choose a major. start a career.

MONROE COLLEGE
BE PART OF IT
You’re about to chart a new course in your life and all of us at Monroe College want to help. This booklet is designed to help you focus on a field of study and explore career options that may be right for you.

Your admissions counselor is here to answer any questions you may have, and will even arrange for you to speak with faculty in a department that interests you.

From your very first day at Monroe, your future goals will be on your mind. They will also be on the minds of those in the Office of Career Services. That’s because at Monroe we believe that planning for life after Monroe should begin the moment you arrive on campus.

At Monroe, you will find that practical career skills are woven throughout the academic curriculum. What’s more—a career advancement “ambassador” in each major knows the ins and outs of a relevant field so that the curriculum incorporates skills that are in demand by employers. This is on top of the extensive internship opportunities that you will be able to take advantage of during your time at Monroe. Being a part of the Monroe experience means early and consistent contact with employers to help you establish those all-important professional relationships well before you graduate.

Choosing a major, jumpstarting a career—it’s the beginning of an exciting journey and Monroe College will be with you every step of the way.
Monroe's Bachelor degree program in Accounting balances state of the art technology with traditional teaching methods. In addition to academics, students gain valuable real-world experience by working at the Center for Entrepreneurial Excellence or interning for a corporation. Year after year, the National Association of Colleges and Employers’ Job Outlook notes that BBA graduates are in great demand. Some of our recent graduates have gone on to work for companies such as IBM, PepsiCo, PricewaterhouseCoopers, KPMG, Ernst & Young, Deloitte & Touche and J.P. Morgan.

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• Monroe’s School of Business & Accounting programs are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).
• Monroe Business and Accounting students have the opportunity to join several major-related clubs and organizations including National Association of Black Accountants (NABA), Association of Latino Professionals for America (ALPFA) and the Club for Entrepreneurial Opportunities. These clubs provide opportunities to apply what you’ve learned in class to real world situations as well as increase your network of potential employers.
• Monroe Business and Accounting students earn real-world experience by working at the Small Business Center, which helps local business owners and entrepreneurs improve their businesses.
• The student chapter of NABA was named the “Top Chapter of the Year” for the region at the organization’s annual conference in 2015.

POPULAR CAREER PATHS
Some of the popular career choices for graduates of Monroe’s Bachelor in Accounting degree program include:
• Staff Accountant
• Staff Internal Auditor
• Management Accountant
• Tax Accountant
• Cost Analyst
• Loan Officer
• Financial Analyst
• Government Accountants and Auditor
• Certified Public Accountant (CPA)
• Accounting Analyst

Associate Degree

Monroe College also offers a Master’s (M.S.) Degree program in Accounting. Contact the King Graduate School for additional information.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ACCOUNTING

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— Rodney Maharaj
Bachelor’s in Public Accounting, 2015
Accounting Analyst, J.P. Morgan Chase & Co.
Since being admitted to King Graduate School at Monroe College, I have met professors, doctors, advisors, staff, and students who have encouraged me to seek new information and opportunities, ask questions, master important skills in accounting, stocks, Microsoft Office and more. I am grateful to Monroe for my Master’s degree and the friendly atmosphere!

— Elena Denisova
Master’s in Business Administration, 2015
Marketing Intern, Upton Realty Group

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Monroe’s business degrees really mean business. Graduates with Associate degrees in Business Administration have wide-ranging career options, from marketing and sales to the real estate, insurance and financial sectors. Government organizations, including influential New York City agencies, have also hired Monroe graduates. Students who go on to seek a Bachelor’s degree use it as a springboard to gain higher-level management positions or for pursuing their MBA. Recent Monroe graduates have landed positions at JPMorgan Chase, Kraft, KPMG, Macy’s and New York Life Insurance Company.

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Some of the popular career choices for graduates of Monroe’s Bachelor’s in Business Management degree program include:

- Business Analyst
- Account Executive
- Human Resources Manager
- Management Consultant
- Paralegal or Legal Assistant
- Social Media and Marketing Manager
- Advertising & Public Relations Account Executive
- Investment Banking
- Sports Agent

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- Monroe Computer Information Systems students are encouraged to take part in any number of major-related clubs, including the Information Technology Student Association (ITSA) and the National Society of Black Engineers (NSBE).

- A degree in Computer Information Systems is valuable because Information Technology (IT) professionals are found in virtually all sectors, including health, fashion, music, financial, hospitality, nonprofit and government.

- Students enrolled in Monroe's Computer Information Systems program are taught by leaders in IT, such as CIOs, network analysts, database administrators, project managers, web designers and software engineers.

POPULAR CAREER PATHS

Some of the popular career paths for graduates of Monroe’s School of Information Technology include:

- Systems Analyst
- Application Developer
- Network Administrator
- Web Developer
- Database Administrator
- Project Manager
- IT Business Analyst
- Cyber Security and Forensic Specialist

Computer information systems is one of today’s hottest fields. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, it is expected to grow 15% by 2022. By imparting their specialized knowledge into a rigorous curriculum, Monroe faculty, experts all, prepares students for successful real-world internships at leading technology firms, financial institutions and government security agencies. Monroe graduates of the School of Information Technology have benefited from rising industry demand and have gone on to launch their careers at places like IBM, Citigroup, the New York City Department of Education, Montefiore Medical Center, AT&T Wireless, Time Warner Cable and Verizon.

Associate Degree

Bachelor’s Degree

Monroe College also offers a Master’s (M.S.) Degree program in Computer Science. Contact the King Graduate School for additional information.

“Each faculty and staff at Monroe are truly outstanding. They created a positive learning environment and provided the foundational skills and tools for me to learn and grow. As a successful IT Executive working for one of the world’s largest, multi-national corporations, and a career spanning 30 years (that started because of a relationship between IBM and Monroe), I am living proof that Monroe College changes families and lives.”

— Joyce M. James
Master’s in General Business, 2014; Bachelor’s in Computer Information Systems, 2002; Associate in Computer Science, 1984
Global Delivery Project Executive, IBM — Global Technology Services
Due to an enhanced focus on local and national security, there has been a growing need for more criminal justice and human service professionals. New York City has the nation’s largest and most progressive criminal justice system in the United States and Monroe is privileged to draw leading professionals from among its ranks—ranging from police officers and inspectors to prosecutors, defense attorneys and parole officers—to serve on its criminal justice faculty. Their personalized, student-centric approach grounds the curriculum in theory while sharpening hands-on, practical skills through internships, field trips and guest lecturers. Those with a Monroe Associate degree in Criminal Justice gain access to many of the exciting entry positions within the criminal justice field. The Bachelor’s degree enables graduates to pursue career opportunities in the public and private areas within the criminal justice field. If the goal is to advance to more prestigious positions in the field, a Master’s degree in Criminal Justice will prepare you to do just that.

**DID YOU KNOW?**
- Monroe College’s Criminal Justice program is the second largest in New York.
- The NYC Police Department, the NYC Department of Corrections, Westchester Department of Corrections, Department of Homeland Security and Administration of Children’s Services have all hired Monroe graduates.
- The School of Criminal Justice has a mock courtroom, utilized by students who aspire to work in the uniformed services, the court system or the legal profession.
- Monroe has several clubs including the Criminal Justice Club, Pre-Law Club, Human Services Club and Amnesty International Club. The Clubs are led by student and faculty mentors who support students in turning classroom theory into real world experiences.
- The School of Criminal Justice is ranked #3 in top producers of minority degrees (African American/Hispanic) for Associate’s and #9 in top producers of minority degrees for Bachelor’s in Homeland Security, Law Enforcement, Firefighting and more.

**POPULAR CAREER PATHS**
Some of the popular career choices for graduates of Monroe’s School of Criminal Justice include:
- Police Officer
- State Trooper
- FBI Agent
- Corrections Officer
- Court Clerk
- Legal Assistant
- United States Customs Officer
- Social Work and Counseling
- U.S. Marshal
- Parole Officer
- Probation Officer
- DEA Special Agent
- Immigration Enforcement Agent

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Monroe College also offers a Master’s in Criminal Justice Degree. Contact the King Graduate School for additional information.

“At the outset of my college career, I identified all of the opportunities and resources Monroe College had to offer. By taking advantage of them, I was able to ensure that I graduated with a job in my field. Now I am utilizing those skills to succeed in law school.”

—Brendaliz Minaya Ruiz
Bachelor’s in Criminal Justice, 2012
Legal Assistant, Greenberg Law P.C.
DID YOU KNOW?

• The Baking and Pastry program and the Culinary program have been accredited by the American Culinary Federation (ACF) since 2012.
• 100% of our students complete an internship before graduating, with some having interned at some of the best hotels and restaurants in the metropolitan New York area.
• The culinary competition teams are award winning: More than 500 competition medals have been won in ACF culinary competitions, including more than 70 gold medals. 15 gold and 10 silver medals were won at the 2010–2013 New York State Championship.
• Monroe Culinary students won the Marc Sarrazin Cup at the 145th Salon of Culinary Art competition.
• More than 75% of our AAS students transition into the BBA program.

POPULAR CAREER PATHS

Some of the more popular career choices for graduates of Monroe's Associate in Culinary Arts & Baking and Pastry degree programs include:

• Banquet Manager
• Concierge
• Front Office Management
• Public Relations Coordinator
• Destination and Travel Resort Manager
• Food and Beverage Manager
• Conference Center Manager
• Special Event Coordinator
• Director of Housekeeping Facilities

Being from an island that 70% of its GDP depends upon tourism, it was only fitting for me to become a Certified Chef. At Monroe, the classes were small and the instructors were willing to go the extra mile, which led me into competing on Monroe’s Culinary Varsity team. During my time at Monroe, I was awarded the 2011 Chaîne des Rôtisseurs Scholarship, as well as the Monroe College Pride, Passion and Professionalism Award.

— Kareem Meade
Sous Chef, Keyonna Beach Hotel
Associate in Culinary Arts, 2011; Bachelor’s in Hospitality Management, 2012

"It doesn’t get more hands on than in Monroe’s Culinary Arts Program. Chef instructors with years of experience cover cooking and baking techniques, topics such as nutrition, food handling and safety measures, and—given that it is a rising concern among chefs, restaurateurs and consumers—how food is grown. Every culinary class is taught in our award-winning culinary center. You will be given an array of opportunities to intern in restaurants, patisseries and other venues where you feel the charge of creating food that exceeds expectations. At Monroe, you can expect to feel the heat of a working kitchen well before you graduate."
Hospitality companies are laying out the welcome mat for college graduates who come with practical training and a roll-up-your-sleeves attitude. In fact, the hospitality industry may soon account for one out of every eight jobs in the U.S.

You will find that Monroe's Associate degree in Hospitality Management will be embraced by various industries—hotels, restaurants, airlines, even resorts and casinos. The Bachelor's degree will gain you entry into an array of managerial positions in an industry that readily promotes those who prove themselves capable and motivated. Marriott, Hilton, Ritz-Carlton and a number of resorts in the Caribbean are just a sampling of companies who have employed Monroe hospitality graduates.

### POPULAR CAREER PATHS

Some popular career choices for graduates of Monroe's Bachelor's in Hospitality Management degree program include:

- Front Desk Agent / Office Manager
- Destination and Travel Resort Manager
- Reservations Agent
- Tour Escort
- Hotel/Motel/Resort/Spa Assistant Manager
- Sales Representative
- Director of Housekeeping Facilities
- Food Service/Restaurant Assistant Manager
- Special Event Coordinator
- Concierge
- Food and Beverage Manager

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- 100% of our students complete an internship before graduating, with some having interned at some of the best hotels and restaurants in the metropolitan New York area.
- Our faculty consists of experienced hotel managers, hospitality executives and travel experts.
- More than 75% of our AAS students transition into the BBA program.

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“The faculty and staff at Monroe always made me feel like a person, not a number. The small class structure allowed me to work side by side with my chefs. The professors and people I met during my time at Monroe impacted my professional career tremendously. Overall, Monroe is a great place for anyone that wants a hands on experience, with great professionals that give you the best opportunity to succeed in the industry today.”

—Santo James Daversa Jr.  
Bachelor’s in Hospitality Management, 2010  
Sous Chef, Catch Restaurant/ Lexington Brass
The medical services job market is in excellent health and growing ever more robust. A population that is living longer will drive an increased need for medical care and the medical administrators who manage the system.

At Monroe, we are lucky to have a medical administration faculty that is as diverse as the field itself, from a former CEO of a major medical facility to a geriatric social worker with over two decades of experience. These dedicated teachers will help equip you to work more effectively by immersing you in the operations of health care and in specific skills, such as medical coding and billing.

You will find Monroe graduates at Jacobi Medical Center, the Bronx Veterans Hospital, New York Presbyterian Hospital and Montefiore Medical Center.

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POPPULAR CAREER PATHS
Some popular career choices for graduates of Monroe’s Bachelor’s in Health Services Administration degree program include:
- Medical Office Managers
- Hospital Care Investigators
- Community Service Workers
- Coordinating Managers
- Managed Care Specialists
- Unit Coordinators
- Third-Party Billing Specialists

“Earning my degree was a challenge, but Monroe made it a positive one. The college has a great support system and my professors constantly pushed me because they know I had it in me. Thanks to Monroe’s flexibility, now I am one step closer to my goal.”
— Joanne Brown
Bachelor’s in Health Services Administration, 2015
Billing Supervisor, Weill Cornell Medical College

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Associate (A.A.S.) Degree in Medical Assisting

Medical Assistants work side-by-side nurses and other caregivers to treat patients across the lifespan, from newborns to senior citizens. Medical assistants are versatile because they perform both clinical and administrative duties. The U.S. Bureau of Labor predicts a 34% increase in medical assistants through 2018.

When you are a Medical Assisting student at Monroe, you will experience your future career early on, with faculty and simulated hospital rooms that expose students to what they are likely to encounter in a clinical setting. That’s the first step. Then we ensure that all of our medical assisting students complete practicums at a variety of health care sites that allow them to develop their clinical and patient care skills in the real world.

Monroe Medical Assistant graduates find themselves with entry-level jobs at an array of health care facilities, including medical practices, hospitals, long-term care facilities and assisted living facilities. However, many graduates choose to transition into one of many bachelor’s degree programs.

Local facilities like Westchester Medical Group, Jacobi Hospital and Morris Heights Health Center have all selected Monroe Medical Assistant graduates

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POPULAR CAREER PATHS

Some popular career choices for graduates of Monroe’s Associate in Medical Assisting degree program include:

• Physician’s Private Or Group Practices
• Acute Care Hospitals
• Ambulatory Care Centers
• Long Term Care Facilities
• Rehabilitation Facilities

“Monroe has helped me become the person I am today. They have made what I thought would be impossible to achieve a reality.”

— Damaris Shuff
Associate in Medical Assisting, 2016
Medical Assistant/Patient Facilitator — New York City
Pharmacy Technicians are crucial to the success of registered pharmacists, whose roles are shifting from traditional dispensing duties toward promoting proper medical use. Factors contributing to the growing demand for skilled pharmacy technicians include a national pharmacist shortage along with passage of the Affordable Care Act, or “Obamacare,” which has caused an increase in the number of prescriptions filled.

At Monroe, Pharmacy Technician students are taught the act of dispensing, compounding and sterile medication preparation. Students get an opportunity to practice these skills in the College’s simulated high-tech pharmacy.

Some of Monroe’s Pharmacy Technician graduates apply their training in hospitals and retail pharmacies while others go on to pursue a Doctor of Pharmacy degree at another academic institution.

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The demand for public health professionals has soared in recent years. Reasons for this surge are widening public health concerns, among them potential terrorist attacks, tuberculosis and other infectious diseases, especially among immigrant populations, the increased prevalence of chronic diseases due to obesity and an aging population, and the ongoing desire to reduce tobacco use and the diseases they cause.

Monroe public health professors use project-based learning in the classroom to allow students to actively participate in the learning process and to apply their critical thinking skills. Students in the Bachelor’s in Public Health program have the opportunity to choose a minor in Human Services.
SCHOOL OF ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS

human services

Associate (A.A.S.) Degree  |  Bachelor’s (B.B.A.) Degree

Human Service professionals can be lifelines for those undergoing crisis or chronic situations. Students learn the importance of respect for all people and sensitivity to cultural diversity. Students in Monroe’s Human Services program receive real-world experience by completing two supervised field placements, which enhances career opportunities. Graduates leave proficient in the principles and techniques required to assist clients cultivate the necessary skills to identify, prevent and modify counterproductive behaviors so that they can grow personally and achieve independence.

DID YOU KNOW?
• Monroe’s Allied Health program provides its students the opportunity to travel during their Spring Break to provide medical assistance and education to impoverished communities.
• The Allied Health Club designs, implements and evaluates health education and promotion programs in response to the needs of the Monroe College student population and local community.
• Monroe’s Human Services Club is a popular option among Allied Health students and helps to strengthen ties between the College community and human service organizations in the city, creating pathways for meaningful projects and career opportunities for students.
• Monroe’s School of Allied Health provides hands-on learning with a fully-functional simulated pharmacy as well as separate laboratories for anatomy and physiology, chemistry, microbiology and pharmacy tech.

POPULAR CAREER PATHS
Some of the more popular career choices for graduates of Monroe’s Bachelor’s in Human Services degree program include:
• Social Service Agencies
• Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment Facilities
• Domestic Abuse Shelters
• Community Centers
• Adult Day Care Systems
• Group Homes
• Residential Care Facilities

Associate Degree

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“Out our new degree programs reflect the burgeoning employment prospects in human services fields, which are projected to grow at an unprecedented rate in the next seven years. The launch of these programs underscores our continued commitment to offering relevant, up-to-date education that prepares students for post-graduation career success, and will help connect students to the many New York social services agencies with which we maintain robust partnerships.”

– Jerry Kostroff
Dean of School of Allied Health Professions, Monroe College.
SCHOOL OF NURSING

nursing

Certificate in Licensed Practical Nursing (L.P.N.)
Associate (A.A.S.) Degree in Registered Nursing
Bachelor’s (B.S.) Degree in Nursing

Nurses have the skills and experience to care for patients during illness, provide health promotion education and counseling to keep people healthy, and to coordinate care with an interdisciplinary team of health care professionals. They are, and will continue to be, severely needed — the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) cautions that the nation’s nursing shortage will grow to more than one million by the year 2020.

Through a seamless academic progression curriculum, Monroe nursing students will discover a program that emphasizes culturally competent care so that they are prepared to provide health care for patients in diverse communities. Hands-on learning integral to the Monroe experience comes in the form of simulated patient scenarios and laboratories in which to sharpen skills. It culminates when students obtain clinical experience with real patients within the Bronx community and elsewhere.

DID YOU KNOW?
• Monroe’s nursing classes are held in a state-of-the-art facility that includes a Human Patient Simulation Center and Skills Lab.
• The Monroe College Student Nurses Association is an organization that aims to provide nursing students with an opportunity to develop their leadership skills and to provide a networking and support system for all nursing students at Monroe College.
• Students in the Bachelor of Science Nursing program have the opportunity to participate in a medical mission to rural Haiti to provide nursing care and health education to an underserved community.
• Ongoing academic preparation keeps Monroe nursing students on track to pass the vital NCLEX PN — NCLEX RN Exams

POPULAR CAREER PATHS
Students who complete Monroe’s Nursing program and pass the NCLEX exam will find a variety of opportunities within the field, including in:
• Nursing Homes
• Doctor Offices
• Clinics
• Hospitals
• Private Care

Bachelor’s in Nursing - Professional RN to BS

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Bachelor’s in Nursing – Progressive

- Monroe not only gave me a chance, it prepared for a lifetime of success. I was able to get a Bachelor’s in Nursing with the best professors and the most dedicated staff out there. Monroe helped shape me into a wonderful professional, I am so grateful to have been one of their students and am now a proud alumna. I plan to continue to strive for excellence as I proudly state I am a Monroe College Graduate!*

— Walkiris Cruz-Perez, RN BSN
Bachelor’s of Science in Nursing, 2014
Clinical Care Nurse Manager, Montefiore Medical Group

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Monroe College’s Early Childhood Program has been developed to meet the pressing needs of the communities Monroe College serves in New York City and surrounding areas. The curriculum focuses on issues facing high-needs schools that work with children from diverse backgrounds. Intensive coursework reinforces the latest methods in promoting early childhood development as well as childhood reading, writing, critical thinking and problem solving.

Monroe’s extensive partnerships with local public and charter schools enables students to gain over 600 hours of field experience. Students are provided with the knowledge and skills necessary to pass the New York State teacher examinations and to earn certification to teach in public schools.

Monroe alumni are invited back for monthly symposiums led by Monroe faculty. These seminars serve to provide graduates with additional mentoring and a support system early in their career.

The School of Education has partnered with the New York City Board of Education Early Childhood Division to provide Monroe students with exciting pre-k employment opportunities.

**POPULAR CAREER PATHS**

Some of the popular career choices for graduates of Monroe’s Bachelor’s degree program in Early Childhood Education:

- Public Universal Pre-K Teacher
- Private Universal Pre-K Teacher
- Teacher in a Head Start Program
- Teacher in a Pre-School of Early Childhood Center
- Starting a Home- or Center-Based Pre-School or Early Childhood Program

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“*My experience at Monroe was amazing. My professors taught me how to be a successful and professional teacher. I know that I will never be alone in my career. I graduated from Monroe in June, 2014, but no matter what, my professors are looking out for me and making sure I am on the right track.*”

— Sade Roque Lopez

**Bachelor’s of Science in Early Childhood Education, 2014**

*Head Teacher, Round The Clock Nursery School,*DID YOU KNOW?

- In June 2014, Monroe’s School of Education announced the expansion of the Bachelor of Science degree program in Early Childhood Education to meet the increased demand for educators spurred by the introduction of New York City’s universal pre-kindergarten program.
- Monroe maintains a partnership with the AmeriCorps Jumpstart Program, an early childhood education organization that trains college students to serve preschool children in low-income neighborhoods. This experience provides students the opportunity to compete over 300 hours of teaching experience in pre-kindergarten classes in exchange for tuition support or a direct salary. Monroe is one of 17 schools in the tri-state area to partner with Jumpstart.
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This is a sample schedule. There is also a 10-semester Early Childhood Education Bachelor’s degree option.
IknewIwantedtostudyinNewYorkbecausethere aremanyopportunitiesavailable.Ialsowantedto getmydegreeassoonaspossible.Monroeoffered theadvantageoftheMAPprogramandisonly30 minutesfromthecity.

Itwasaperfectfit.

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Quick Facts

MONROE COLLEGE FOUNDED IN 1933.

14 highly competitive varsity athletic teams are part of campus life achieving national, regional and division champion status.

Over 7,000 students on 3 campuses.

700 international students call Monroe “home”.

Monroe students represent 25 different states and 77 countries

1,000 students live in residence.

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in institutional aid is awarded to academically qualified Freshmen & Transfer Students.

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For consumer information about these programs and their graduates, go to monroecollege.edu/about/right-to-know