Gewirz Student Center
Resident Guide

Welcome to campus living!

Insider tips on:

- Campus resources
- Policies
- Touring the city
- Exciting neighborhoods
- Local restaurants

2016-2017 Academic Year
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“We invite you to share in the camaraderie of our community!”

Welcome to Georgetown Law and the Gewirz Student Center! You are now part of a unique living-learning community, dedicated to values that foster respect for each other and that enhance the academic mission. We believe that living according to these values requires us to show “active concern of each for the good of all in a common pursuit of wisdom.” As a Catholic and Jesuit University, Georgetown places special emphasis on the dignity and worth of every person and the love of truth. Membership in this community carries with it high expectations regarding the ways in which each person will act both within and beyond campus. In particular, students are expected to honor the following commitments in all their actions:

- A commitment to the highest standards of honesty and personal integrity both inside and outside the classroom.
- A commitment to treat others in a respectful manner, regardless of differences such as race, religion, nationality, ethnicity, gender, or sexual orientation.
- A commitment to open discourse and the free exchange of ideas.
- A commitment to exercise mutual care and responsibility in all relationships.
- A commitment to an active concern for the safety, security, and well-being of each individual and a respect for individual, communal and university property.

Because acting against these values undermines the very essence of community, we ask that you read through the Gewirz Academic Year Guide. Each resident is responsible for knowing and upholding the policies covered in the guide. However, mere observance of rules falls short of what we hope each individual can contribute to this community. Please help to make this a mutually beneficial learning environment in the coming year by supporting the university’s values.

Mitch Bailin  
Dean of Students

Chris Hall  
Director of Residence Life & Student Programs
Welcome to Washington!

Living in the District
Steeped in politics and history, Washington is one of the world’s most exciting cities. And living in Gewirz puts you in the heart of the action. Only blocks away from the US Capitol, the Supreme Court, the White House, and the Library of Congress, Georgetown Law is surrounded by a myriad of cultural events, opportunities for professional development, political engagement, and community service projects.

This guide will help you make the most of your time here in Washington. Inside, you’ll find great tips on:

- Discovering DC’s diverse neighborhoods
- Using the public transportation system
- Finding delicious (and affordable) restaurants
- Exploring Washington’s night life
- Living safely and comfortably in Gewirz
- Taking advantage of DC’s cultural resources
Important Numbers

All telephone numbers begin with (202) 662-, unless otherwise indicated. All 662-numbers may be contacted using only the last four digits from campus telephones.

**Law Center Switchboard**
662-9000

**Academic and Confidential Advice**

For academic advice:

**J.D. Program**
Mitch Bailin, Dean of Students
McDonough 210 4066

Sarah Loope Hulsey, Assistant Dean, JD Academic Programs
McDonough 352 9041

Sally McCarthy, Assistant Dean, Academic Services
McDonough 352 9041

TBD, Director of Academic Enhancement Programs
McDonough 210 6621

**Graduate Programs**
Rosa Brooks, Associate Dean, Graduate Programs
Hotung 6000 9036

For confidential advice or referral about personal problems, contact any of the above or:

**Campus Ministry**
McDonough 113 9295

Rev. Khristi Adams
McDonough 113D 9826

Fr. Paul Rourke
Gewirz 1114
McDonough 113C 9296

Karen Dizon
Interfaith Coordinator
McDonough 113A

Michael Goldman
McDonough 113B 9297

Imam Yahya Hendi 4272
Bookstore
101 F Street 9676

Career Counseling/Employment Information
Marcia Pennington Shannon, Assistant Dean, Office of Career Strategy
McDonough 328 9300

Clinic Information
Rachel S. Taylor, Assistant Dean, Experiential Education
McDonough 352 9100

Disabilities Services
Mara Bellino, Director of Disability Services
McDonough 210 4042

Emergencies/Lost and Found
Security Booth (24-hour duty) Department of Public Safety
Gewirz 104 9325

Financial Aid Information/Emergency Loans/Part-Time Jobs
Financial Aid Office
McDonough 335 9210

Foreign Student Counseling
Caryn Voland, Asst. Dean of Graduate Programs
Hotung 6000C 9432

Housing Information
Chris Hall, Director of Residence Life and Student Programs
McDonough 210 9298

Intramural Sports
Yates Field House/Main Office
Main Campus 687-2400

Library
Edward Bennett Williams Law Library
111 G St., N.W. 9160
Circulation Desk  9131
Reference Desk  9140
Lauinger Library
Main Campus  687-7452

**Lockers - McDonough Hall**
Facilities Management
McDonough 154  9330

**Main Campus - Getting There**
G.U.T.S Bus departs from 2nd Street entrance. Contact the Department of Public Safety or http://otm.georgetown.edu/guts/ for schedule.  9325

**Medical Attention**
Nurse Practitioner
Gewirz L102  9255

Law Center Student Health Services Hours:
Student Health, Main Campus  687-4550

Health Insurance, Karen Pierce, Wellness Promotion,
McDonough 167  9835

Mental Health Counseling Appointments  687-6985

**Parking**
For parking in McDonough and Gewirz, please contact the Parking Office
McDonough 154  9330

**Registrar's Office**
Registration Information, Transcripts and Loan Certification, etc.
McDonough 315  9220

Class/Exam Rescheduling Info (Recorded Message)  9446

**Residence Life and Student Programs**
Chris Hall, Director of Residence Life and Student Programs
McDonough 210  9298

**Sexual Assault Services**
Nicole Sandoz, McDonough 171B  9293
Jen Schweer, Main Campus  687-0323
# Student Accounts

Corazon Osborne, Student Accounts Manager
McDonough 581 9057

# Study Abroad During Summer

Int’l & Graduate Programs
Hotung 5029 9860

# Telephone and Computer Information

Information Systems Technology
McDonough 152/150 9284

# Wellness Promotion and Club Athletics

Karen Pierce, Director of Wellness Promotion and Club Athletics
McDonough 167 9835

# Television Stations

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**Shuttle Service**

There are three shuttle bus services running from the Law Campus: one for Union Station and grocery shopping called “The Loop”, one to Georgetown’s main campus, and one to Whole Foods and Trader Joe’s on Saturdays only. Shuttle buses depart from the front of the Hotung Building on 1st Street NW.

**Main Campus**

Buses run Monday through Friday. From the main campus, students can take buses to Rosslyn, Virginia and Dupont Circle in Washington, DC:

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**Resident Services**

The front desk offers a number of services to its residents. For more information, call the front desk at 202-662-9290 or visit our website: www.law.georgetown.edu/reslife. The front desk is open weekdays from 8:00 AM until 10:00 PM, and Saturdays and Sundays from 10:00 AM until 10:00 PM.
Maintenance Service
Report any mechanical or service problems at the front desk, or complete non-urgent service requests online at https://www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-life/housing-residence-life/on-campus-housing/current-residents.cfm. Report maintenance emergencies after hours to Public Safety at 202-662-9325.

Computers
All rooms are wired for Internet use. Wireless service is available on campus. Call Information Systems Technology at 202-662-9284 or visit http://www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-services/ist for more information or troubleshooting help.

Georgetown University’s Computer Systems Acceptable Use Policy
All members of the University community are bound by Georgetown University’s Computer Systems Acceptable Use Policy (which can be found at http://policies.georgetown.edu/31641.html) and by federal and local laws, including those relating to civil rights, harassment, copyright, security, and other statutes relating to electronic media. Students should note that the University cooperates with the enforcement of laws pertaining to file sharing or unlawful downloading of copyright material.

Fax Machines
A fax machine is available to send and receive faxes in the Office of Residence Life. The fax number is 202-662-9248.

Laundry
Laundry rooms are located on the second and eleventh floors. All machines accept quarters and the GOCard for payment.

Telephone Service
Landlines are not available in the Gewirz Student Center. You must use cellular telephones in the building.

Games, Equipment and DVDs
Stop by and check out the selection of DVDs, games, pool and ping-pong equipment at the front desk.
Bicycle Storage
Secure storage is provided for residents who own bicycles. To avoid unnecessary damage to apartments and public areas, residents should use the secure storage space provided and not bring their bicycles to their apartments. Bicycles must be registered with the Office of Residence Life.

Heating/Cooling System
The Gewirz Student Center is equipped with a central system, but each room contains a thermostat for individual climate control. The system can offer heat or air conditioning but not both simultaneously. The heat is generally activated in October and the air conditioning in April.

Lounges
There is a lounge including a pool table, foosball table, ping pong table, vending machines, piano, television, DVD player and Wii game system on the first floor. Smaller lounges can be found on the third, fifth, seventh, ninth, and eleventh floors.

Although the twelfth floor lounge is frequently reserved for meetings, conferences, and special events, students are welcome to use the twelfth floor lounge and its rooftop balconies during those times when it has not been reserved. Residents may reserve lounge space on the resident floors at the Gewirz front desk.

GOCards
Residents must carry a GOCard with them at all times. Your GOCard can be used for building access, library circulation, vending machine purchases, photocopying, laundry services, parking, lockers, purchasing course materials, and theater, movie and sporting tickets as well as in the Market Café and Subway restaurants. To put money on your GOCard, visit GOCard online: www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-services/gocard, or use one of the GOCard machines in the Gewirz TV lounge or in the lobby of the Sport and Fitness Center. To pick up your GOCard, stop by room 2110 in the Sport & Fitness Center building.

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Fitness Center

The fitness center is open to all Gewirz residents free of charge. The center houses a lap pool, basketball and racquetball courts, an aerobic room, a spinning room, weightlifting facilities, and a combined cyber cafe and lounge. Call the Fitness Center at 202-662-9294 for details or visit their website at www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-services/fitness

Hours:
- Monday—Thursday: 6:30 AM—9:30 PM
- Friday: 6:30 AM—8:00 PM
- Saturday: 9:00 AM—6:00 PM
- Sunday: 9:00 AM—6:00 PM

* Please note these hours are subject to change.

The Center for Wellness Promotion, located in McDonough 167, provides a foundation for enhancing healthy lifestyles and addresses a variety of health and wellness concerns. Visit http://www.law.georgetown.edu/wellness for more information.

Campus Ministry

The Campus Ministry office is located in McDonough Hall room 113.

Student Health

The Student Health Center (202-662-9255), is located on the lower level of the Gewirz Student Center. The Student Health Center is open Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM—5:00 PM. Students who would like to speak with a counselor for any reason are encouraged to call the University's Counseling and Psychiatric Service at 202-687-6985.

Counseling Services

Confidential counseling is available to all students. Our professional, medical, and campus ministry staffs are available to discuss individual student concerns. Services are intended to help students recognize and deal effectively with academic, personal, interpersonal, and career difficulties. Counseling from our campus ministry office is available without regard to a student’s faith, and medical evaluations are provided for individuals whose concerns include health-related issues.
If you feel you need help, or simply want to talk with an understanding counselor about areas that concern you, the skilled professional staff will provide you with responsive, confidential service. Initial consultations at the Counseling Center are without charge. No record of any counseling service is retained in a student’s academic records. Appointments may be made for the Counseling Center on main campus or at the Law Center by calling 687-6985.

**Professional Counselors**

The Law Center has two full-time professional counselors and a part time Psychiatrist on campus. Appointments are made through Mr. Patrick Lillis, Intake Coordinator, at 202-687-6985. Day and occasional evening hours are available in the Counseling Office, room L 102-G in the Gewirz Student Center, adjacent to Student Health Services, or on the Main Campus, 1 Darnall Hall, next to the Medical Center.

In the event of an emergency in the evening or on the weekends, call (202) 444-PAGE (444-7243). Ask to speak with the CAPS/Counseling Center doctor-on-call.

For further information on University’s Health Services & emergency phone numbers visit: [http://be.georgetown.edu/emergency.html](http://be.georgetown.edu/emergency.html) Students desiring information on alcohol or drug problems should contact the DC Bar Lawyer Assistance Program at 202-347-8131 for free and confidential assistance.

**Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Services**

Georgetown University is committed to promoting an environment which supports its educational mission and Jesuit heritage and which preserves the safety and dignity of its members. In particular, the university views, with the utmost seriousness, offenses against the individual such as stalking, sexual harassment, inappropriate sexual touching, sexual assault and any other form of non-consensual sexual activity. Georgetown Law has policies prohibiting all of these types of behaviors. Consult the Code of Student Conduct available at [www.law.georgetown.edu/studentlife/StudentConductandAlcoholPolicies.htm](http://www.law.georgetown.edu/studentlife/StudentConductandAlcoholPolicies.htm) for more information.

Nicole Sandoz is the Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Liaison for the Law Center. In this capacity, she is an extension of the Health Education Services Office on main campus. Nicole can provide confidential crisis interventions and options counseling for Law students who are struggling with issues related to interpersonal violence. Services include assistance in accessing medical care, student and/or criminal judicial systems, counseling services, safety planning, academic assistance, support groups, and housing relocation. Nicole is available to provide confidential consultations with survivors and friends of survivors.
Reporting a Sexual Assault
Deciding to report sexual assault can be a difficult and personal decision. Georgetown Law students have several options for reporting sexual assault on-campus and off-campus. Reporting a sexual assault to the University as a violation of the Student Code of Conduct and reporting the assault to local law enforcement are two different processes. The Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Liaison is available to discuss reporting options and provide support and assistance through any or all of these processes. In case of an after-hours emergency, contact the 24-hour DC Rape Crisis Center hotline at 202-333-RAPE (7273).

Consult with the Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Liaison, Nicole Sandoz, ns1028@law.georgetown.edu, 171 McDonough Hall, (202) 662-9293 or Jen Schweer, Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Services Coordinator, jls242@georgetown.edu, Village C West – Main Campus, (202) 687-0323.

Referrals for off campus counseling and support services can be provided at the student’s request. For further information, contact Nicole Sandoz (202) 662-9293.

RESOURCES
Confidential Support: Nicole Sandoz (202) 662-9293 and/or Jen Schweer (202) 687-0323.
If it is after hours contact DC Rape Crisis 24 Hour Crisis Line (202) 333-7273.
Safety: Department of Public Safety (202) 662-9325, Metro Police Department, 911
Medical: Washington Hospital Center, (866) 977-7263 (under the Violence Against Women’s Act, victims of sexual assault treated in the District of Columbia are not required to speak with law enforcement), Georgetown University Health Services, (202) 687-2200

Academic Advising
The Law Center has a number of academic deans who are available to discuss academic performance issues, course selection, and the connection between curricular and career planning.

Mitchell Bailin x4066
Sarah Hulsey x9041
Mail and Packages
All residents are assigned a United States Post Office mailbox, located in the front lobby of Gewirz, and mail is delivered directly by the USPS letter carrier. Larger packages are delivered to room 2109 between Gewirz and the Fitness Center, where they are held for residents. The Office of Residence Life contacts residents by e-mail when they have received packages. Please place any misdirected mail in the misdirected mailbox in the Gewirz lobby. Please do not use this box for garbage, flyers, or “junk mail”; recycle these.

Resolving Problems
Complaints or concerns should be brought to the Coordinator in the Office of Residence Life who will attempt to resolve issues in a fair and timely manner. The Coordinator will take appropriate steps to ensure the safety and comfort of all residents. More information on policies and procedures can be found at www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-life/housing-residence-life/on-campus-housing/current-residents.cfm

Policies and Procedures
GEWIRZ STUDENT CENTER
Philosophy
The use of the Gewirz Student Center as a residence for approximately 290 students significantly enhances the educational, social, and recreational opportunities available to all members of the Law Center community. These opportunities will be maximized, however, only if each member of the community extends to his/her fellow residents the courtesies necessary to make each person’s experience comfortable and pleasant. To that end, community guidelines have been developed, which each member of the community is expected to follow.

Please note that student residents of Gewirz are bound by these guidelines, as well as the Student Disciplinary Code published in the Georgetown Law Student Handbook of Academic Policies, which remains applicable to all students regardless of where they reside. Sections 101-103 of the Student Disciplinary Code describe substantive violations as being in one of three categories:
Sec. 101 STANDARD OF CONDUCT
Without regard to motive, intentional student conduct that is dishonest, evidences lack of integrity or trustworthiness, or may unfairly impinge upon the rights or privileges of members of the Law Center Community is prohibited.

Sec. 102 ADMINISTRATIVE VIOLATIONS
Prohibited conduct that does not evidence a serious lack of honesty, integrity or trustworthiness on the part of the student engaged in such conduct constitutes an administrative violation, but does not constitute a disciplinary violation.

Sec. 103 DISCIPLINARY VIOLATIONS
Prohibited conduct that does evidence a serious lack of honesty, integrity or trustworthiness on the part of the student engaged in such conduct constitutes a disciplinary violation.

Resident Conduct Inquiry Procedure
Living in the Gewirz Student Center is a privilege and requires adherence to community living standards. Everyone in the building has the right to feel safe and secure in this environment. Any action that threatens or disrupts this community or its members may be subject to the following process. The goal is to resolve issues administratively when possible.

1. Process
Complaints or violations involving resident behavior are initially handled by the Assistant Director of Residence Life & Student Programs in the Office of Residence Life. These include disruptive behavior, grievances against a resident, and violations of the Occupancy Agreement or the Gewirz Student Center policy. If an agreement cannot be reached, the complaint may proceed to the Director of Residence Life and Student Programs or to the Dean of Students. These persons have the authority to administratively investigate and respond to complaints about student conduct.
In most cases, the Assistant Director will proceed to investigate the incident. In some cases, however, after consultation, the matter will be referred to the Law Center's Professional Responsibility Committee or Ethics Counsel. Once the Committee takes jurisdiction over the matter, the involvement of the Office of Residence Life ends.

2. Resolving Complaints
The Assistant Director of Residence Life & Student Programs will make every attempt to handle complaints regarding residents’ conduct in a fair and timely manner.
As part of the investigation of a complaint, the Assistant Director will give the resident about whom the complaint has been filed timely notice of the complaint and a chance to respond to the complaint or allegation. The resident will be informed of the nature of the complaint and given an opportunity to respond in writing and in person.

If after investigating a complaint, the Assistant Director, or other appropriate administrator determines that a resident has violated the Occupancy Agreement or Gewirz Student Center policies, the administrator will meet with the resident and may apply one of the sanctions described below. Whenever appropriate, the AD will mediate between residents in order to air grievances and develop a mutually agreed upon resolution of the problem. In some instances, the students may be referred to another mediator.

3. Sanctions
Sanctions may include one or more of the following:

a. **Verbal warning** - applied for minor, first time violations
b. **Written warning** - follows a meeting with the resident and reflects a more serious violation. A copy of the letter is kept on file during the period of occupancy.
c. **Room change** - for a serious violation that does not warrant termination of the occupancy agreement.
d. **Expulsion from housing** - used for behavior that threatens health of oneself or the health or well being of others or for serious or repeated violations of the Occupancy Agreement, Gewirz Student Center policies or Student Conduct Code. Residents expelled from housing are given 24-48 hours to vacate.
e. **Damage charges** - Charges for damages shall be assessed as appropriate and charged to the resident’s student account.

4. **Appeal in Cases of Expulsion from Housing**
A resident who has been asked to vacate the Gewirz Student Center because of serious or repeated misconduct may appeal the decision to the Dean of Students within one business day. The Law Center reserves the right to remove a student from housing immediately pending adjudication, when it determines, in its sole discretion, that this student would pose a threat to his/her own or other’s safety or well-being and/or would create a disruption to the community if he/she remained in the residence hall while the issue is investigated.

**Cancelled Occupancy Agreement**
When a resident signs an occupancy agreement, he/she accepts full fin-
ancial responsibility for his/her space in the apartment for the entire
occupancy period. A resident who wishes to cancel the agreement may
do so at any time if he/she can find an eligible student who is willing to
assume the occupancy agreement. The procedures for this are:

1. The resident wishing to cancel the Agreement contacts the Office of
Residence Life.

2. The Office will provide the resident with a list of eligible students who
may be interested in assuming the Occupancy Agreement.

3. The resident is responsible for contacting the eligible student and en-
suring that all administrative procedures are completed.

4. A refund is offered to the departing resident based on the day that the
Office of Residence Life determines that all administrative procedures for
the cancelled agreement have been completed.

**Move-out**

All residents will receive instructions concerning moving out. In order to
avoid unnecessary charges, remember the following:

1. Keys should be turned in at the Office of Residence Life.

2. Make sure the apartment is clean and that all personal belongings
and trash have been removed.

3. All apartments must be vacated by the assigned time on the last day
of the Period of Occupancy.

4. All apartments will be inspected before and after the residents leave.
The condition of the apartment upon move-out will be compared to
the apartment and room inventory form each resident signed during
move-in. If there are any damages or missing inventory, the resident
(s) responsible for the apartment or bedroom will have the charge for
repair or replacement cost billed to their student account.

**Room Charges**

Room charges are placed on each resident's student account at the be-
inning of each semester. They are due at the same time as tuition
charges and are subject to the same late fees, deferment fees and
monthly service charges. Georgetown University offers a monthly pay-
ment plan that enables a student to pay all or part of his/her annual tuition and room and board in ten equal monthly installments. Interested students should contact Student Accounts at (202) 662-9057 for further information. All arrangements to participate in the monthly payment plan must be in place by the start of the academic year.

**Termination of Occupancy**

The Law Center reserves the right to cancel an Occupancy Agreement if:

1. The resident ceases to be eligible for housing in the Gewirz Student Center; i.e., the resident is no longer a student at the Law Center.

2. The resident violates any term of the Occupancy Agreement, including, but not limited to, failure to pay any amount due on the due date, failure to vacate the assigned space or allowing any other person to occupy the space without prior written consent from the Law Center; resident causes harm to others, self, or is exceptionally disruptive to the community.

3. The assigned space is unavailable or unusable due to damage, construction, renovation, the necessity for repair or for any other reason that the Law Center considers to be good cause.

4. The student violates the Student Conduct Code, the Gewirz Student Center policies and/or the terms of the Occupancy Agreement, and is sanctioned with expulsion.

If the Agreement is terminated by the Law Center, the resident will vacate the assigned space within 24 to 48 hours. In certain cases, an immediate vacating of space may be required. **In most cases, the resident will remain liable for all fees for the full period of occupancy.**

**SECURITY**

**Building Access**

The entrance to the Gewirz Student Center is equipped with GoCard reader access and a telephone for assistance or contacting building residents. The Department of Public Safety's (DPS) communications center is housed in Gewirz room 104 and is staffed 24 hours a day. Their phone number is 662-9325. In addition, weekdays from 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. there will be a Residence Life receptionist on duty at the front desk located in the Student Center's entrance lobby. The phone number is 662-9290.
Access to the Gewirz Student Center is limited to members of the Law Center community and their guests. Georgetown GOCard identification cards operate the access card readers throughout the campus. If you lose your GOCard, you should contact the Department of Public Safety. All community members need to have a Georgetown GOCard to gain entrance to Gewirz.

**Gewirz Student Center Building Hours**

**Monday-Friday:** Building hours:
6:50 a.m. - 12:00 midnight. The main door is locked at all times, members of the Georgetown University Law Center community may enter the building by using their GOCard. After 12:00 midnight (1:00 a.m. on Friday nights), only residents may enter the building by using their programmed identification/access cards.

**Gewirz Student Center Policies**

**Gewirz Resident Alcohol Policy**

A social gathering of 15 or more people is considered a party. Out of consideration to neighbors, parties of this size or larger should be held in a designated lounge, reserved in advance. For more information, please contact the Office of Residence Life.

All residents of Gewirz are expected to follow the alcohol policy. Open containers of alcohol are not permitted in any common or public area of the Gewirz Student Center including lounges, stairwells, terraces and corridors. Common sources of alcohol, such as kegs, are not permitted in Gewirz. For more information, please contact the Office of Residence Life.

Sponsored groups are permitted to have beer and wine in the Gewirz Student Center spaces for social events only with prior written permission from the Office of Student Life and the Office of Residence Life. Bulk containers are not permitted.

**Dangerous Materials and Substances**

Dangerous materials and substances, including grills, hibachis, explosives, fireworks, flammable materials, weapons and illegal drugs, are not permitted anywhere in the Gewirz Student Center.
**Guests**

Guests of residents are welcome to visit the Gewirz Student Center. Guests staying overnight more than 3 days in a month, however, need to have permission first from the resident’s roommate and then from the Office of Residence Life. To seek such permission contact (202) 662-9290. The resident host will be responsible for the guest. The University reserves the right to remove a guest from the Gewirz Student Center if he/she violates Gewirz Student Center policies.

**Pets**

For the safety and well-being of humans and animals, the only pets that students are allowed to have in the Gewirz Student Center are fish. A "fish" is defined as an aquatic species that must live underwater at all times to survive.

**Quiet Hours/Courtesy Hours**

It is important that the environment in the Gewirz Student Center be consistent with the academic goals of the Law Center. Therefore, the Gewirz Student Center maintains quiet hours and courtesy hours. Quiet hours are from 12 a.m. to 7 a.m. During quiet hours, sound or noise should be maintained at a level that allows for concentrated academic study. When quiet hours are not in effect, courtesy hours will be maintained. During courtesy hours any noise or sound that disturbs other residents must stop upon request.

**Reasonable Requests**

University officials, including Public Safety and Residence Life staff, may make requests to ensure a comfortable and safe living environment for all residents. Residents and visitors to the Gewirz Center are expected to comply with any reasonable request. Failure to comply may result in University action.

**Smoking**

Smoking is not permitted in any apartment or public areas in the Gewirz Student Center. Residents should not smoke in front of any entrances to the building. Residents wishing to smoke must do so at least 25 feet away from the building.
Solicitation
To ensure residents' privacy, anyone who wishes to sell or solicit, including Internet ventures in the Gewirz Student Center must have prior written approval from the Office of Residence Life. The operation of a business from a Gewirz Student Center apartment is not permitted.

Vandalism and Dangerous Activity
Residents and visitors to the Gewirz Student Center are not permitted to damage University property or participate in any activity that might endanger the safety or well-being of themselves or others. This includes placing items, sitting, or standing on window sills or ledges, being on the Gewirz Student Center roof, and dropping items down the stairwells.

Gaming & Gambling
Georgetown University Law Center expects students to adhere to all laws of the District of Columbia, including the following gaming and gambling laws.
DC law prohibits gaming or gambling devices of any kind designed for the purpose of playing any game of chance for money or property (DC ST § 22-1704). It is also unlawful for any person or association of persons within the District to place a bet or wager or to make books or pools on the result of any athletic contest. The term “athletic contest” includes any athletic or sporting event, contest, race, or match (DC ST § 22-1708). Managing, promoting, or partaking in any public lottery or sale of tickets is also prohibited (DC ST § 22-1701). Bingo, raffles, and Monte Carlo night parties organized for educational and charitable purposes must be regulated by the District of Columbia Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board. (DC ST § 22-1717)
If a Student Organization is interested in holding a raffle, card game, or fundraising event of any kind, please contact the Office of the Dean of Students (202.662.9041) before organizing the event.

Resident Fellows
Jake Woodward — Floors 2 & 3 Apt. 304

Jake grew up in Cincinnati, Ohio. He graduated from The Ohio State University in the spring of 2014 with a B.A. in Political Science and English and is now a 3L at Georgetown. During his time at Ohio State, Jake was
highly involved in Residence Life. He served as a member of the Residence Halls Advisory Council and worked as a Resident Adviser. He was also a member of several honoraries and community service organizations.

Jake spent the summer clerking with the law firm Rogers, Morris, & Grover in Houston, Texas. Rogers, Morris, & Grover specializes in education law and represents several school districts in eastern Texas.

In his spare time, Jake can be found working out, cooking, reading, writing, checking his Fantasy Football lineup, or cheering on his home town sports teams. Jake also worked at the front desk of Gewirz last year and was a summer RA in Gewirz, so feel free to get in touch with him with any questions that you might have or if you want to talk to him about a program that you would like to see happen!

Carlton Tarpley — Floors 4 & 5 Apt. 504

Carlton Tarpley grew up in Birmingham, Alabama. She graduated in May of 2015 with a B.S. in Finance and Economics from the University of Alabama, where she also served as a Resident Advisor her sophomore and junior years. During college, Carlton was involved in Alabama’s Mock Trial program and triathlon team. Carlton is currently a 2L at Georgetown Law and is an active member of the Federalist Society and Women’s Legal Alliance. She is also looking forward to competing on Georgetown’s Moot Court team and being a member of the Environmental Law Review during the upcoming year. When she is not studying, Carlton loves to run around D.C., cheer on The Crimson Tide, and watch Netflix. She can’t wait to meet you all!

Silas Cooper - Floors 6 & 7 Apt. 704

Silas is a proud native of Pawtucket, Rhode Island where the city’s claim to fame is the longest baseball game ever played (33 innings)! He is also a proud Liberian. Silas received his Bachelors of Science at American International College (Go Yellow Jackets)! During undergrad, he played football and rugby and worked in Residence Life while serving as Student
Government President. He is a rising 2L (3E), due to graduate in the spring of 2018. He spent the summer of 2015 as a judicial intern for Justice Fernande Duffly on the Massachusetts Supreme Court. This past summer, he interned for the Deputy Attorney General at the Department of Justice and also served as a Summer Resident Advisor in Gewirz. In his spare time, you can catch him in the fitness center working out or in his room binge watching his favorite Netflix series. He likes to travel to new place and try new foods whenever possible. He looks forward to meeting the new Hoyas!

Samantha Chaffee - Floors 8 & 9 Apt. 904

Samantha grew up in Danielsville, Pennsylvania. She graduated in May of 2011 with a B.S. in Crime, Law and Justice from The Pennsylvania State University, where she also served as a Resident Assistant from freshman through senior year. Throughout undergrad, Samantha was a member of Omega Phi Alpha and answered crisis hotlines. After graduation, Samantha lived in Enterprise, Alabama and Raeford, North Carolina. She has experience working as an Executive Team Leader over Human Resources and a Public Safety Call Taker. Samantha is currently a 2L at Georgetown Law. She is an active member of PLAID, NOLA, and various other organizations on and off campus. Samantha interned with the Virginia Indigent Defense Commission while simultaneously serving as a Research Assistant for Georgetown's Annual Review of Criminal Procedure. She aspires to be a public defender. When Samantha is not attending school, she enjoys running, long distance hiking, traveling, and kayaking. She looks forward to meeting you all!

Sandor Callahan - Floors 10 & 11 Apt. 1004

Sandor is from the San Francisco Bay Area and has had the pleasure of reppin’ the Bay wherever he goes. He is an incredibly proud UC Santa
Cruz Banana Slug alum as well. While an undergrad he ran track, played soccer, and co-taught a class on the history of the bicycle. After Santa Cruz, he served as a Peace Corps volunteer for two years in China.

Sandor is currently a 3L at Georgetown. In addition to being a Gewirz Resident Fellow, Sandor is President of the Student Bar Association, a member of the Black Law Students Association, and a Global Law scholar.

Welcome to Georgetown!

**The Office of the Dean of Students**

This department, headed by Dean Mitchell Bailin, will support the academic, professional, and personal development of law students. ODOS is housed in McDonough 210. Included in the department are:

**Residence Life and Student Programs**

**Academic Enhancement Programs**

**Center for Wellness Promotion**

**Office of Disability Services**

**Student Life**

**Security and Safety**

This section provides an overview of Georgetown’s safety policies. Feel free to contact the Department of Public Safety if you have any questions or concerns. *Every student is responsible for his or her own safety.*

**Department of Public Safety**

The Department of Public Safety is responsible for providing security at the Law Center. The department, located on the first floor of Gewirz, is available 24 hours a day. Report any emergencies to them immediately at 202-662-9325.
Door Locks

For additional security, use the deadbolt provided on your door. This prevents your door from being opened by a regular room key. **Do not leave your doors propped open when you are away from the apartment. Report stolen keys to Public Safety immediately at 202-662-9325.**

Visitors & Deliveries

Residents who expect a visitor should meet him or her in the lobby. All visitors must sign in. Residents who expect a delivery or a service call from a non-Georgetown agent, must meet the person or persons calling in the Gewirz lobby and escort those persons through Gewirz. Deliveries or service calls may not be made without an escort.

Blue Light System

Around campus you will find posts with blue lights on them. Each of these spots has a phone that can be used to call for help during an emergency as well as an emergency button. Pressing the button causes the blue light to flash and send for the campus police.

Emergencies

All residents should prepare for emergency scenarios by reviewing plans and expectations in advance. All residents should know where fire extinguishers are kept, where the nearest exits are located, and how to call for help. **In the event of an evacuation, please take your wallet, ID card, any medication you may need, and apartment key with you.**

Fire

Be sure to note the nearest exit from your bedroom when you move into Gewirz. In the event of a fire, the alarm system will be activated and an announcement will be made. Everyone should exit the building immediately through the nearest marked exit.
Weather Emergencies

In the event of natural disasters, information will be available on the Georgetown Law TV channel (6). If specific action is required, it will be announced on the public address system.

Man-made disasters or acts of terrorism

These events—including bio-terrorism, dirty bombs, or chemical spills—may or may not require evacuation of the Law Center. An announcement will be made explaining what to do. In some situations, you may be asked to remain in the shelter of the Law School buildings for your own safety.

Preventing Crime

Like many big cities, Washington has its fair share of crime. Be careful when out and about. Even though Georgetown University Law Center constantly monitors security, students must take precautions whether on or off campus to protect their safety.

In Gewirz

- Always make sure the door to your room is closed tightly and locked.
- Never allow strangers to follow you into the building.
- In the event of a sexual assault, on or off campus, contact either Public Safety (202-662-9325), a Resident Fellow, or dial 911 immediately.

On Campus

- Try to travel in groups after dark.
- Get to know the campus. Find out where building entrances, exits, and public pay phones are located and where campus security guards are stationed.
- In an emergency, use one of the blue light columns to call the police.
Off Campus

- Instead of walking at night, use the shuttle bus that runs from McDonough to Union Station.
- Be aware of doormen, guards, restaurants, and grocery stores in the neighborhood. Know where you can find them in the event of an emergency.
- Travel in groups after dark. If you have to walk alone, stick to areas that are populated and well-lit, and keep alert at all times.
- Do not carry large sums of money, jewelry, or other valuables. Be especially careful when using ATM machines.
- In an emergency, or if you hear someone calling for help, dial 911 immediately. If no telephone is available, enter a store or place of business to call for help.

The Georgetown Law Campus

Because of its location within the nation’s capital, the history of Georgetown Law is closely tied to the history of the Federal Government. Founded in 1870 by order of the University’s directors, Georgetown Law quickly blossomed into one of the most prestigious law schools in the nation. The Law Center now offers the nation’s largest clinical program, joint degree programs in law, business, foreign service (international relations), public health, philosophy, government, and a special program for Public Interest Law Scholars.

McDonough Hall

Named in honor of Bernard P. McDonough (L’25, H’67), McDonough Hall is the main classroom building. This building also serves as the setting for meetings, debates, lectures, and oral argument competitions. A moot court auditorium, named in honor of alumnus Philip A. Hart (C’34), occupies the heart of the complex. Lecture halls occupy the second floor of the building with faculty and student services offices on the upper floors. In addition to several smaller classrooms and seminar rooms, the first floor has a student dining room and coffee bar.

Market Café-Bon Appetit

The cafeteria in the basement of McDonough offers fresh pizza, grilled foods, salads, soups, pastries, and a variety of sandwiches. This cafeteria, operated by Bon Appetit Catering, is open*:

- Mondays - Thursdays: 8:00 AM –8:00 PM.
- Fridays: 8:00 AM—3:00 PM
- Saturdays & Sundays: Closed
**Subway Café-Courtside/Hotung**

Mondays—Fridays: 7:00 AM— 9:00 PM  
Saturdays: 8:00 AM— 8:00 PM  
Sundays: 10:00 AM— 8:00 PM

**Georgetown Law Bookstore**

The Georgetown Law bookstore, with an entrance on the street level of McDonough Hall near the corner of F Street and New Jersey Avenue, sells books, course material, stationary, and office supplies. The store is open during the following hours during the academic year*:

Mondays—Thursdays: 9:00 AM—6:00 PM  
Fridays: 9:00 AM—5:00 PM  
Saturdays: 12:00 AM—5:00 PM  
Sundays: Closed

* All hours are subject to change

**The E.B. Williams Law Library**

The five story law library was named in honor of distinguished Georgetown alumnus Edward Bennett Williams (L'44, H'68). The more than 820,000 volumes and volume-equivalents in this library are complemented by 11,500 serial subscriptions, computerized legal research terminals and personal computers for student use. The library has 1,200 seats available, including lounges, group study rooms, and private carrels for students with disabilities. The library (www.ll.georgetown.edu) is open during the following hours during the academic year:

Daily: 7:00 AM— 2:00 AM

**Eric E. Hotung International Law Center**

The Eric E. Hotung International Law Center strengthens the school's ability to prepare students to participate fully in the world community. The building houses the new John Wolff International & Comparative Law Library, an alumni welcoming center, additional classrooms, and expanded space for faculty offices and for the Office of International and Graduate Programs.
Living in DC

Washington—an impressive but impractical city

When Pierre L’Enfant designed Washington, he was more concerned with aesthetics than rush-hour traffic. As a result, the city is filled with broad tree-lined avenues — beautiful to look at, but frustrating to navigate. But exploring Washington isn’t so difficult—once you have a basic understanding of how the city is laid out.

Sort of a grid...but not quite...

Pierre L’Enfant placed the Capitol Building near the center of Washington on what was known as Jenkins Hill. Four streets radiate from the Capitol building dividing the city into four quadrants: Northwest, Northeast, Southwest, and Southeast. Every address in Washington denotes the quadrant of the city as well as the street address.

The city is then divided into a grid. Numerical streets run north and south, increasing in value as they move away from the Capitol. Alphabetical streets run east and west, proceeding in alphabetical order as they move away from the Capitol building. Avenues are named after States and run at diagonals, often connecting important buildings, landmarks, or circles.

Capitol Hill

Capitol Hill sits at the figurative center of Washington. The Capitol Building dominates the neighborhood, which is occupied by the Congressional office buildings and numerous business and financial offices. During the day, the neighborhood is vibrant with business people, tourists, and government workers. In the evening, however, the area tends to become a relatively quiet, residential neighborhood. The strip along Pennsylvania Avenue just south of the Capitol Building and Barrack’s Row (8th St. SE) have recently become popular night spots with bars, restaurants, and unique shops.

Dupont Circle

Lined with stately nineteenth century mansions, Dupont Circle
is home to some of Washington’s best shopping, dining, and nightlife. During
the day, the neighborhood is packed with tourists and locals alike, and in the
evening, crowds pack into Dupont’s restaurants, bars, and clubs. Dupont
Circle is also home to Washington’s vibrant gay and lesbian community.

Adams Morgan

Washington’s equivalent to New York’s Greenwich Village, Adams Morgan is
filled with stores, restaurants, and bars. Ethnically mixed and culturally di-
verse, Adams Morgan houses some of Washington’s grittier and more exciting
night life.

U Street Corridor

Historically the cultural center of Washington’s African-American community,
U Street has become a Washington hot spot. Lined with international restau-
rants, theaters, and jazz clubs, U Street has recently been revitalized into a
new haven for nightlife and hip culture. The U Street nightlife is centered
around the U Street Metro stop at 13th Street.

Georgetown

Originally an eighteenth century tobacco port, Georgetown is now one of the
country’s most prestigious neighborhoods. Home to ambassadors and politi-
cians, the neighborhood also houses Georgetown’s main campus. During the
day, the stores on M Street are packed with shoppers and tourists, and in the
evenings, students and locals crowd into M Street’s many bars, clubs, and
restaurants.

Chinatown/Penn Quarter/Downtown

Craving dim sum? Want to catch a basketball game or major concert? Then
head to Chinatown. Filled with inexpensive restaurants, unique specialty
stores, and colorful street vendors, Chinatown is only blocks away from
Gewirz. The area just south of Chinatown, Penn Quarter, near the Verizon
Center at 7th Street, is a particularly vibrant and popular night spot.

Using the Metro

Clean, efficient, and easy to use, Washington’s subway system is one of the
finest in the United States. Stations are located throughout the city, and
maps and prices can be found online at wmata.com.
Every passenger on Metro needs a ticket. Ticket vending machines are located in each Metro station. Simply enter money into the machine, push the ticket button, and out pops your Metro ticket.

Exploring the Neighborhood

Gewirz Student Center is located in the Capitol Hill neighborhood. Take the time to get to know the area—especially the location of stores, restaurants, and important businesses.

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Food Delivery

Food can be delivered to Gewirz, but you must meet the food delivery yourself in the lobby. Menus are available in the first floor TV lounge.

Pizza

- Armand’s  202-547-6600
- Papa John’s  202-986-2222
- Dominos  202-526-8600
- Fuel Pizza  202-547-3835

Asian

- Great Wall Szechuan House  202-797-8888
- Major’s  202-543-8866
- Royal Thai  202-842-1405

Salads/Wraps

- Chop’t  202-347-3225

Getting in and out of the city

Washington is a relatively easy city to travel to and from. Metro service runs to Ronald Reagan/Washington National Airport and Union Station. Amtrak trains run from Union Station to Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport. A combination of Metro trains and a shuttle bus transportation will take you to Dulles International Airport.
Airports

Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport (BWI)  
410-859-7111 www.bwiairport.com
Dulles International Airport (IAD)  
703-572-2700 www.metwashairports.com/dulles
Ronald Reagan/Washington National Airport (DCA)  
703-417-8000 www.airport-dca.com

Rail

Amtrak (Union Station)  
800-USA-RAIL

Bus

Greyhound (1005 1st St. NW—near Union Station) 202-289-5154
Dragon Deluxe (Chinatown bus to New York) www.dragondeluxe.com
Bolt Bus (D.C. to New York) www.boltbus.com
Mega Bus (D.C. to New York) www.megabus.com

Taxis

Diamond Cab Co.  202-387-4011
Dulles Airport Taxi 703-481-8181
Georgetown Cab  202-529-8979
Red Top Cab Co.  202-328-3333
Yellow Cab Co.  202-544-1212

Local Restaurants

Armand’s Chicago Pizzeria—Pizza  
226 Massachusetts Ave. NE, 202-547-6600
Austin Grill—TexMex  
750 E St. NW, 202-393-3776
Bullfeathers of Capitol Hill—American  
410 1st St. SW, 202-543-5005
District Chophouse—American  
509 7th St, NW, 202-347-3434

Jaleo—Tapas  
480 7th St. NW, 202-628-7949

Clydes of Gallery Place—Up Scale American  
1301 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, 202-464-4461

Eat First—Asian  
609 H. St. NW, 202-289-1703

Matchbox Pizza—Pizza and American cuisine  
713 H St. NW, 202-289-4441

Potbelly Sandwich Works—Bakery, sandwiches  
726 7th St. NW, 202-478-0070

Rosa Mexicano—Mexican  
575 7th, St at FSt NW, 202-783-5522

Oyamel—Mexican  
401 7th ST, NW, 202-625-1005

Starbucks—Coffee  
500 NJ Ave. NW, 202-347-0364

Tony Cheng’s—Mongolian  
619 H St. NW, 202-371-8669

Local Nightclubs and Bars

Bohemian Caverns  
2001 11th St. NW, 202-299-0801  
*Bar, club, lunge, dancing, DJ, jazz, blues*

Busboys and Poets  
1025 5th St. NW, 202-789-2227  
*Restaurant, bar, performance space*

The Dubliner  
520 North Capital St. NW, 202-737-3773  
*Irish pub and restaurant*

Fado Irish Pub  
808 7th St. NW, 202-789-0066  
*Irish pub, live music, pub food*
Kelly’s Irish Times
14 F St. NW, 202-543-5433
Irish pub, college bar, live music

My Brother’s Place
237 2nd St. NW, 202-347-1350
Bar, neighborhood pub, DJ

Shelly’s Backroom
1331 F. St. NW, 202-737-3003
Bar, club, cigar bar, lounge

Bar Louie
701 7th St. NW, 202-638-2460
Bar, night dining, carry-out, private parties

Rocket Bar
714 7th St. NW, 202-628-7665
3 full bars, jukeboxes, darts

Ultra Bar
911 F St. NW, 202-638-4663
Bar, exclusive VIP floor

Art and Culture
Washington is home to some of the country’s finest cultural venues. The city is filled with theaters, concert halls, museums, and galleries. Many of Washington’s theaters—notably the Kennedy Center and the Shakespeare theater—are world famous. Most theaters offer special performance prices for students if you only take the time to ask.

The Kennedy Center for the Arts
Built as a living memorial to John F. Kennedy, the Kennedy Center (kennedy-center.org) is home to the Washington National Opera and the National Symphony Orchestra among other artistic organizations. Information on performances and tickets can be found online. The Kennedy Center does offer student tickets, but they can only be purchased in person at the Kennedy Center ticket office.

Local Theaters
A detailed list of local theaters—including the Shakespeare Theatre, The
National Theatre, and Fords Theatre—can be found online on the Web page of the DC Arts organization (nationaltheatre.org or fords.org).

**Movie Theaters**

**Landmark E Street Cinema**  
202-452-7672  
Conveniently located near Metro Center, the E Street theater shows a variety of independent and art films.

**Regal Gallery Place Stadium 14**  
202-393-2121  
Want to grab a quick bite to eat before a movie? Regal Gallery Place Stadium 14 is located just seconds away from a large variety of restaurants.

**Museums and Monuments**

**The Smithsonian Museums**

Flanking either side of the United States Mall, the Smithsonian Museums (si.edu) are vast, comprehensive, and free of charge.

The Smithsonian museums house artifacts and exhibits ranging from the Enola Gay airplane to the ruby slippers Judy Garland wore in *The Wizard of Oz*. The museums are too large to explore in one day, so be sure to dedicate ample time to each museum.

Some Smithsonian museums are scattered throughout the city, so check their Website for details.

**The Folger Shakespeare Library**

The Folger Library and Museum (folger.edu) houses the world’s largest collection of Shakespeare’s printed works. The library regularly offers exhibits and live performances.

**The United States National Holocaust Museum**

One of the most powerful of Washington’s museums, the National Holocaust Museum is located just south of the Washington Monument and the National Mall. No passes are necessary to enter the building or special exhibitions, but free timed passes are required to visit the museum’s main exhibit. Passes can be picked up the morning of your visit. See
The International Spy Museum

The new International Spy Museum (spymuseum.org) presents the equipment, techniques, and legends of espionage throughout history. Through photographs, interactive displays, and films, the museum covers the history of espionage from ancient Japan through the Cold War to the present day. Tickets are required, and you can purchase your ticket in advance to avoid waiting in line.

The US Botanical Garden

Located at the base of the Capitol Building, the Botanical Gardens (usbg.gov) are a living museum, with rare and exotic flowers, ferns and trees.

The Washington Monument

Poking out of the Mall like an Egyptian obelisk, the Washington Monument sits between the Capitol Building and the Lincoln Memorial. The Monument was reopened on May 12, 2014 after suffering significant earthquake damage on August 23, 2011. For more information or to book a tour, visit their website at www.recreation.gov.

The Lincoln Memorial

Built to mimic the famous Greek temple to Zeus, the Lincoln Memorial is a very solemn and moving memorial to the sixteenth president.

The Jefferson and FDR Memorials

Located along the Potomac Tidal Basin in southwest DC, the Jefferson Memorial and the FDR Memorial are tributes to two influential presidents and the eras over which they presided.

The War Memorials

Memorials to the veterans of the Vietnam War, the Korean War, and World War II surround the National Mall. The National Mall is also lined with smaller memorials to famous leaders, conflicts, and political figures.
Shopping in the District

Shopping in DC ranges from posh specialty stores to haggling street vendors. Many neighborhoods have distinct characteristics and the stores are often extensions of a neighborhood’s unique character.

Connecticut Avenue

Dozens of high end stores line Connecticut Avenue near Dupont Circle. Take an afternoon to stroll up and down Connecticut, then play a game of chess in Dupont Circle Park—a traditional DC pastime.

M Street (Georgetown)

Lined with posh furniture stores, restaurants, and specialty stores, M Street is a favorite destination spot for tourists and locals alike.

Pentagon City/Pentagon Row

Just off the yellow and blue Metro lines, Pentagon City Mall has large department stores, dozens of specialty stores, and an enormous food court. Just outside the mall, Pentagon Row features a variety of stores, restaurants, and pubs.

Places of Worship

Georgetown University Law Center Catholic Chapel
McDonough Hall, Daily Mass at 12:15; Sunday Mass at 11 AM, 202-662-9295

Capitol Hill Metropolitan Baptist Church
525 6 & A St. NE, 202-543-6111

Foundry United Methodist Church
1500 16th St. NW, 202-332-4010

Georgetown Presbyterian Church
3115 P St. NW, 202-338-1644
Jewish Student Association Center  
Georgetown University, 202-687-4383

St. Aloysius Catholic Church  
19 I St. NW, 202-336-7200

St. John’s Episcopal Church  
3240 O St. NW, 202-338-1796

The Islamic Center  
2551 Mass Ave NW, 202-332-8343

Useful Websites

The following are Websites that you may wish to bookmark, since you’ll probably refer to them often while attending Georgetown.

Class Cancellation Information
http://www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-services/registrar/class-cancellations/index.cfm

Current Residents Page—useful for service requests and announcements
http://www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-life/housing-residence-life/on-campus-housing/current-residents.cfm

DC Cultural Events
http://www.culturaltourismdc.org

GOCard Office
http://www.law.georgetown.edu/campus-services/gocard

Metro Information
http://www.wmata.com

Restaurant Reservations
http://www.opentable.com

Student Access (to access grades and transcripts)
http://myaccess.georgetown.edu

Student Life (including ticket sales, campus events)