

SUMMER BUSINESS ACADEMY

An immersive experience for historically underrepresented undergraduate scholars.

What is the Carey Summer Business Academy?

- **Annual Event:** Program created to develop key leadership skills and facilitate the personal and professional growth of future leaders.
- **Intensive 10-day Experience:** Free exposure to graduate-level business education and the latest management and leadership theories and applications. Students participate in this opportunity at no cost.
- **Diversity Initiative:** Participating scholars gain access to diverse leaders and real-life industry challenges at the intersection of business and other disciplines.



How will I benefit?

Individual growth

- **Business Knowledge:** Participate in one-on-one training sessions with Carey Business School faculty, staff, and alumni.
- **Career Development:** Learn foundational business and leadership concepts while developing elevator pitches to compete in a sponsored Elevator Pitch Competition.

Team building

- **Coaching:** Receive assessment feedback, one-on-one training, and individual attention from faculty and other experts from Carey.
- **Experiential Learning:** Participate in a business case competition to cultivate knowledge of the latest business techniques with the chance to win prizes and scholarships.

Community exposure

- **Networking:** Build professional networks and learn from business leaders from historically underrepresented groups.
- **Mentorship:** Create lifelong connections with current graduate business students, alumni, and industry partners from historically underrepresented groups.

“ The Summer Business Academy was an amazing opportunity to see firsthand what it would be like as **an MBA student at Johns Hopkins Carey Business School**. It also allowed me to meet likeminded peers from across the country. By the end of the program, I knew admissions staff, professors, graduates, and current students at Hopkins. ”

— **Guy DeWeever II**
Summer Business Academy '19
Virginia State University '19
Johns Hopkins Carey Business School Design Leadership MA/MBA '22





“ This program opened my eyes to the type of leader I am. I was able to **develop key leadership skills** that perfectly aligned with my career goals and beliefs, while discovering new parts of my personality that helped me network with future leaders in the industry. ”

— Karina Pereira
Summer Business Academy '21
University of Maryland '24

“ The Summer Business Academy provided me with a **diverse array of perspectives** that exposed me to what is possible for my personal and professional growth. I gained the confidence to speak up on my experience as a minority, which will ultimately help me **advocate for myself** in the future. ”

— Yasheika Watson
Summer Business Academy '21
University of the District of Columbia '21



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