The Smart Choice

RADFORD UNIVERSITY is renowned for effective teaching and for inspiring a commitment to public service. Northern Virginians who share these values choose wisely when they choose RU.

MARY AFRANE, ALEXANDRIA CHEMISTRY/BIOLOGY DOUBLE MAJOR HIGHLANDER SCHOLAR

Getting to do team research with her biology professor is one reason Mary Afrane knows Radford University was a great choice. Her work with Dr. Robert Sheehy on stream bacteria DNA variations helped her land an internship in cancer cell repair research at Indiana University. After she graduates from RU in May, Afrane anticipates graduate study in molecular medicine and, eventually, medical team research on cancer or genetic diseases.

STEVE AND MARY CASSADAY, MCLEAN PARENTS OF CHAD CASSADAY, RU SOPHOMORE

“Radford is set up to support freshmen from the get go,” say the Cassadays. “It’s good at filling in the gaps in the college experience to make sure it’s airtight for parents and students. Radford is professional and thorough in a comprehensive way — emotionally, academically and with the campus and facilities. It is top drawer in every way.”

GEORGE MENDIOLA, JR., FAIRFAX ANALYST, SCIENCE APPLICATIONS INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION B.S. IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE, 2000 MBA, 2002

“RU was a smart choice because it offered three elements critical to my early successes with this Fortune 500 company: an environment that encouraged me to learn more about myself and develop confidence in my abilities, the opportunity to develop networks of students, business and government leaders, and a continuing understanding of how I fit into the real world.”