

A close-up photograph of a young woman with dark hair and brown eyes. She is wearing a colorful, patterned headband and a brown hoodie. She is looking upwards and to the right with a thoughtful expression. In the background, other people are visible, suggesting a classroom or lecture hall environment.

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NOW**

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**Northern Arizona University's world-class, fully accredited graduate programs engage you through:**

- one-to-one mentoring from expert professors
- robust professional development
- exceptional research, scholarship, and creative opportunities

**Whether you're a full-time student or a working professional, we have a program to fit your needs. Take courses at the Flagstaff campus, statewide locations, or through NAU Online—and position yourself to successfully compete in a global society with options including:**

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- more than 20 doctoral degrees
- more than 30 graduate certificates

**Explore the options at [nau.edu/gradcol](http://nau.edu/gradcol).**

NAU IS IN THE TOP  
**4.4%**  
OF DEGREE-GRANTING  
INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER  
EDUCATION IN THE WORLD  
– Center for World University Rankings

NAU IS IN THE TOP  
**3**  
IN THE NATION FOR  
EXCELLENCE IN DELIVERING  
VIRTUAL STUDENT SERVICES  
– Student Affairs Administrators in Higher  
Education Virtual Innovation Awards

**#7 IN THE NATION**  
FOR VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES  
– MilitaryTimes.com



**NAU's Flagstaff Campus**, surrounded by the largest contiguous ponderosa pine forest in the world and just one and a half hours from the Grand Canyon, offers students opportunities for research and outdoor recreation in one of the most diverse natural laboratories.

**#1** MOST BEAUTIFUL COLLEGE TOWN IN ARIZONA

– [LoveExploring.com](http://LoveExploring.com)

**#9** BEST COLLEGE TOWN IN THE NATION

– [fanbuzz.com](http://fanbuzz.com)

**World's 1<sup>st</sup>**  
International Dark Sky City

– *International Dark Sky Association*

**4 seasons**  
**266 days** of sunshine and  
**100 inches** of snow each year

“ Beyond simply academics, Flagstaff’s numerous outdoor recreation options are perfect to mitigate stress. I could not have accomplished what I have without the guidance and development I received from NAU’s history department. ”

– *Roman F. Chacon, pursuing a master’s in History*

## DOCTORATE

Applied Linguistics (PhD)



## MASTER'S

Creative Writing (MFA)



English – Literature (MA)



English – Professional Writing (MA)



English – Rhetoric, Writing,  
and Digital Media Studies (MA)



History (MA)



### Areas of specialization

- Borderlands and US West
- Environment and Health
- Indigeneity and Colonialism
- Politics, Economy, and Culture
- Public History and Interpretation
- Race, Ethnicity, and Gender
- Transregional and World



Music (MM)



### Emphasis

- Choral Conducting
- Composition
- Instrumental Conducting
- Instrumental Performance
- Musicology/Ethnomusicology
- Piano Accompanying and Chamber Music
- Suzuki Pedagogy (Violin)
- Theory
- Vocal Performance



Spanish (MAT)



Applied Linguistics and Teaching English as a Second  
Language (MA)



## CERTIFICATE

Environmental Narrative



Music Performance



Professional Writing



Rhetoric, Writing, and Digital Media Studies



Teaching English as a Second Language



Offered at these campuses: ● Flagstaff  
● Online

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# COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS

Join a creative and intellectually vibrant community of scholars as you pursue your passion and hone your craft through our graduate degree or certificate programs. You'll fast-track your career in diverse fields such as creative writing, education, English, history, linguistics, music, Spanish, and many others.

**#1** IN THE NATION FOR  
ONLINE MASTER'S  
ENGLISH PROGRAMS  
– [GradSource.com](http://GradSource.com)

**“** The MFA is so much more than a writing degree—it's a journey of discovery, both of yourself and the world around you. I never thought I would end up here, but now that I am, I feel at home. I'm learning so much and I know it's only the beginning.”  
– *Nicole Thurston, pursuing a master's in Creative Writing*

# COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

With our diverse graduate programs, you can further your career as a teacher, counselor, school psychologist, or administrator. Our courses will position you to successfully compete in a global society.

You'll join a community of scholars and innovators—in Flagstaff, online, and at our statewide locations—and develop the skills to become a leader in the future of education.

**#6** IN THE NATION FOR  
MASTER'S IN EARLY  
CHILDHOOD  
EDUCATION PROGRAMS  
— *The Edvocate*

**1st**  
AND ONLY  
CAEP-ACCREDITED  
UNIVERSITY IN ARIZONA

**#26** BEST ONLINE MASTER'S IN  
EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR  
VETERANS IN THE NATION  
— *US News and World Report*



## DOCTORATE

- Clinical Psychology (PsyD)
- Combined Counseling/School Psychology (PhD)
- Curriculum and Instruction (PhD)
- Educational Leadership – K-12 Administration (EdD)
- Educational Leadership – Community College/Higher Education Administration (EdD)

## EDUCATIONAL SPECIALIST

- School Psychology

## ENDORSEMENT

- Bilingual Endorsement – Arizona Department of Education Endorsement
- English as a Second Language Endorsement – Arizona Department of Education Endorsement
- Reading Specialist Endorsement – Arizona Department of Education Endorsement

## CERTIFICATE

- Autism Spectrum Disorders (School-Based)
- Career and Technical Education
- College and Career Readiness
- Community College Teaching and Learning
- Educational Technology
- English as a Second Language
- Higher Education Leadership
- Positive Behavior Support
- Principal
- Psychology of Human Development and Learning
- Reading Specialist K-8
- Superintendent
- Teaching Introductory Community College Mathematics
- Culturally-Centered Addictions Research Training

## SECONDARY EDUCATION DEGREES

If you wish to specialize in teaching specific subject areas, choose from the following Secondary Education master's programs:

- Mathematics Education (MS)
- Science Teaching (MA)
- Teaching Science with Certification (MAT)
- Spanish (MAT)

## MASTER'S

- Career and Technical Education (MEd)
- Clinical Mental Health Counseling (MA)
- Counseling – School Counseling (MEd)
- Counseling – Student Affairs (MEd)
- Early Childhood Education (MEd)  
**Emphasis**
  - Early Childhood Leadership
  - Early Childhood Multiage
  - Early Childhood National Board Preparation
  - Early Childhood Teacher
- Educational Foundations (MEd)
- Educational Leadership – Community College/Higher Education (MEd)
- Educational Leadership – Instructional Leadership K-12 School Leadership (MEd)
- Educational Leadership – Principal K-12 (MEd)
- Educational Technology (MEd)  
**Emphasis**
  - Adult Learning and Training
  - Assistive Technology
  - K-12 Teacher
- Elementary Education – Certification (MEd)
- Elementary Education (MEd)  
**Emphasis**
  - Continuing Professional
  - National Board Preparation
  - Positive Behavior Support
  - Multiage Emphasis
- Elementary Education – Reading K-8 (MEd)
- ESL and Bilingual Education – Bilingual (MEd)
- ESL and Bilingual Education – ESL (MEd)
- Human Relations (MEd)
- International Education Leadership (MEd)
- Secondary Education – Continuing Professional (MEd)
- Special Education – Early Childhood Special Education with Certification (MEd)
- Special Education – Mild/Moderate Disabilities Certified (MEd)
- Special Education (MEd)  
**Emphasis**
  - Mild-Moderate Disabilities Emphasis
  - Early Childhood
  - Positive Behavior Support
- Science Teaching (MA)
- Teaching Science with Certification (MAT)

Offered at these campuses:  
● Flagstaff  
● Online  
● Statewide locations

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# COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, INFORMATICS, AND APPLIED SCIENCES

When you become part of our program, you join a community of scholars focused on creating a blueprint for a better world. Collaborate with world-class researchers who are regularly published in *Science*, *Nature*, and other prestigious journals. Leverage high-performance computing to solve real-world problems. Build something that will impact people's lives in an immediate and positive way. Our centers and institutes reach across disciplines to find the most innovative ways to shape the future:

- Arizona Laboratory for Applied Transportation Research
- Center for Materials Interfaces in Research and Applications
- Pathogen and Microbiome Institute

## DOCTORATE

Applied Physics and Materials Science (PhD)

**Emphasis**

- Applied Physics
- Materials Science

Bioengineering (PhD)

Informatics and Computing (PhD)

**Emphasis**

- Bioengineering Informatics
- Cyber and Software Systems
- Ecological and Environmental Informatics
- Health and Bioinformatics

Mechanical Engineering (PhD)

## MASTER'S

Applied Physics (MS)



Building Science (MS)



Civil Engineering (MS)



Civil Engineering Professional (MEng)



Computer Science (MS)



Cybersecurity (MS)



Electrical Engineering (MS)



Engineering – Mechanical Engineering (MEng)



Environmental Engineering (MS)



Informatics (MS)



Materials Science (MS)



Mechanical Engineering (MS)



## CERTIFICATE

Building Science



Data Science



Wind Energy



Cybersecurity



Offered at these campuses:

- Flagstaff
- Online

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MOST ENROLLED NATIVE AMERICAN  
GRADUATE STUDENTS IN THE NATION

– Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System





THE NAU GRADUATE COLLEGE  
AND ACADEMIC COLLEGES FUND  
**\$1 MILLION**  
ANNUALLY IN ASSISTANTSHIPS  
FOR TEACHING AND RESEARCH

“What drew me to NAU’s School of Forestry was the ecology focus and the integrative, collaborative research. You’re in the same offices as people who do soil work, who work with wildlife. Since I’ve been here, I’ve really come to appreciate the support that NAU provides its graduate students.”

– Connor Crouch, pursuing a PhD in Forestry

# COLLEGE OF THE ENVIRONMENT, FORESTRY, AND NATURAL SCIENCES

Join fellow scientists on the Colorado Plateau—one of the most ecologically diverse natural labs in the world. Transformative, impactful research, an engaged and diverse community, and a commitment to exploration, discovery, and sustainability abound. Here, you’ll have opportunities to conduct meaningful research with world-renowned faculty in one of our 30 high-tech labs and institutes, including:

- Center for Ecosystem Science and Society
- Ecological Restoration Institute
- Landscape Conservation Initiative Lab
- Merriam Powell Center for Environmental Research
- Pathogen and Microbiome Institute

## DOCTORATE

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| Astronomy and Planetary Science (PhD)                 | ● |
| Biology (PhD)   | ● |
| Emphasis  |   |
| • Ecology, Evolution, and Conservation Biology        |   |
| Earth Sciences and Environmental Sustainability (PhD) | ● |
| Emphasis  |   |
| • Climate and Environmental Change                    |   |
| • Earth Systems                                       |   |
| • Ecology, Evolution, and Conservation Biology        |   |
| • Engineering Sustainable Systems                     |   |
| • Environment and Society                             |   |
| Forest Science (PhD)                                  | ● |
| Emphasis  |   |
| • Ecology, Evolution, and Conservation Biology        |   |

## CERTIFICATE

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| Applied Statistics                                  | ●   |
| Conservation Ecology                                | ●   |
| Teaching Introductory Community College Mathematics | ● ● |
| Greenhouse Gas Accounting                           | ●   |

## MASTER'S

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|--|---|
| Biology (MS)                                   | ● |
| Emphasis                                       |   |
| • Ecology, Evolution, and Conservation Biology |   |
| Chemistry (MS)                                 | ● |
| Emphasis                                       |   |
| • Bioorganic and Biomedical Chemistry          |   |
| • Carcinogenesis and Cancer Chemotherapy       |   |
| • General Chemistry                            |   |
| Climate Science and Solutions (MS)             | ● |
| Environmental Sciences and Policy (MS)         | ● |
| Emphasis                                       |   |
| • Paleoenvironmental Sciences                  |   |
| • Science and Policy                           |   |
| Forestry (MF)                                  | ● |
| Forestry (MSF)                                 | ● |
| Emphasis                                       |   |
| • Ecology, Evolution, and Conservation Biology |   |
| Geology (MS)                                   | ● |
| Mathematics (MS)                               | ● |
| Mathematics Education (MS)                     | ● |
| Statistics (MS)                                | ● |

# COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Learn from dedicated health professionals who are leaders in advancing knowledge and sustainable practices. Through our programs, students and alumni offer healthcare and strive to improve the well-being of the people in our communities, particularly Native Americans and disadvantaged individuals and groups.

You can help end health disparities by engaging in research and advocacy led by exceptional faculty at our Center for Health Equity Research.

## DOCTORATE

Nursing Practice (PhD)	●
Occupational Therapy (OTD)	●
Physical Therapy – Entry Level (DPT)	● ●

## MASTER'S

Athletic Training (MS)	● ●
Clinical Speech-Language Pathology (MS)	●
Nursing – Family Nurse Practitioner (MS)	●
Nursing – Generalist (MS)	●
Physician Assistant Studies (MPAS)	●
Public Health – Health Promotion (MPH)	● ●
Public Health – Nutrition (MPH)	●

## CERTIFICATE

Post-Master's Family Nurse Practitioner	●
Public Health	●

## MICRO-CREDENTIAL

Clinical Nursing Specialist Prescriptive Authority Course Bundle	●
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● Flagstaff  
● Online  
● Statewide locations

AMONG THE TOP  
**30**  
PHYSICAL THERAPY SCHOOLS  
in the nation

– STILT

IN THE  
**TOP 50**

FOR GRANTING DOCTORATES IN  
Public Health to minority students

– Diverse: Issues in Higher Education

**4** OF OUR PROGRAMS  
are ranked by US News  
and World Report  
#37 physician assistant  
#49 physical therapy  
#93 occupational therapy  
#132 clinical speech-language pathology

“ Every department that I've worked in on campus has a wide range of intelligent and helpful faculty members that are dedicated to helping students learn.”

– Taylor Lane, pursuing a doctorate in Interdisciplinary Health and a graduate certificate in Applied Statistics



# COLLEGE OF SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

World-class faculty and boundary-crossing applied research distinguish our graduate programs. Our commitment to diversity and critical thinking fosters leaders who are ready to change the world. You will prepare to be an active innovator in your profession and lead community-focused projects—locally and globally—for sustainability, health, social services, policy, and social justice.

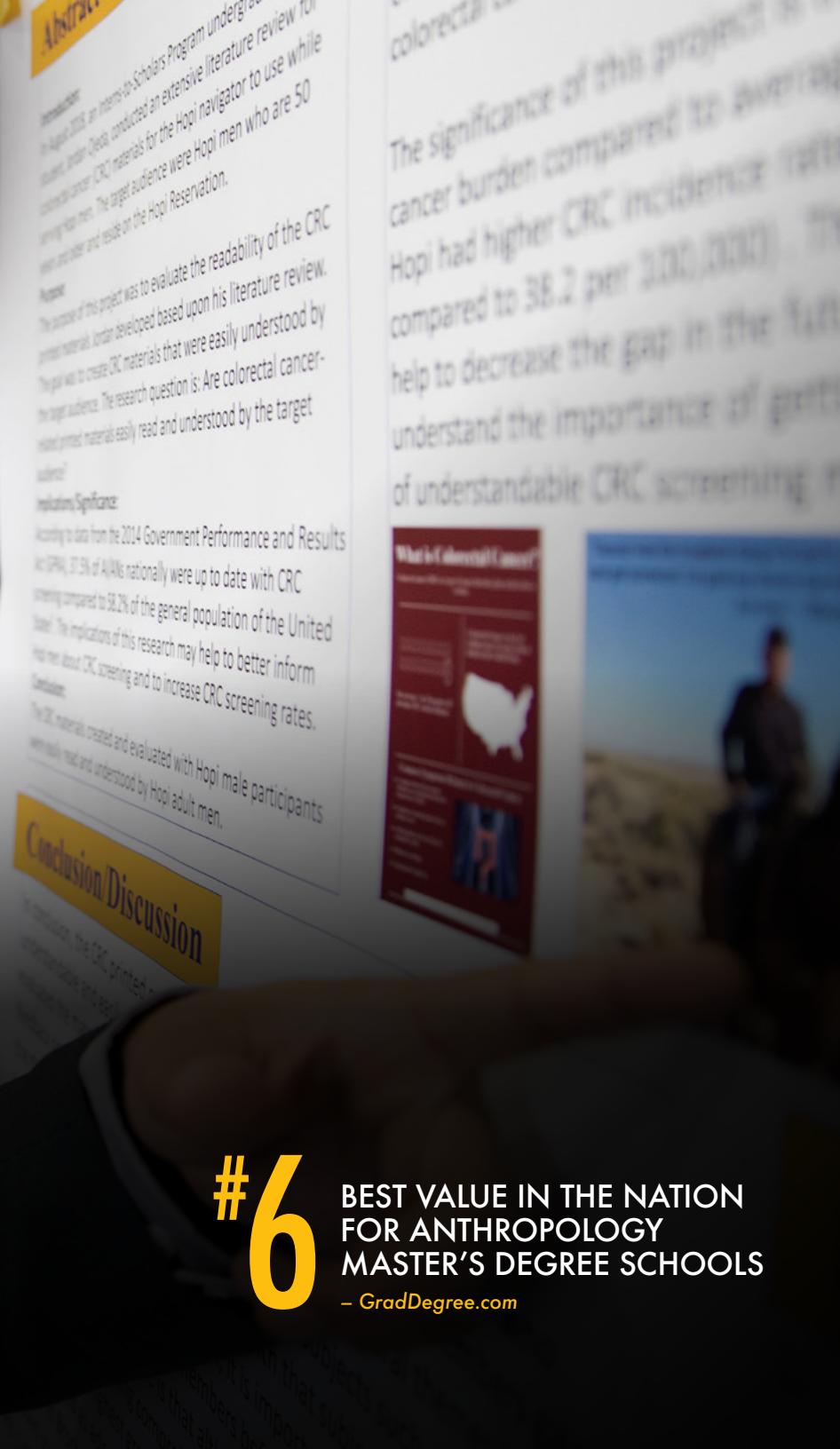
You will have the opportunity to deepen your education with applied projects and academic research in our prestigious centers:

- Family Violence Institute
- Institute for Human Development

Effective leadership in tribal communities is using what you learn in the university and blending it with our teachings. And that's very powerful."

— Jonathan Nez, President Navajo Nation, BA Political Science, '02; Master of Public Administration, '05

**#6** BEST VALUE IN THE NATION FOR ANTHROPOLOGY MASTER'S DEGREE SCHOOLS  
— [GradDegree.com](http://GradDegree.com)



## DOCTORATE

- Interdisciplinary Health (PhD)
- Political Science (PhD)

## MASTER'S

- Anthropology (MA)
- Applied Criminology (MS)
  - Emphasis
    - Communities and Justice
    - Law, Policy, and Social Change
    - Transnational Crime and Justice
- Geography (MS)
- Geographic Information Science with Remote Sensing (MS)
- Applied Sociology (MA)
- Communication (MA)
  - Emphasis
    - Communication General
    - Documentary Studies
    - Strategic Communication Emphasis
- Parks and Recreation Management (MS)
- Political Science (MA)
- Psychological Sciences (MA)
- Public Administration (MPA)
- Social Work – Advanced Standing (MSW)
- Social Work (MSW)
- Sustainable Communities (MA)

## CERTIFICATE

- Assistive Technology
- Communication Studies
- Community Planning
- Disability Resource Specialist
- Ethnic Studies
- Geographic Information Systems
- Indigenous and Tribal Nation-building
- Public Management
- Science Communication
- Women's and Gender Studies

Offered at these campuses: 

- Flagstaff
- Online

For the most up-to-date program list, visit [nau.edu/catalog](http://nau.edu/catalog).

# THE W. A. FRANKE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Our Master of Business Administration (MBA) program is designed for both early career students and working professionals. In our highly ranked program, you'll build communication and leadership skills that will help you propel your business career forward.

If you are a working professional with an undergraduate degree in a field other than business, explore our online certificate program, which helps you develop basic business skills.

## Master's

Master of Business Administration (MBA)



## Certificate

Business Analytics



Hospitality Innovative Technology



Offered at these campuses: ● Flagstaff ● Online

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AMONG THE TOP  
**50**  
BEST MBA PROGRAMS  
IN THE NATION  
— MBAGuide



## ONLINE AND STATEWIDE

These degrees further NAU's vision of providing flexible, affordable, and accredited programs that advance your career. [nau.edu/gradcol](http://nau.edu/gradcol)

## Master's

Computer Information Technology (M)

### Emphasis

- Data Analytics
- Information Security and Assurance
- Mobile and Web Application Development
- Project Management

Global Business Administration (MGBA)

### Emphasis

- Transnational Justice Administration

Organizational Leadership (M)

### Emphasis

- Leadership in Criminal Justice Administration
- Organizational Leadership
- Project Management

## Certificate

Leadership in Criminal Justice Administration

Offered at these campuses: ● Online ● Statewide locations

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# INVEST IN YOUR FUTURE

## SCHOLARSHIPS

NAU is committed to helping you access a high-quality, affordable degree. The university, colleges, and academic units all offer various scholarships and tuition waivers to help support your graduate education.

[nau.edu/scholarships](http://nau.edu/scholarships)

## FINANCIAL AID OPPORTUNITIES

- The Western Regional Graduate Program (WRGP) provides reduced tuition rates for qualified graduate students who are residents of select states. [nau.edu/wrgp](http://nau.edu/wrgp)
- Presidential Fellowships, for highly qualified PhD students, include stipends, tuition, health insurance, and professional development funding.
- Qualified graduate students can apply for a graduate assistantship, which may include benefits like stipends or health insurance.
- Specialized financial aid and guidance is available for active-duty military, veterans, and their families. [nau.edu/vets](http://nau.edu/vets)

Learn more about NAU graduate programs at [nau.edu/gradcol](http://nau.edu/gradcol).  
928-523-5511 | [graduate@nau.edu](mailto:graduate@nau.edu)

Visit [nau.edu/gradadm](http://nau.edu/gradadm) for graduate admissions information.

## 2021-22 GRADUATE COLLEGE TUITION

### Arizona resident

Flagstaff campus	Statewide campuses
\$11,004	\$10,596

### Non-resident

Flagstaff campus	Statewide campuses
\$26,994	\$25,992

### Online

Traditional	Competency-based
\$575 (per credit hour)	\$3,000 (six-month subscription) \$3,750 (six-month subscription for Master of Science in Nursing)

*The Arizona Board of Regents will set 2022-23 tuition rates in the spring.*

Find tuition and financial aid information at [nau.edu/gradcol](http://nau.edu/gradcol).

For information on financial aid opportunities call:  
928-523-4951 | [nau.edu/gradfinaid](http://nau.edu/gradfinaid)

Visit campus to meet with faculty and current students, or take a virtual tour:  
928-523-5511 | [gradtours@nau.edu](mailto:gradtours@nau.edu)

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