengthen Our Democracy

Rutgers President Jonathan Holloway is shown with the inaugural class of Rutgers Summer Service Internship students. Participants receive paid public service internships through this new presidential initiative designed to improve our democracy and advance the common good.

America’s Leading Scientists and Scholars

- **125+ fellows**: American Association for the Advancement of Science
- **71 members**: National Academies (Sciences, Engineering, Medicine) and American Academy of Arts and Sciences
- **34 recipients**: National Science Foundation CAREER Awards for promising early-career scientists
- **40,000+ scholarly publications**: Authored or coauthored by faculty in recent five-year period

815,000+ news stories cited Rutgers in FY 2022

- ABC • Associated Press • CBS • CNN • Financial Times • Forbes • MarketWatch • National Geographic • NBC • New York Times • NJ.com • NPR • Philadelphia Inquirer • The Record • Time • Wall Street Journal • Washington Post

$872.8 million

- Research Funding Awards by Source (FY 2022)
  - $405.2M Federal Agencies
  - $196.7M State of N.J.
  - $148.1M Foundations & Other
  - $122.8M Corporations

Research with Economic Impact

- **1,197 active patents** (FY 2022)
- **94 active startups** (FY 2022)
- **1,240 active technologies** to license and market (FY 2022)
- **1,000+ companies** engaged in research with Rutgers
- **300+ Rutgers research centers and institutes**

TOP 100

—**Forbes**: America’s Best Large Employers

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— Reuters: World’s Most Innovative Universities

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Students

Enrollment (Fall 2022)
Total: 67,620
Women: 54%
Men: 46%

Where They Come From
All 21 N.J. counties • 50 states • 120+ countries

25,000+
Undergraduate and graduate classes taught each year

Race/Ethnicity (Full-Time Enrollment)*
African American: 9.2%
American Indian: 0.1%
Asian: 26.9%
Hawaiian: 0.1%
Hispanic: 17.0%
International: 9.8%
Other: 2.0%
Two or more: 3.5%
White: 31.5%
*Figures reflect rounding

A Great Educational Value

The typical first-year, in-state Rutgers student paid less than 50 percent of the published tuition rate during academic year 2020–2021, through a combination of substantial financial aid from the university, with qualifying state and federal aid programs.

Costs

Undergraduate Costs*
Tuition, Fees, Room, and Board
In-state: $30,172
Out-of-state: $47,872
Tuition Only
In-state: $12,900
Out-of-state: $30,600

*2022–2023 typical costs for Rutgers–New Brunswick; figures vary by specific university, school, or college

Faculty & Staff

8,000+ full- and part-time faculty
14,100+ full- and part-time staff

Best 4 Vets

Military Times ranks Rutgers 13th in the nation among four-year institutions for student veterans services
Our Divisions

- Rutgers University–New Brunswick
  Edward J. Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy
  Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology
  Graduate School of Education
  Mason Gross School of the Arts
  Rutgers Business School–Newark and New Brunswick
  School of Arts and Sciences
  School of Communication and Information
  School of Engineering
  School of Environmental and Biological Sciences
  School of Graduate Studies
  School of Management and Labor Relations
  School of Social Work

- Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences
  Ernest Mario School of Pharmacy
  New Jersey Medical School
  Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
  Rutgers School of Dental Medicine
  School of Graduate Studies
  School of Health Professions
  School of Nursing
  School of Public Health

- Rutgers University–Newark
  Graduate School–Newark
  Rutgers Business School–Newark and New Brunswick
  Rutgers Law School
  School of Arts and Sciences–Newark
  School of Criminal Justice
  School of Public Affairs and Administration

- Rutgers University–Camden
  Camden College of Arts and Sciences
  Graduate School–Camden
  Rutgers Law School
  School of Business–Camden
  School of Nursing–Camden
  University College–Camden

Schools listed twice are units of both divisions
Rutgers University–New Brunswick

A top 100 world university, top 20 public national university, and number one public university in New Jersey. Boundless academic choices. World-class research and innovation. Outstanding students and faculty. Five campuses, from bucolic to bustling city. Big Ten, big-time Scarlet Knights sports.

At a Glance

Total Enrollment: 43,859
Undergraduates: 34,141
Graduate Students: 9,718
Number of Schools: 12

“Thousands of Rutgers University students will benefit from a new financial aid program slashing out-of-pocket costs of tuition and fees for families with incomes below $100,000.”

—Yahoo!Finance on the Scarlet Guarantee program, which reduces tuition and fees for first- and second-year full-time in-state undergraduates on a sliding income scale

20+ Programs Ranked in the Nation’s Top 20

African American History • Agricultural Sciences • Art, Performing Arts, and Design • Arts and Humanities • Business–Supply Chain Logistics • Communication • Condensed Matter Physics • Cultural History • Discrete Mathematics and Combinatorics • Electrical and Electronic Engineering • English • Fine Arts–Painting and Drawing • Food Science and Technology • Library and Information Studies • Mathematics • Modern U.S. History • Oceanography • Philosophy • Social Work • Urban Planning • Women’s History

Big Ten Scarlet Knights Excel in 2021–2022

- 419 make the Academic All-Big Ten List, a Rutgers record high
- 9 top-25 ranked teams: baseball; field hockey; gymnastics; wrestling; rowing; men’s and women’s soccer and lacrosse
- Football earns invitation to Gator Bowl
- Men’s basketball defeats 5 ranked opponents and makes NCAA Tournament

#1 In the Nation

- African American History
- Women’s History

—U.S. News & World Report

#2 In the world

- Philosophy

—QS World University Rankings

#3 In the nation

- Food Science and Technology

—U.S. News & World Report
Top Students, Top Prizes

- **Grand Champion: Schulze Entrepreneurship Challenge (e-Fest)**
  $50,000+ in seed money is helping a Rutgers Honors College team, above, develop its patented Nutrifier, a pacifier-like device that delivers medication and nutrients to infants, reducing complications from dosing inaccuracies.

- **Newest Winners: Goldwater Scholars**
  Four outstanding School of Arts and Sciences students were named Barry Goldwater Scholars in 2022, extending to 17 years Rutgers’ streak of students earning the nation’s preeminent undergraduate research scholarship.

- **Winner: EPA Wildfire Cleaner Indoor Air Challenge**
  A $10,000 prize enables the multidisciplinary team to prototype a technology that keeps household air clean when wildfire smoke and other air pollutants reach unhealthy levels.

World Class Theater Program

Rutgers Conservatory at Shakespeare’s Globe in London is the flagship school program of the Globe, bringing Rutgers Mason Gross School of the Arts students to the famed theater for a year of immersive learning.

Leading the Way: Center for American Women and Politics

The nation’s go-to resource for insight on women in the political sphere, the center appears regularly in the national media. Led by Debbie Walsh, above, CAWP is celebrating its 50th anniversary.

$10 million+

That’s how much the Rutgers University Dance Marathon—the state’s largest student-run philanthropic event—has raised since 1999 to meet the nonmedical needs of children and their families affected by cancer, sickle cell, and other diseases.

Mean SAT score for incoming 2021 first-year Rutgers–New Brunswick students, well exceeding mean scores in New Jersey (1125) and the U.S. (1060)

“"All the programs that are housed here, along with what this building represents, are the result of so many people caring about the mission of a better life for adults with autism.””

—Dina Karmazin Elkins of the Karma Foundation on the dedication of the Rutgers Center for Adult Autism Services Community Center, the nation’s first university-based facility providing academic support, job training, and other services to adults with autism, while also preparing students for careers in support of this underserved population.
“Historian Erica Dunbar, who played such an integral role in the production she was eventually promoted to co-executive producer, said you simply can’t do a show about New York without Black people.”

—Washington Post on Rutgers historian Erica Dunbar’s role in shaping HBO’s The Gilded Age, ensuring the show brought to life authentic characters of color who too often have been reduced to stereotypes or entirely overlooked in media portrayals of American history. Dunbar, right, also was a consultant and on-screen contributor to Ken Burns’ 2022 PBS documentary Benjamin Franklin. The Charles and Mary Beard Distinguished Professor of History, Dunbar leads the Rutgers Scarlet and Black Research Center and is national director of the Association of Black Women Historians.

Rutgers–New Brunswick and Princeton are the only New Jersey schools in the Association of American Universities, whose 65 members are North America’s leading research universities.

Our newest National Academy of Inventors Fellow, Yingying (Jennifer) Chen: Engineer and computer scientist with mobile computing and security inventions

The first at-home saliva test “is a breakthrough in a nation that has struggled to expand coronavirus testing.”

—Washington Post on May 2020 FDA approval of the COVID-19 test invented at Rutgers. Weeks earlier, the FDA approved the first clinically administered saliva test, another Rutgers invention.

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Works of art at the Zimmerli Art Museum

“Two centuries after the death of Ludwig van Beethoven, musicians and computer scientists used artificial intelligence to complete his 10th symphony... We [CNN] talked to the computer scientist in charge of the process, Professor Ahmed Elgammal [left] of Rutgers University, to find out how they trained the computer to write music as Beethoven might have.”

—Fareed Zakaria, CNN, GPS: The Next Big Idea
Only at Rutgers

- **UNLOCKING EARTH’S SECRETS: CENTER FOR OCEAN OBSERVING LEADERSHIP (RUCOOL)**
  The internationally acclaimed center develops and operates state-of-the-art ocean sensor technologies that capture comprehensive 4D views of the ocean, shedding light on hurricanes, climate change, fisheries, and more.

- **THOMAS A. EDISON PAPERS PROJECT**
  One of the most ambitious editing undertakings by an American university, a team of editors/scholars has been turning an incomparable trove of Edison documents into a premier educational resource since 1978.

- **BIG DATA = SAFETY AT BIG VENUES**
  With such partners as MetLife Stadium and Rutgers Office of Emergency Management, CCICADA, a U.S. Department of Homeland Security University Center of Excellence, uses big data to protect soft targets and crowded places.

“I want to thank the researchers at Rutgers for their tireless efforts to create varieties of crops for us to survive.”

—John Vannini of Vannini Farms in Vineland, New Jersey, on the Rutgers New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station’s development of a basil variety resistant to an industry-crushing disease and better adapted to climate change, from the Rutgers-produced film Fields of Devotion

Public University in New Jersey
—U.S. News & World Report

Public University in the Nation
—U.S. News & World Report

“Meet the company taking on concrete’s carbon footprint. Solidia Technologies engineered a way to emit less CO2 in the most common manmade material on the planet.”

—Inc. Magazine on the Rutgers startup founded by materials scientist Richard Riman, above, and his research associate Vahit Atakan

Saving Our Vulnerable Sea Life

50 years on, the Rutgers University Marine Field Station, located on a pristine East Coast estuary, works to preserve the coastal ecosystem, sustain New Jersey sea life, and understand climate change.

21 Counties
As the state’s land-grant university, Rutgers–New Brunswick provides New Jersey’s 21 counties with expertise on everything from equine science and mosquito control to healthy eating and flood mitigation.

Essential Database

Key to medical and biological discovery, the Protein Data Bank is the world’s only open-access, 3D digital archive for proteins, DNA, and RNA—life’s basic molecules. PDB structures aided more than 70 percent of 54 anticancer drugs earning recent FDA approval.

TOP 20
World University
—Times Higher Education World Reputation Rankings

TOP 100
World University
—Times Higher Education World Reputation Rankings
Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences

Rutgers prepares tomorrow’s health care providers and conducts life-changing research at New Jersey’s top schools for medicine, dentistry, nursing, pharmacy, public health, and health professions. And Rutgers Health, with partner RWJBarnabas Health, is New Jersey’s leading academic health system, bringing practitioners and innovators together to make the world well.

At a Glance

Total Enrollment: 6,787
Undergraduates: 2,203
Graduate Students: 4,584
Number of Schools: 8

“Eileen White’s laboratory focuses on mechanisms required for tumor cells and tumors to survive, proliferate, and evade surveillance by the immune system. The overall goal is to reveal novel approaches for cancer therapy.”

—National Academy of Sciences on Rutgers’ newest member. White, above left, is Board of Governors Professor of Molecular Biology and Biochemistry and Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey’s deputy director and chief scientific officer.

M.D. Grads Match at Top Hospitals

New Jersey Medical School and Robert Wood Johnson Medical School graduates serve as resident physicians at these and other top hospitals, treating patients as they continue specialized medical training: Johns Hopkins Hospital, Massachusetts General Hospital, Montefiore Medical Center, NYU Grossman School of Medicine, New York Presbyterian Hospital, RWJUH–New Brunswick, UCLA Medical Center, Walter Reed National Military Medical Center, Yale-New Haven Hospital.

American Psychiatric Association President-Elect, Petros Levounis: Rutgers New Jersey Medical School’s psychiatry chair is an expert in the treatment of substance use and technological addictions.

In New Jersey

Medical Schools–Research • Nursing–Anesthesia • Nursing–D.N.P. • Nursing–Master’s • Nursing–Midwifery • Pharmacy • Physical Therapy • Physician Assistant • Public Health • Rehabilitation Counseling

—U.S. News & World Report

450+
Clinical trials

Rutgers supports more than 450 clinical trials at any given time and was a COVID-19 clinical trials site for the Moderna, Pfizer, and Johnson & Johnson vaccines.
Only at Rutgers Biomedical and Health Sciences

- **Rutgers Cancer Institute of New Jersey**
  The state’s only National Cancer Institute-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center, together with RWJBarnabas Health—providing premier cancer research and world-class patient care—will have a new home: the Jack and Sheryl Morris Cancer Center, the state’s first freestanding cancer hospital.

- **From Research Lab to Patient Care**
  The statewide Institute for Translational Medicine and Science moves research discoveries into clinical practice and is the gateway to clinical trials at Rutgers, offering patients access to hundreds of new treatments.

- **Health Care for 9/11 Survivors**
  The World Trade Center Health Program Clinical Center of Excellence—New Jersey’s only WTC health center—provides care at no cost for patients with health conditions related to the 9/11 terror attacks.

### First Open-Source Rapid Variant Test

The test to detect known COVID-19 variants was developed by David Alland and his team at New Jersey Medical School on an open-source basis, making the technology available to scientists worldwide.

### New Jersey’s Only Dental School

Rutgers School of Dental Medicine is the state’s largest provider of oral health care, with 136,000+ annual patient visits.

### Rutgers Health

Rutgers Health is Rutgers’ clinical enterprise, offering exceptional patient care in coordination with RWJBarnabas Health, the state’s largest integrated health care delivery system. With the latest research and innovations informing patient care, new treatments, and the training of practitioners, Rutgers Health is New Jersey’s leading academic health care provider.

### Annual patient visits to our Rutgers Health practices

- $800.4 million annual spending on patient care
- 1,300+ clinical providers
- 20 N.J. towns and 12 N.J. counties with Rutgers Health offices

### Top 20 in the Nation: School of Nursing

U.S. News & World Report ranks the School of Nursing’s M.S.N. and D.N.P. programs in the nation’s top 20 and #1 in New Jersey. Its B.S.N. program ranks in the nation’s top 10 percent. The school is a National League for Nursing Center of Educational Excellence and an American Association of Men in Nursing Best School. The school’s initiatives in health care and research range from the statewide Child Health Program to a midwifery training and research and development program in rural Nigeria.

### Serving Veterans

Rutgers University Behavioral Health Care’s Vets4Warriors Program: 24/7 confidential peer support to veterans, service members, family members, and caregivers.

### Presidential Advisory Council on Combating Antibiotic-Resistant Bacteria Chair, Martin Blaser:

A leading urban research university. Internationally and nationally recognized scholarship. “In Newark, of Newark”—an anchor institution in the heart of New Jersey’s largest city. Minutes from midtown Manhattan. A university that propels economic prosperity and social mobility for each new generation.

**At a Glance**

Total Enrollment: 11,008  
Undergraduates: 7,511  
Graduate Students: 3,497  
Number of Schools: 6

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**#1 Return on Investment** among schools where more than 50 percent of students receive Pell Grants  
—Colleges Where Low-Income Students Get the Highest ROI, Georgetown University Center on Education and the Workforce

**No or Low Tuition, Increased Access**

A major expansion to the Rutgers–Newark RU-N to the TOP scholarship program covers the cost of tuition and mandatory fees for more New Jersey students and caps the cost at $5,000 a year for families with household incomes of $100,000 or below based on a sliding scale.

**Top Tier Debate Team**

The debate team, perennially ranked among the nation’s best, hosted two major national tournaments in 2022, the Brick City Round Robin and the Rutgers University–Newark Invitational.

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**Pulitzer Prize in Criticism: Salamishah Tillet**

Honored for her “learned and stylish writing about Black stories in art and popular culture—work that successfully bridges academic and nonacademic discourse,” Tillet, right, is a *New York Times* contributing critic at large; Henry Rutgers Professor of African American Studies and Creative Writing; and executive director of Express Newark, the Rutgers–Newark-supported academic and community center for socially engaged art and design.

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**Top 10 In the Nation: Upward Social Mobility and Diversity**

- *Washington Monthly*: Social Mobility
- *U.S. News & World Report*: Social Mobility and Diversity
- *Wall Street Journal/Times Higher Education*: Diversity of Students and Faculty

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**#7 In the Nation**

- Criminology Programs
- Public Affairs–Urban Planning and Policy Programs

—U.S. News & World Report
An Anchor Institution in Newark

- **White House Recognizes Rutgers Law School**
  Faculty and students of the Stop Evicting Newark Project, above, were invited by the White House to recount their exemplary pro bono efforts to halt pandemic evictions in the city.

- **Studying High-Risk Dementia Populations**
  Partnering with churches and other Greater Newark organizations, the Aging and Brain Health Alliance at Rutgers studies populations with elevated dementia risk—especially African Americans, whose Alzheimer’s disease rates are especially high.

- **Management Education for Economic Prosperity**
  The Center for Urban Entrepreneurship and Economic Development’s (CUEED) Ascend Newark program, funded by JPMorgan Chase and Prudential Financial, provides management education to Black and Latinx entrepreneurs, building wealth and inclusion in the tech sector.

- **Investing in Black and Latinx Entrepreneurs**
  Launched and operated by CUEED, the Black and Latino Angel Investment Fund works with investors committed to supporting New Jersey startups and growth companies owned by people of color.

That’s how many recordings are housed in the Institute of Jazz Studies. *The New York Times* calls the institute the “country’s most extensive jazz archive and library.”

**A STEP Forward: From Prison to College**

Headquartered at Rutgers–Newark and active in most of the state’s prisons, NJ-STEP is a national model for helping incarcerated students earn college degrees.

**National Award for Outstanding Recent Grad**

Rutgers–Newark graduate Mussab Ali, left, who in 2017 became the nation’s youngest Muslim elected official after winning a seat on the Jersey City school board, won a Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowship for New Americans to help him complete his studies at Harvard Law School. He previously was awarded highly competitive Truman and Schwarzman scholarships.

**National Expert on Race, Place, and Inequality, David Troutt**

*Distinguished Professor of Law; Center on Law, Inequality and Metropolitan Equity (CLiME) director. His housing scarcity and affordability index is behind Newark’s Equitable Growth Advisory Commission.*

**Rutgers University Brain Imaging Center (RUBIC):**

The state-of-the-art MRI facility enables researchers to conduct studies with advanced technology for eye-tracking and physiological data collection, aural and visual stimulus presentations, and more.

**Poems that “emanate a radiant kindness.” — The Nation, reviewing poet, MacArthur fellow, and Distinguished Professor John Keene’s *Punks,* winner of the 2022 Lambda Literary Award for Gay Poetry and 2022 National Book Award finalist for poetry**

**Scarlet Raiders Champs:**

In 2022, the men’s basketball team captured the Division III Eastern College Athletic Conference championship for the first time since 1996.
World-class research. Transformational community partnerships. Just across the Delaware River from Philadelphia. The Rutgers experience, traditions, and prestige in a personalized, close-knit environment. That’s Rutgers University–Camden.

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Alumni employed or in graduate school
Camden Career Center Outcomes Report, Class of 2021 survey respondents, 6 months postgraduation

Access and Financial Aid for Student Success
With its new Minority Serving Institution designation from the U.S. Department of Education, Rutgers–Camden will be better equipped than ever to ensure that the most disadvantaged students receive increased access to a Rutgers education.

Bridging the Gap is a game-changing financial aid program that enables in-state students with family incomes below $65,000 to attend the university tuition-free and reduces tuition and fees for students with family incomes below $100,000.

N.J. Gov. Phil Murphy honored Rutgers–Camden with the We Value Our Veterans Award for its many educational, financial, and other services for former military personnel.

Great Students, Great Futures

Doaa Ouf: Honors College graduate, animation and theater double major is now an M.F.A. student at the David Geffen School of Drama at Yale in the new field of projection design

Cleo Falvey: Doctoral student and National Science Foundation Research Fellow combines studies of reptiles and amphibians with genomic data to answer large-scale evolutionary questions that advance our understanding of how animals adapt to climate change

Kristen Smith: Inaugural forensic science master’s program graduate, inventor of white-based fluorescent fingerprint powder, which allows it to be visible both with and without an external light source

“In Patrick Rosal’s Poetry, Physical Exuberance Takes Flight”
—The New York Times reviewing The Last Thing, the latest poetry collection from Patrick Rosal, Rutgers–Camden M.F.A. creative writing professor and National Endowment for the Arts and Guggenheim fellow

#20
In the nation,
Upward Social Mobility
—Washington Monthly College Guide

#15
In the northeast,
Best Bang for the Buck
—Washington Monthly College Guide
A World’s Best 40 Under 40 Business Professor

“With about 850 Google Scholar citations, Dwertmann is one of our top publishers to be included in this year’s list.”

—Poets & Quants on School of Business–Camden associate professor of management David Dwertmann, whose research focuses on diversity and inclusion (e.g., people with disabilities and immigrants in the workplace), social norms, and leadership. He partners with organizations for his work on these topics.

“Eds & Meds” Lifts Camden

“Kudos for Camden Collaboration” — New Jersey Business Magazine

Rutgers–Camden, Rowan University, and Camden County College joined forces to build the $73 million Joint Health Sciences Center in Camden’s downtown. The center is a cornerstone of the “Eds and Meds Corridor” that is leading the city’s revitalization.

Inside Camden’s Fight to Vaccinate the Most Vulnerable

School of Nursing–Camden professor Kevin Emmons led the charge to vaccinate hard-to-reach residents, hosting COVID-19 vaccine pop-up clinics in public housing complexes, aided by nursing students and Camden County staff. The nursing school is a National League for Nursing Center of Excellence.

For her paper illuminating the history of the Detroit Housewives League, historian Kendra Boyd received the Letitia Woods Brown Article Prize from the Association of Black Women Historians.

Scarlet Raptor Wins 2nd National Title

Jude Misko claimed his second consecutive national title in the hammer throw at the 2022 NCAA Division III Outdoor Track & Field Championship.

“Rutgers Law School has launched a statewide project to help exonerate people convicted of crimes they did not commit.”

—WHYY on the Rutgers–Camden-based New Jersey Innocence Project
Members of Rutgers’ global alumni community work in every field of human endeavor, leaving their mark wherever they go. From steering Fortune 500 companies to advancing life-changing research to serving in the public sector, Rutgers alumni improve the human condition.

More than 60 percent of Rutgers alumni live in New Jersey, fueling the region’s economy.

Rutgers alumni live in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, in four U.S. territories, and on six continents.

97 alumni organizations worldwide

Sheryl Lee Ralph (’75) The actor, singer, author, and activist earned an Emmy for her role in ABC’s breakout hit Abbott Elementary and a Tony nomination for Broadway’s Dreamgirls.

Alumni Are Leaders

Keith Banks (’77) (left) Vice Chair and Chief Investment Officer, Bank of America
Mary DiMartino (’85) Executive Director, JPMorgan Securities
Frank Giordano (’72) Executive Director, U.S. Semiquincentennial Commission (America 250)
Anne Milgram (’92) Administrator, U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration
Judith Persichilli (’76) Commissioner, New Jersey Department of Health
Fabiana Pierre-Louis (’06) (right) Associate Justice, New Jersey Supreme Court

Good Company: Organizations Led by Rutgers Alumni, Past and Present

Avon • Bank of America • Bloomberg, L.P. • Bristol Meyers Squibb • Central Park Conservancy • ConAgra • ESPN • FBI • FCC • Federal Highway Administration • Ford Motor Company • GEICO • GLAXO • Goldman Sachs • Home Depot • JPMorgan Chase • Johnson & Johnson • Kohl’s • Merck • Motorola Solutions • NBA • Prudential • Raytheon • Rock & Roll Hall of Fame • Sanofi Pharmaceuticals • Turner Construction • UPS • U.S. DEA

571,900+ alumni
“I’m fiercely proud of Rutgers. It’s a wonderful university with so many positive attributes: tradition, pride, quality, diversity, and opportunity. But what makes Rutgers so special is the people.” —Greg Brown (’82), Chair and CEO, Motorola Solutions

Eric LeGrand (’14) Entrepreneur, football commentator, motivational speaker, and advocate and fundraiser for the spinal cord injury community

Micaiah Johnson (’16) Author of The Space Between Worlds, a New York Times Editor’s Choice novel

Jennifer Robertson (’97) The keeper of the Big Cat Falls exhibit at the Philadelphia Zoo, Robertson educates the public about the plight of these animals in the wild.

Bimpé Fageyinbo (’12,’18) Poet, filmmaker, photographer with works in the Metropolitan Museum of Art Library, Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, and Library of Congress

Derrick Fondaco (’16) Unilever R&D manager for ice cream: Ben & Jerry’s, Breyer’s, Good Humor, Klondike, Popsicle

Sebastian Stan (’05) Emmy-nominated actor. Among major roles: Tommy Lee, Hulu’s Pam and Tommy; Bucky Barnes (the Winter Soldier), Marvel Cinematic Universe

Corinne Bradley-Powers (’79) Restaurateur and owner of Corinne’s Place, 2022 James Beard Foundation America’s Classics Award winner

Amber Cargill (’09) Psychologist and NFL Players Association director of player wellness

Lauren O’Brien (’22) Lead researcher, the Joseph Moore Project, Tenement Museum in Manhattan’s Lower East Side

Kathy Ryan (’78) Director of photography, The New York Times Magazine

Cynthia Rosenzweig (’80,’83) NASA scientist, 2022 World Food Prize winner—the “Nobel for food and agriculture”

Lavett Ballard (’14) (above) Time magazine commissioned the artist’s work for its 100 Women of the Year special issue

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Sebastian Stan (’05) Emmy-nominated actor. Among major roles: Tommy Lee, Hulu’s Pam and Tommy; Bucky Barnes (the Winter Soldier), Marvel Cinematic Universe

Corinne Bradley-Powers (’79) Restaurateur and owner of Corinne’s Place, 2022 James Beard Foundation America’s Classics Award winner

Amber Cargill (’09) Psychologist and NFL Players Association director of player wellness

Lauren O’Brien (’22) Lead researcher, the Joseph Moore Project, Tenement Museum in Manhattan’s Lower East Side

Kathy Ryan (’78) Director of photography, The New York Times Magazine

Cynthia Rosenzweig (’80,’83) NASA scientist, 2022 World Food Prize winner—the “Nobel for food and agriculture”

Dylan Dreyer (’03) The NBC News meteorologist is also the co-host of NBC’s 3rd Hour Today.

Natalie Morales (’94) An award-winning journalist, Morales is a correspondent with CBS News covering stories for 48 Hours, CBS Morning, and CBS Sunday Morning and co-hosts The Talk, CBS’s Daytime Emmy Award-winning talk show.

Christopher Markus (’91) Film producer and screenwriter whose credits include Marvel’s Captain America and Avengers series

Igor Alves (’04,’08) Co-founder and managing producer of DreamPlay Media, an Emmy Award-winning film and creative media company

Steven Gomez (’01,’10) Taco Bell’s head of global engineering and leader of its International Food Innovation Team

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