MINORITY-SERVING INSTITUTION AWARD

ABOUT THE AWARD

The George Washington University Columbian College of Arts and Sciences is pleased to announce a new award for graduates from eligible minority-serving institutions (MSIs). The MSI Award provides qualified individuals, from eligible institutions and who seek admission to a Columbian College graduate program, an application fee waiver and a tuition award of at least 40 percent.

TO QUALIFY, AN APPLICANT MUST:

- **Expect** to receive an undergraduate degree from a partner minority-serving institution or already hold such a degree.

- **Apply** to a Columbian College master’s degree, graduate certificate, or Doctor of Psychology (Psy.D.) program by February 1 for Fall 2019 admission or by October 1 for Spring 2020 admission.

- **Be enrolled** in a Columbian College graduate program to receive the tuition benefit, renewable for the normal duration of the degree.

All applicants from an eligible MSI are eligible regardless of race, ethnicity, or national origin. The MSI Award is for traditional fall and spring semesters only, unless the program requires summer registration. Master’s and Psy.D. students must be enrolled full-time to receive the award; graduate certificate awardees may be enrolled part-time.

"I loved that GW was in a major city, so I would be provided with the opportunity to work with various populations... I also loved the fact that GW always brings the conversation about diversity into every area. It made me feel valued and safe as a student on a large campus."

**CAROL CLAY**

PROFESSIONAL PSYCHOLOGY (Psy.D.), CLASS OF 2020
2019 ELIGIBLE INSTITUTIONS

• Bowie State University
• California State University, Dominguez Hills
• Dillard University
• Florida A&M University
• Florida International University
• Hampton University
• Howard University
• Jackson State University
• Metropolitan University of Puerto Rico
• Morehouse College
• Morgan State University
• Norfolk State University
• North Carolina Agricultural & Technical State University
• North Carolina Central University
• Spelman College
• Tuskegee University
• University of Maryland, Eastern Shore
• University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez
• University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras
• Virginia State University
• Xavier University of Louisiana

ABOUT OUR GRADUATE PROGRAMS

With nearly 100 graduate and doctoral degree programs, the Columbian College of Arts and Sciences is the academic heart of the George Washington University. We are at the forefront of advancing policy and enhancing culture through research and discovery. We excel in the arenas of political science and public policy, the arts and design, math and the sciences, and professional programs like forensic investigation, applied economics, and data science. We are engaged with Washington, D.C., through internships and professional ties, and through our connections to the world beyond with our research and teaching. We are a place where experimentation is anchored in practice, and theory is continually tested by examples drawn from the world around us. With its internationally recognized faculty, engaged student body, successful alumni, unique location, and active relationships with renowned scientific and cultural institutions, Columbian College is a center of learning like none other.

"I decided to attend [GW] because of the amazing faculty and the opportunity to study in DC...the Minority-Serving Institution (MSI) award was crucial when I decided to attend the George Washington University."

ROBERTO NAVA
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (MPA), CLASS OF 2020

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