

# University Overview

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DREAM.DISCOVER.ACCOMPLISH.

# VIRGINIA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

## Mission Statement

Virginia International University's mission is to educate students from all over the world through a highly qualified, equally diverse faculty and staff, while striving to provide academic programs at the graduate, undergraduate, and certificate levels that engender the intellectual curiosity, critical thinking, and creativity urgently needed in the global community and with a commitment to providing students with the knowledge to achieve excellence in research, scholarship, and creative endeavors.

**Founded in 1998 by Dr. Isa Sarac**

**University Colors:** Red and blue

**Motto:** "Dream. Discover. Accomplish."

**Mascot:** Tiger

- **Demographics** – Male, Female
- **Degree Program On ground** – Masters, Bachelors, Certificate
- **Degree Program Online** – Masters, Bachelors, Certificate
- **Scholarships** – Graduate, Undergraduate
- **Regions** – Africa, Asia, Europe, Middle East, North America, South America



# WHY VIU?

## **SMALL CLASS SIZES:**

Some students have special needs and require personal attention at a level that can be very difficult to find at a large institution.

## **FLEXIBILITY:**

We offer courses with flexible schedules, and all of our degree- programs are offered on-campus and online.

## **DIVERSITY:**

With students hailing from over 100 countries, VIU offers a truly diverse and international experience.

## **JOB OPPORTUNITIES:**

VIU supplies students with the resources, connections and opportunities they need to work for such companies.

## **AFFORDABILITY:**

VIU offers an exceptional multi- disciplinary education at an affordable rate. Tuition rates are kept low while maintaining the highest-quality education.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS:**

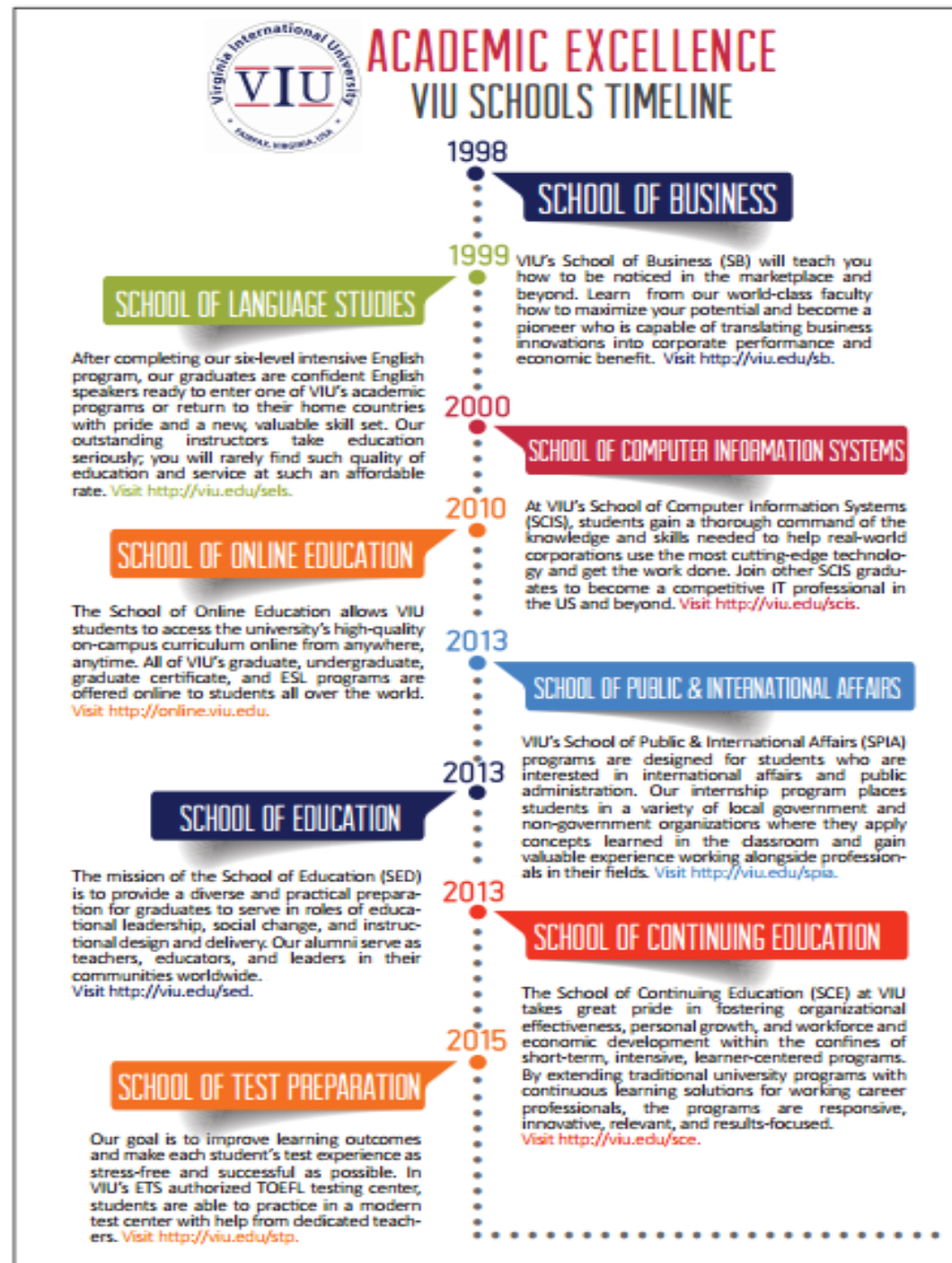
The University strongly stands by its conviction that students of exemplary personal and academic achievements deserve to be rewarded for their hard work. VIU offers 10 different categories of scholarships, worth up to \$50,000 annually.



# VIU SCHOOLS & PROGRAMS

## VIU PROGRAMS OF STUDY:

- School of Business (SB)
- School of Education (SED)
- School of Computer Information Systems (SCIS)
- School of Public and International Affairs (SPIA)
- School of Online Education (SOE)
- School of Language Studies (SLS)
- School of Test Preparation (STP)
- School of Online Education (SOE)



# AGREEMENTS

All agents must hold a current formal agreement with VIU in order to recruit for the university. Current agents will be ranked according to their performance and will receive an agent contract renewal based on the following:

- Student enrollments
- Agent/student relationships (including the quality of counseling and advice)
- Agent/VIU relationship
- Agent understanding of the enrollment process at VIU, including sending completed applications and documents VIU will send a new agreement via e-mail one month prior to the agreement's expiration date which must be signed and returned before the actual expiration date. If VIU does not receive the returned agreement, we will assume the agent/institution no longer wishes to represent the university.



# RESPONSIBILITIES AS A VIU AGENT

As a representative of VIU the university requires the following of the agent:

1. All agents must not engage in misleading or deceptive conduct in connection with:
  - a. The recruitment of international or intending international students.
  - b. The provision of courses to international students.
2. All agents must ensure the marketing of its education and training services is undertaken in a professional manner and maintains the integrity and reputation of VIU including not giving false information or advice in relation to:
  - a. Claims of association between VIU and other institutions.
  - b. The employment outcomes associated with a course of study.
  - c. Automatic acceptance into another course of study.
  - d. Any other claims relating to VIU, its courses or outcomes associated with those courses.



## AGENT HANDBOOK FALL 2016

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For Questions



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