

# LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

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## Welcome to Bryant University!

It is a time of growth and excellence at Bryant University. Our reputation continues to rise, and Bryant is in the top 1% of universities for lifetime return on education investment. In addition, we are making strategic investments that advance academic excellence and student life experience, including the Business Entrepreneurship Leadership Center. The new home of the College of Business, known to the Bulldog community as the BELC, opened last fall and embodies Bryant's drive to redefine the future of higher education.

Let this catalog serve as your guide to explore the many opportunities and experiences that Bryant University provides. I welcome you to be part of our exciting future and explore the outstanding academic programs that will be your foundation for intellectual growth and professional accomplishment.

Our College of Arts and Sciences, College of Business, and School of Health and Behavioral Sciences offer almost fifty undergraduate and graduate degree programs, majors, and concentrations. You will benefit from an integrated academic approach that combines studies in business, the liberal arts, and health sciences and equips students with the skills, experience, and confidence needed to succeed in today's rapidly changing world.

Our supportive community offers a vibrant student life experience, and our faculty, staff, and senior leaders are student focused. Learning in small classes and a supportive environment, you will receive the personal attention of a small university with all the opportunities a larger institution provides.

It is an exciting time to be a Bryant Bulldog, and I look forward to seeing you on campus. As you explore this catalog, please let us know how we can support you. Your success is our success, and we look forward to helping you achieve your academic and career goals.

Warmly,

Ross Gittell, Ph.D.

President