The University of California, SANTA BARBARA offers a world-class education in a picturesque seaside location.
Ranked as one of the top teaching and research institutions in the United States, and one of only 62 institutions in the prestigious Association of American Universities, UCSB has an outstanding faculty that includes six Nobel Laureates and many other award-winning scholars.
GLOBAL REACH

UCSB’s notable faculty and alumni have made research contributions with national and international impact.

**NO. 10**
among U.S. public universities
(U.S. News & World Report Best Colleges ranking, 2015)

- **Professor SHUJI NAKAMURA**
  won a Nobel Prize for Physics in 2014

**NO. 2**
among the world’s public universities (Centre for Science & Technology Studies at Leiden University, Netherlands, 2015)

- **Alumna CAROL GREIDER**
  won a Nobel Prize for Physiology/Medicine in 2009

**NO. 37**
among all the world’s universities

- **Associate Professor GAYE THERESA JOHNSON**
  received the Freedom Now Award in 2013

- **Professor JOSEPH INCANDELA**
  led the team that detected the Higgs boson particle

- **Alumnus LOGAN GREEN**
  co-founded the Lyft transportation company

- **Alumnus JOSÉ HERNÁNDEZ**
  is a former NASA astronaut

- **Assistant Professor HUIJIA (RACHEL) LIN**
  studies cyber security and hosted the 2015 CRYPTO international cryptology conference at UCSB

- **Alumnus ROBERT BALLARD**
  discovered the wreck of the RMS Titanic

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UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

From ocean physics to brain imaging, UCSB students have the exciting opportunity to collaborate with faculty members on original research and creative projects in a wide variety of disciplines. Learn more about UCSB’s many research units and centers at www.research.ucsb.edu.

$150,000 in grants and funding to support undergraduate research each year

600+ active inventions have resulted from UCSB research

50% of UCSB students conduct research

11 national institutes and centers at UCSB, several of which are funded by the National Science Foundation
ACTIVE STUDENT BODY

**Live your passions** in UCSB’s 500 student organizations. Explore your interests in arts, academics, athletics, politics, cultural pursuits and more. [http://osl.sa.ucsb.edu](http://osl.sa.ucsb.edu)

**Start an adventure** with outdoor activities including kayaking, backpacking, jogging, hiking, camping adventures and more. [www.recreation.ucsb.edu](http://www.recreation.ucsb.edu)

**Serve the community** with nearly 60 campus clubs and organizations dedicated to service. More than 9,000 students volunteer in the local community each year. [http://osl.sa.ucsb.edu](http://osl.sa.ucsb.edu)

**Learn to lead** with UCSB’s wide variety of leadership training opportunities including the Scholarship, Leadership, Citizenship program. [http://leadership.sa.ucsb.edu](http://leadership.sa.ucsb.edu)

**Show your Gaucho spirit!** UCSB is home to 20 men’s and women’s Division 1 NCAA teams. [http://ucsbgauchos.com](http://ucsbgauchos.com)

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CAMPUS COMMUNITY

DIVERSE EXPERIENCES

Education Abroad Program
UC EAP offers study abroad programs in more than 40 countries. UCSB sends more students abroad each year than any other UC! [https://eap.ucsb.edu](https://eap.ucsb.edu)

Educational Opportunity Program
EOP provides mentorship, academic programs and advising primarily to income eligible and first-generation students. EOP sponsors cultural resource centers for African American, Asian American, American Indian, Chicano/a Latino/a and Middle Eastern students. [http://eop.sa.ucsb.edu](http://eop.sa.ucsb.edu)

Non-Traditional Student Resource Center
The Non-Traditional Student Resource Center serves students from diverse backgrounds including those who took time off before going to school, are transferring at an age older than most students, have families or are re-entering. [http://wgse.sa.ucsb.edu/nontrad](http://wgse.sa.ucsb.edu/nontrad)

RESIDENTIAL CAMPUS

Guaranteed student housing is available for four years for freshmen and two years for transfer students as long as application deadlines are met. UCSB has eight high-rise and low-rise residence halls with ocean, lagoon and mountain views as well as undergraduate apartments. Family student housing is also available, and students should apply early to the waiting list. [www.housing.ucsb.edu](http://www.housing.ucsb.edu)

Local, sustainable dining options made with fresh, natural and seasonal ingredients are offered in the UCSB Dining Commons. UCSB students who live both on and off campus may enroll in a meal plan. Students also have access to a variety of dining options on campus and in the surrounding community.

Living-Learning Communities provide themed living options to connect with fellow students who share similar interests.

Approximately **18,000 students** live within one mile of campus, creating a strong residential community.
The College of Letters & Science offers a broad liberal arts curriculum that prepares students for careers or graduate study. An exciting array of majors help students develop critical thinking and communication skills needed in today’s changing world—in the humanities and fine arts, life and physical sciences, mathematics and the social sciences. Freshman seminars, taught by research faculty, explore challenging contemporary topics in small discussion groups. The College of Letters & Science Honors Program creates a community of scholars for highly motivated students. www.duels.ucsb.edu

The College of Engineering offers five majors, plus accelerated programs that lead to master’s degrees in five years. The environment and modern laboratory facilities foster creativity, collaboration and discovery. Courses balance theory and applied science leading students to successful careers in academia and industry. An encouraging environment and low student-to-faculty ratio allow students to take part in faculty-directed research and hands-on projects that solve today’s grand challenges in engineering. Students interested in the business side of technology can take advantage of an entrepreneurial-positive environment. www.engineering.ucsb.edu

The College of Creative Studies supports highly motivated students in research and the creation of new knowledge in eight disciplines—Art, Biology, Chemistry/Biochemistry, Computing, Mathematics, Music Composition, Physics and Writing & Literature. Small CCS seminars and close mentorship by faculty, coupled with access to classes and resources across campus, permit students to make original contributions to their fields. Applicants must submit a supplemental application for review by faculty. www.ccs.ucsb.edu

ACADEMIC SUPPORT SERVICES

• Campus Learning Assistance Services (CLAS) offers tutorials, workshops, writing labs and drop-in hours.

• Office hours are available to students on a weekly basis with faculty and teaching assistants who offer one-on-one support.

• The Faculty Research Assistance Program (FRAP) allows undergraduates to gain research experience by working with leading UCSB researchers and simultaneously earning academic credit through special research assistance courses.

• The Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities (URCA) program provides funding and resources to promote the independent research, scholarly work and creative activities of undergraduate students under the guidance of faculty.

• The Disabled Students Program (DSP) provides academic accommodations and support services to students with disabilities including reading services, note takers, test taking accommodations and registration assistance.

• The Guardian Scholars program supports the academic and personal success of students who have been part of the foster care system.

Pre-Professional Preparation

• Pre-Health: www.duels.ucsb.edu/academics/health
• Pre-Law: www.duels.ucsb.edu/academics/law
• Teacher Education: www.education.ucsb.edu
• Technology Management Program: www.tmp.ucsb.edu
MAJORS & MINORS

College of Letters & Science

- Actuarial Science, B.S.
- Anthropology, B.A.: optional emphases in Archaeology, Biological, Cultural
- Aquatic Biology, B.S.
- Art, B.A.
- Asian American Studies, B.A.
- Asian Studies, B.A.
- Biochemistry, B.S.
- Biochemistry - Molecular Biology, B.S.
- Biological Sciences, B.A., B.S.
- Biopsychology, B.S.
- Black Studies, B.A.
- Cell and Developmental Biology, B.S.
- Chemistry, B.A., B.S.
- Chicana and Chicano Studies, B.A.
- Chinese, B.A. (Mandarin)
- Classics, B.A.: emphases in Classical Archaeology, Classical Language and Literature, Greek and Roman Culture
- Communication, B.A.
- Comparative Literature, B.A.: emphases in Interdisciplinary, Foreign Language
- Dance, B.A., B.F.A. (audition required)
- Earth Science, B.A.
- Earth Science, B.S.: emphases in Climate and Environment, Geohydrology, Geology, Geophysics, Paleobiology
- Ecology and Evolution, B.S.
- Economics, B.A.
- Economics and Accounting, B.A.
- English, B.A.
- Environmental Studies, B.A., B.S.
- Feminist Studies, B.A.
- Film and Media Studies, B.A.
- Financial Mathematics and Statistics, B.S.
- French, B.A.
- Geography, B.A.: optional emphasis in Geographic Information Science
- Geography, Physical, B.S.
- German, B.A.
- Global Studies, B.A.
- History, B.A.
- History of Public Policy, B.A.
- Hydrologic Sciences and Policy, B.S.: emphases in Biology and Ecology, Physical and Chemical, Policy
- Italian Studies, B.A.
- Japanese, B.A.
- Language, Culture and Society, B.A.
- Latin American and Iberian Studies, B.A.
- Mathematical Sciences, B.S.
- Mathematics, B.A., B.S.
- Medieval Studies, B.A.
- Microbiology, B.S.
- Middle East Studies, B.A.
- Music Studies, B.A.: optional emphases in Ethnomusicology, Interdisciplinary Studies of Music, Western Art Music
- Pharmacology, B.S.
- Philosophy, B.A.: concentrations in Core Philosophy, Ethics and Public Policy
- Physics, B.A., B.S.
- Physiology, B.S.
- Political Science, B.A.
- Portuguese, B.A.
- Psychological and Brain Sciences, B.S.*

Additional UCSB Minors

- American Indian and Indigenous Studies
- Applied Psychology
- Astronomy and Planetary Science
- Education
- Global Peace and Security
- Jewish Studies
- Labor Studies
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Studies
- Mathematics for High School Teaching
- Professional Writing
- Russian
- Science and Mathematics Education
- Sociocultural Linguistics
- Spatial Studies
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages
- Theater Production and Design
- Women, Culture and Development

Religious Studies, B.A.
Renaissance Studies, B.A.
Slavic Languages and Literatures, B.A.
- Sociology, B.A.
- Spanish, B.A.
- Statistical Science, B.A.
- Theater, B.A.: concentrations in Design, Directing, Playwriting, Theater and Community, Theater and Performance Studies
- Theater, B.F.A. (audition required): emphasis in Acting
- Zoology, B.S.

College of Engineering

Chemical Engineering, B.S.
Computer Engineering, B.S.
Computer Science, B.S.
Electrical Engineering, B.S.
Mechanical Engineering, B.S.

FIVE-YEAR PROGRAMS

- Computer Science, B.S./Computer Science, M.S.
- Computer Engineering, B.S./Computer Science, M.S.
or Electrical and Computer Engineering, M.S.
- Electrical Engineering, B.S./Electrical and Computer Engineering, M.S.
- Chemical, Electrical, Mechanical Engineering, B.S./Materials, M.S.
- Mechanical Engineering, B.S./Mechanical Engineering, M.S.

College of Creative Studies

- Art, B.A.
- Biology, B.A.
- Chemistry/Biochemistry, B.A., B.S.
- Computing, B.S.
- Mathematics, B.A., B.S.
- Music Composition, B.A.
- Physics, B.A., B.S.
- Writing and Literature, B.A.

- Also available as a minor.
- These majors have a “pre-major” status. New students are admitted to the pre-major and must satisfy certain course and GPA requirements in order to advance to the major. See the UCSB General Catalog for details.
- Contact department for available concentrations.

Notes

Students interested in science are encouraged to declare a specific major to improve access to science classes. Learn more about UCSB academics at www.ucsb.edu/academics.

*Transfer applicants may still apply to Psychology, B.A. for fall 2016 and fall 2017 admission.
FRESHMAN ADMISSION

ELIGIBILITY & SELECTION

Attaining eligibility by meeting the UC admission requirements is an important first step toward gaining admission to UCSB, but eligibility alone will not guarantee admission. **Admitted applicants typically exceed UC admission requirements.**

When a UC campus cannot admit all eligible applicants, it uses selection criteria ([www.admissions.ucsb.edu/applying/freshman/selection](http://www.admissions.ucsb.edu/applying/freshman/selection)). Selection is determined following a comprehensive review of an applicant’s achievements and personal qualities as seen in the context of the opportunities and/or challenges the applicant has experienced.

UC ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1. “a-g” Subject Requirement

Complete UC-approved courses in seven “a-g” subject areas with grades of C or better. California students may refer to their school’s UC-certified course list at [www.ucop.edu/agguide](http://www.ucop.edu/agguide).

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<td>b: College-preparatoray English</td>
<td>4 years</td>
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<tr>
<td>c: Mathematics</td>
<td>3 years (4 years recommended). At minimum: elementary algebra, geometry and advanced algebra.</td>
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<td>d: Laboratory science</td>
<td>2 years (3 years recommended). Must include two of these three: biology, chemistry or physics.</td>
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<td>e: Language other than English</td>
<td>2 years (3 years recommended)</td>
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<td>f: Visual/performing arts</td>
<td>1 year from a single discipline: dance, drama/theater, music or visual art.</td>
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<td>g: College-preparatory elective(s)</td>
<td>1 year beyond the minimum “a–f” courses required.</td>
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2. Scholarship (GPA) Requirement

Students must earn a minimum GPA of 3.0 (3.4 for non-California residents) in all “a-g” courses above. Only the grades earned in “a-g” subjects in the tenth and eleventh grades—including summer sessions before and after these years—are used to calculate your UC GPA. Courses taken in the ninth and twelfth grades can be used to meet the “a-g” subject requirement if you earned a grade of C or better, but they will not be used to calculate your GPA.

3. Examination Requirement

Take one of the following exams by December of the senior year:

- [SAT Reasoning Test](#)*
- [ACT Assessment Plus Writing](#)

*Students taking the new SAT (launching March 2016) will be required to complete the optional essay.*

Optional Exams: SAT Subject Tests

- The College of Engineering recommends the Math 2 test.
- The College of Creative Studies recommends a subject test related to the applicant’s chosen major.
TRANSFER ADMISSION

UCSB admits junior-level transfers for the fall term only. Admitted applicants typically exceed UC admission requirements, so applicants should plan a course of study that exceeds minimum requirements and complete as much preparation for their chosen major as possible. Priority consideration is given to California community college (CCC) students. For comprehensive transfer admission information, visit:

- [www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/transfer](http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/transfer)
- [www.admissions.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer](http://www.admissions.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer)
- [www.admissions.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer/selective-majors](http://www.admissions.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer/selective-majors)

UC ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1. Complete 60 semester or 90 quarter units of UC-transferable college credit with a grade point average of at least 2.4 for California residents (2.8 for nonresidents). No more than 14 semester or 21 quarter units may be taken Pass/Not Pass.

2. Complete the following seven-course pattern requirement, earning a grade of C or better in each course:
   - A. Two courses in English composition
   - B. One course in mathematics beyond intermediate algebra, such as college algebra, precalculus or statistics
   - C. Four courses from at least two of the following areas:
     - Arts and humanities
     - Behavioral and social sciences
     - Biological and physical sciences

3. Complete required major preparation courses.*

TRANSFER RESOURCES

General Education / IGETC

The Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) is a series of courses that CCC students may take to satisfy the lower-division breadth/general education requirements at UC. Completing IGETC is not required for admission.

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG)

TAG offers guaranteed admission to CCC students who meet specific course and GPA requirements in UC-transferable coursework. At UCSB, TAGs are available for all majors in the College of Letters and Science except performing arts majors. The TAG is not available for the College of Engineering or the College of Creative Studies. TAG applications can be filed online from September 1-30. To learn more about TAG, visit [www.admissions.sa.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer/tag](http://www.admissions.sa.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer/tag).

Transfer Admission Planner (TAP)

TAP is an online coursework planning tool designed for students transferring from CCCs, including students who are seeking the TAG. TAP helps students track their progress toward meeting the minimum UC requirements for admission. For more information visit [https://uctap.universityofcalifornia.edu](https://uctap.universityofcalifornia.edu).

What courses will transfer to UC Santa Barbara?

Admissions does not evaluate transcripts before a student applies. Students at CCCs may check transferability of specific courses on the ASSIST website at [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org). Students at four-year colleges, or colleges outside California, may refer to the UCSB Guide to Course Transferability at [www.admissions.sa.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer/eligibility-and-selection](http://www.admissions.sa.ucsb.edu/applying/transfer/eligibility-and-selection).

FINANCIAL AID

About 71% of UCSB undergraduate students receive financial assistance, determined by need. Financial assistance is available from federal, state and university sources in the form of grants, loans, work-study and scholarships.

To apply for federal aid, complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) starting in January online at www.fafsa.gov. Submit the FAFSA by the March 2 deadline before each academic year. For more information, visit www.finaid.ucsb.edu.

For advice on financing a UC education, see the University of California website on applying for financial aid at www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/paying-for-uc.

Estimated Undergraduate Student Budget 2015-2016 Academic Year

* Out-of-state and international students.
** Includes other campus fees.
* Average origination fees for student borrowers.
CONNECT WITH UCSB

Campus tours and presentations are offered Monday through Friday (and select Saturdays in April), excluding holidays and administrative closures. For visit information, contact the Visitor Center at (805) 893-2487 or visit www.admissions.ucsb.edu/visit-ucsb/tours.

Spring Insight Open House
Visit UCSB for Spring Insight, an open house event for admitted and prospective students and their families held each April. Meet with faculty and staff as well as current student members of campus clubs and organizations, take a tour, attend lectures and learn more about UCSB. www.admissions.ucsb.edu/visit-ucsb/open-house

Gaucho Transfer Fridays
Visit UCSB in May for Gaucho Transfer Fridays, open house events tailored specifically for admitted transfer students! www.admissions.ucsb.edu/visit-ucsb/open-house

DATES & DEADLINES
Don’t miss important dates and deadlines for applying and enrolling at UCSB.

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CAMPUS DEPARTMENTS

UCSB main phone (805) 893-8000 www.ucsb.edu
AB 540 Resources www.sa.ucsb.edu/dreamscholars
California Residency (805) 893-3033 www.registrar.ucsb.edu

UCSB General Catalog http://my.sa.ucsb.edu/catalog
Disabled Students Program (805) 893-2668 http://dsp.sa.ucsb.edu
Financial Aid & Scholarships (805) 893-2432 www.finaid.ucsb.edu

Housing & Residential Services (805) 893-2760 www.housing.ucsb.edu
Student Clubs & Organizations (805) 893-4569 www.sa.ucsb.edu/osl
Summer Sessions (805) 893-2315 www.summer.ucsb.edu
CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Companies Founded by UCSB Alumni
APEEL Sciences
Deckers Outdoor Corporation
iCracked
Infanttech
Inogen One
Lyft
Nitride Solutions
PeraHealth
Research Affiliates, LLC
Salty Girl Seafood
TrackR
Vanguard Computer Technology Labs
Zappos
Zuli

JOBS & INTERNSHIPS
Career Services (http://career.sa.ucsb.edu) connects UCSB students with internships, jobs and graduate programs. They also provide:
• On-campus recruiting events
• Quarterly career fairs
• Annual Graduate and Professional School Day
• Interview preparation
• Assistance choosing a major
• Résumé and cover letter writing tips

LOCAL PARTNERSHIPS
UCSB students enjoy access to internships and community service opportunities in the local Santa Barbara community. Students gain career and graduate school experience in a variety of fields:
• Pre-health students gain hands-on experience in Santa Barbara’s two hospitals and numerous clinics.
• Pre-law students work with local policy, law enforcement, lawyers and courthouses.
• Students interested in teaching gain placements in local schools.

UCDC & UC SACRAMENTO
Students are able to live, work as interns, study and conduct research in Washington, D.C. and Sacramento, California through the UCDC and UC Sacramento programs. Internships are diverse, making UCDC and UC Sacramento attractive to students across all majors. Learn more at www.ucdc.edu.

11 UCDC students held White House internships during the 2014-2015 academic year
OUTCOMES

400+ top companies visit UCSB for recruiting events each year

190,000 UCSB alumni worldwide

83% of students are employed full time or pursuing graduate education within one year of graduation

93% of UCSB alumni remain in California after graduation

SAMPLING OF UCSB EMPLOYERS

ARTS & CULTURE
J. Paul Getty Museum
SAG-AFTRA
San Francisco Exploratorium
Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History
Walt Disney Company

EDUCATION
City Year
L.A. Unified School District
Teach for America
UC Santa Barbara

ENGINEERING, SOFTWARE & TECHNOLOGY
Appfolio
Apple
Citrix
Curvature
Google
Intel
Oracle
Raytheon
Yardi

ENTERTAINMENT & MEDIA
20th Century Fox
Business Talent Group
ESPN
NBC Universal

FINANCE & ACCOUNTING
Bank of America
Deloitte & Touche
Ernst & Young
KPMG
PricewaterhouseCoopers
Wells Fargo

MEDICINE & HEALTHCARE
Amgen
Applied Medical
Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
Kaiser Permanente

PUBLIC SERVICE
Bureau of Safety & Environmental Enforcement
College Works Painting
Peace Corps
U.S. Army
U.S. Department of State
U.S. Marine Corps

SALES & MARKETING
AT&T Government Solutions
Enterprise
Target
Yelp.com
Young’s Market Company

Top Graduate Programs for UCSB Alumni
Boston University
Brown University
California Lutheran University
Duke University
Georgetown University
Harvard University
Harvard University Law School
Northwestern University
New York University
Northern Arizona University
Pepperdine University
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Scripps Research Institute
Stanford University
Stanford University School of Medicine
Tufts University
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Davis
University of California, Los Angeles
University of California, San Francisco
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of Iowa
University of Oxford
University of Pennsylvania
University of Southern California
University of Washington
UCSB AT A GLANCE

18:1
student-to-faculty ratio

47% males
53% females

2,813 graduate students
20,238 undergraduate students
1,088 faculty members

Undergraduate classes with fewer than 30 students

FALL 2015 SNAPSHOT

Freshman Class

APPLICANTS 70,475
ADMITTED 23,073 (33%) ENROLLED 4,460 (estimated)

1973 average SAT, admitted freshmen
29 average ACT, admitted freshmen

50% of admitted freshmen had GPAs between:
3.00 3.50 4.00 4.40 minimum

3.00-3.19 4%
3.20-3.29 12%
3.30-3.39 11%
3.40-3.49 9%
3.50-4.00 64%

Transfer Class

APPLICANTS 14,823
ADMITTED 6,946 (47%) ENROLLED 1,500 (estimated)

3.6 average GPA, admitted transfers
94% of admitted transfers from a California community college

GPA range, admitted transfers:
3.50-4.00 12%
3.40-3.49 11%
3.30-3.39 9%
3.20-3.29 4%
3.00-3.19 64%

OUTCOMES

4 years median time to graduate for freshmen
69% of transfer students graduate in two years
86% of transfer students graduate within three years

92% Freshmen returning after their first year at UCSB
91% Transfers returning after their first year at UCSB

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