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OUR MISSIONS ARE ALIGNED

We're all in the business of fueling a thriving regional economy by creating opportunities for all

School of Business

A public, comprehensive, research university...helping to fuel our regional economy and **creating opportunities for all through inclusive excellence in education**

Fairfax County Redevelopment and Housing Authority

To initiate and **provide opportunities for Fairfax County residents to live in safe, affordable housing** and to help develop, preserve, and revitalize communities through fiscally responsible and open processes.

Fairfax County Housing and Community Development

To **provide safe, affordable homes for the residents of Fairfax County;** and to assist the disabled and senior members of our community.



SCHOOL OVERVIEW

A Business School with Impact...in the Heart of Northern Virginia

- One of the largest business schools in Virginia, with over 4500 undergraduate and nearly 700 graduate students
- *U.S. News & World Report* ranks George Mason University #1 in Virginia and #20 nationally among most innovative schools
- 68% of Mason alumni live and work in a 50-mile radius
- 4 Centers of Excellence provide experiential learning opportunities and a bridge between research and practice, including the **Center for Real Estate Entrepreneurship**



CENTER FOR REAL ESTATE ENTREPRENEURSHIP (CREE)

Fairfax County Housing Symposium Partner Since 2019

CREE's mission includes:

- Excellence in real estate academic programs
- Industry education and lifelong learning
- Forum and convener for important issues
- Innovative and interdisciplinary research and collaboration

Recent thought leadership on affordable housing

- *Creating Space for More “Missing Middle” Housing in the Washington, D.C., Suburbs* – **Urban Land Magazine** article and Fall 2022 housing conference and panel discussion at **George Mason University**



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