Columbia University is one of the world’s leading research institutions and the fifth oldest university in the United States. Its 17 distinctive schools educate individuals from all over the world in 28 degree and certificate programs at the undergraduate, master’s and doctoral level. The University’s main campus is a unique example of academic architecture, combining classroom, research, and residential facilities in a tranquil urban quadrangle in Morningside Heights. Columbia’s expansion into the nearby Manhattanville neighborhood, which will become a satellite research campus, was precipitated by explosive growth and interest in research and teaching in the sciences, arts, and business.

The Mailman School is located at Columbia University Medical Center in Washington Heights, a 20-acre campus that provides global leadership in scientific research, health and medical education, and patient care. The Medical Center is also home to Columbia’s College of Physicians & Surgeons, School of Nursing, School of Dental Medicine, and NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital, and offers Mailman School students an opportunity to become part of a community actively focused on all elements of human health, disease prevention, treatment, and care.