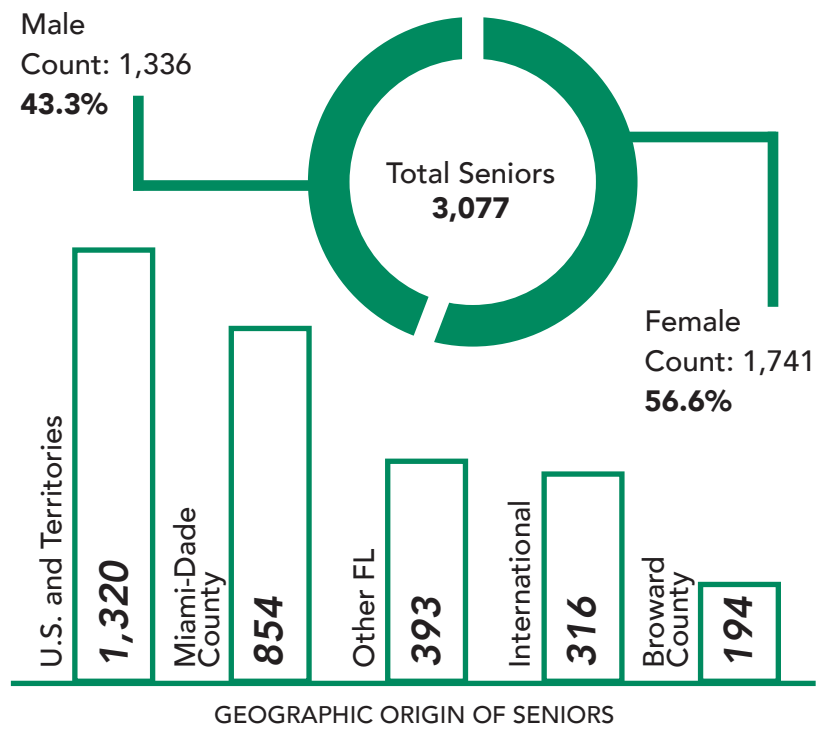


# getting my DIPLOMA

Dozens of excited students get to walk across the stage at the Watsco Center and claim the title of Alumni

## about the grads



Source: UM Factbook



**FAMILY LOVE** After the formal graduation ceremony, students celebrate their accomplishments with all of their family and friends who attended the ceremony. *Photo by Mike Montero*



**MY FAMILY** Family members of graduating 'Canes flock to Miami to celebrate the graduation of their students at the Watsco Center. *Photo by Mike Montero*



**NEW GRADS** Students from the School of Communication celebrate their new Alumni status by throwing up the 'U' together for one last time. *Photo by Mike Montero*



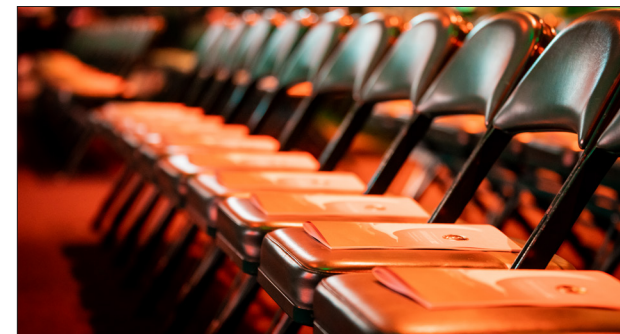
**SAY CHEESE** Selfies and videos are taken on Snapchat to commemorate the special moment. *Photo by Mike Montero*



**GREEN AND ORANGE** Graduation takes place at the Watsco Center on the Coral Gables campus, and is decorated in UM colors and lights from top to bottom. *Photo by Mike Montero*



**WALKING DOWN** Faculty and staff, as well as President Julio Frenk, walk down the center of the graduates before taking the stage for pre-ceremony speeches. *Photo by Mike Montero*



**PROGRAMS** Following UM color theme, the graduation chairs are perfectly lined, and formal graduation programs are placed on top so that students may follow along. *Photo by Mike Montero*

**MR. PRESIDENT** Keeping with tradition, President of UM, Julio Frenk, delivers a powerful and motivating graduation speech. In his speech, Frenk congratulates all grads, as well as hopes to instill a sense of accomplishment in all of them. *Photo by Mike Montero*

