



WHAT IS THE UNIVERSITIES AT SHADY GROVE (USG)?

- * **Full-service campus** located in Rockville, Maryland
- * **Select undergraduate and graduate degrees** from nine Maryland state universities in one location
- * Only upper-level undergraduate coursework offered at USG (**junior and senior year courses**)

HOW DOES IT WORK?

- * **Apply to university offering chosen major** and select USG as preferred campus on application
- * **Same professors, classes, and degree/diploma** as students at main campus location
- * Will **NOT** say USG (or MC) anywhere on 4-year university diploma or transcript

WHY SHOULD I CHOOSE THE USG CAMPUS?

- * **Convenient** to home and/or work; **save ample money** on commute, room, & board
- * **Double the scholarship options** (can get scholarships from both home university AND USG!)
- * **Small class sizes** (30-35 students average)
- * **Personalized** student services
- * Access to **student life and leadership** opportunities at USG and at home university
- * All degrees have ties to **needs of the regional workforce**

WHAT ARE MY NEXT STEPS?

- * **Must complete lower-level prerequisites** specific to intended major prior to transfer; majority of students do so at nearby community colleges
- * As early as possible, **connect with program representatives** for your intended major at USG to learn about program content, admissions requirements, prerequisites, and deadlines to apply
 - * **PRO TIP:** If at Montgomery College (MC), ask if your major is part of a **Transfer Access Program** which will connect you with USG's campus and resources while still at MC!
- * **Connect** with a USG representative and/or **join our email list** to learn more about campus offerings and **visit opportunities**
- * **Meet with a current USG Student Ambassador** to learn about student life and helpful tips