

— AT A GLANCE —

# JIM MORAN COLLEGE OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP

The Jim Moran College of Entrepreneurship is the nation's first standalone entrepreneurship college at a public university. Its mission is to inspire innovation, instill compassion and ignite an entrepreneurial mindset in the next generation of leaders. The college is revolutionary, highly experiential and dedicated to teaching students from various disciplines who aspire to embark on an entrepreneurial journey.



## — BY THE NUMBERS —



- 617** Students
- 543** Undergraduate students
- 74** Graduate students
- 28** Faculty
- 22:1** Student-to-faculty ratio
- 1,213** Living alumni worldwide

## — ACADEMICS —



- #18** Best undergraduate entrepreneurship program in the nation and #10 among public universities
- 3** Undergraduate majors in entrepreneurship: commercial, retail and STEM
- 5** Graduate majors in entrepreneurship: creative arts, textiles and apparel, product development, social and sustainable enterprises and hospitality
- 10** Minors
- 29** Student competitions hosted annually

## — FACULTY/RESEARCH —



**73%** Faculty members have started, bought or led a business



Professor Meredith McQuerry honored by the International Textile and Apparel Association for work in developing better protective clothing for first responders.



Assistant Dean Wendy Plant selected as a USASBE 2024 Justin G. Longenecker Fellow for outstanding contribution to the development, furtherance and benefit of small and medium businesses.



Professor Lyon Nam earned a Best Research Award from the Global Research Institute for Arts & Culture Education.

## — STUDENT LIFE —



**100%** Students required to complete an internship to graduate

**57** Events and workshops for students

Students participated in the 2023 Entrepreneurship and Innovation Learning Community, which immerses first-year students in entrepreneurship and innovation at FSU

**36**

**35** Teams of students participating in the 2024–2025 InNOLEvation® Challenge competing for over \$20,000 in prizes

**20** FSU student businesses or nonprofits awarded micro-grants totaling more than \$60,000

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### PHILANTHROPIC INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Jim Moran College of Entrepreneurship aims to spread entrepreneurship across FSU's campus and serve all students through collaborative programs, competitions and resources. Additional philanthropic investment is critical for the college to elevate student success and increase faculty impact.

The dean's fundraising priorities include:

- ⇒ Establishing a deanship and cadre of new professorships to attract nationally prominent professors and bring recognition to our faculty
- ⇒ Generating critical support for student engagement initiatives that provide student entrepreneurs with opportunities to develop and showcase their business ventures, including competitions, conferences, events and workshops, mentoring and Student-Made—an online platform where students sell their products and services
- ⇒ Creating and bolstering scholarships to attract and retain top entrepreneurial undergraduate and graduate students
- ⇒ Strengthening funding for research excellence initiatives that support innovative students and faculty, including Ph.D. stipends and professorships

### ENGAGEMENT

Your involvement is vital to the future of the FSU Jim Moran College of Entrepreneurship. You connect us to our past, create a vibrant path filled with opportunities for current students and influence future generations. We invite you to mentor students, offer jobs or internships, share your entrepreneurial story in the classroom or on our podcast, coach or judge a student competition or visit us on campus.

Learn more about getting involved at [JIMMORANCOLLEGE.FSU.EDU](http://JIMMORANCOLLEGE.FSU.EDU)

### IMPACT

Private philanthropic support from individuals, foundations and corporations allows us to successfully compete with the best universities for world-class faculty members and students.

#### Impact on Programs, Students and Faculty

Enhanced programs support the university's academic excellence status, attract the best and brightest young scholars and appeal to renowned educators.

#### Impact on Facilities

Private funding helps keep facilities updated with state-of-the-art technology and collaborative spaces to meet the changing demands of today's students and the employers who will hire them.

#### Your Impact

Whether your gift is annual, endowed or planned—it helps propel Florida State to a legacy of preeminence.

Give today at [GIVE.FSU.EDU/JMC](http://GIVE.FSU.EDU/JMC)

### YOUR SUPPORT PROVIDES



Development of labs and centers for hands-on student success



Funding for experiential learning opportunities for students, including competitions and grants



Recruitment and retention of top students and nationally recognized faculty



Opportunities for every FSU student to learn about entrepreneurship and its limitless pathways to success

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