



Greetings from the University of Saint Joseph

Spring semester for most of our students was a hybrid of remote learning and in-person classes, participating in internships or clinical placements, and completing major projects while spending time with friends on-campus or online. Recently, we celebrated student research at Symposium Day – see the presentations on our website [here](#) – and we are making final preparations for Commencement. We are also registering students for summer and fall – check out classes in the [USJ Catalog](#) – and finalizing the expansion and renovation of the O’Connor Athletic Center for the start of the fall semester. USJ encourages all students to receive a COVID-19 vaccination; more information is available on the [Connecticut COVID-19 Vaccine Portal](#).

[News from Campus](#) – read up on all the news from Students and Faculty

Since the semester began in late January, we have had a lot of news to report. Highlights include:

- USJ health care students have been volunteering to provide COVID-19 vaccinations at local clinics. Read the story [here](#).
- President Free, Trustees LeShane and Freeman named to [Harford Business Journal’s Power 50](#).
- Rochelle Clarke ’22, Kathryn Smith ’22, Nathair Spencer ’21, and Associate Professor of Psychology Kristin Henkel Cistulli, Ph.D., presented research at the 2021 Eastern Psychological Association Conference. Read the story [here](#).
- Jazaira Perez-Acevedo ’21 interned at the CT State Capitol this semester. Read about Jazaira’s experience [here](#).

Commencement 2021 is a series of ceremonies. If your USJ student is graduating, stay updated on the requirements, events, and access to online streaming on our website, [here](#).

Do you know a senior in high school who is college bound and could benefit from a free four-week summer prep program at USJ? Check out our pre-college experience that includes academics, recreational activities, and more, at <https://www.usj.edu/summer/>.

Student Affairs

Housing Selection takes place in the spring semester for students registered for fall classes who wish to live on campus for the 2021-2022 academic year. [Housing applications](#) are available on [eRezLife](#) for returning and incoming students. Contact us with any questions; our [Residential Life](#) team is available to ensure you are making the most informed decision for your family.

Athletics

Our spring sports teams are competing around New England. Follow us at www.usjbluejays.com

Parent Resources

Looking for information about delayed openings, early closings, or cancellation of all classes? Please sign up for [USJ text alerts](#). For information about COVID-19 resources, review the [Campus Guide](#). Questions about financial aid? Contact [Student Financial Services](#) or call 860.231.5223. Questions about tuition and fee payment? Contact Bursar@usj.edu or call 860.231.5278. Our [events calendar](#) can keep you up-to-date with activities all year long, while our [academic calendar](#) can be used as a reference for important deadlines.