



A MENTORSHIP RETREAT FOR STUDENTS OF COLOR

# RISE

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SEPTEMBER 9-11, 2022

The 2022 RISE Retreat will provide Chatham students of color with an opportunity for group mentorship, community-building, identity development, and creating a network of BIPOC students and staff at the University.

Learn more and register by September 2, 2022 at [chatham.edu/student-experience](https://chatham.edu/student-experience) > Diversity, Equity & Inclusion.



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### Who is the RISE Retreat for?

RISE Retreat participants are any new or incoming students of color at Chatham. Upperclass and graduate students of color serve as retreat mentors.

### What does the program cost?

The program is free to students, including all supplies and meals.

### How did RISE begin?

Shamin Mason '13 created RISE (Retain, Involve, Strengthen, Excel.) as a mentorship program in 2012 with the help of the Office of Student Affairs because she felt very strongly that students of color at Chatham University would benefit from a program focused on their success. In 2022, RISE changed its mentoring format to a community retreat experience.

### How can I get more information?

Please direct any questions to Juan Mendizabal (he/him/his), associate director for diversity, equity & inclusion, at [j.mendizabal@chatham.edu](mailto:j.mendizabal@chatham.edu).