

James Madison Center for Civic Engagement



Advancing the legacy of James Madison, the Father of the Constitution, by preparing individuals to be active and responsible participants in a representative democracy dedicated to the common good.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AT JMU

James Madison University offers a broad range of curricular and co-curricular opportunities dedicated to preparing students to be educated and enlightened citizens. The civic mission is served by emphasizing the knowledge, skills, dispositions, and behaviors needed to address public issues in a democratic society.

- Dukes Vote: Voter Education and Engagement
- General Education Cluster 4: The American Experience
- Madison Vision Series
- Constitution Day Programming
- Health Policy Collaborative
- Madison Debate Society
- Democracy in Peril?
- Institute for Constructive Advocacy and Dialogue
- Gandhi Center for Global Nonviolence
- Gilliam Center Seminar Series
- The Madison Cup





PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE

*The James Madison Center for Civic Engagement will support on-going civic engagement initiatives and create new opportunities in partnership with the campus community. Programs will be designed to enhance civic learning and engagement while supporting our dedicated faculty. JMU aims to prepare **all** students to assume their role as citizens, regardless of their chosen discipline.*

- James Madison Center Speaker and Dialogue Series
- JMU Civic Engagement Faculty Fellows
- Campus-Wide Civic Learning Outcomes
- Virginia Civic Health Index
- Faculty Development Opportunities
- Visiting Madison Scholar
- Programming with Montpelier
- Programming with Campus Compact
- Civic Engagement Award



CIVIC ENGAGEMENT RECOGNITIONS

James Madison University's vision is to be the national model for the engaged university: engaged with ideas and the world. Several exciting recognitions and awards have been earned this year.

- AASCU Excellence and Innovation Award for Civic Learning and Community Engagement
- Forthcoming Featured Case Study in AAC&U publication on Civic Learning
- Voter Friendly Campus Designation
- ALL IN Campus Democracy Challenge Bronze Medalist

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