Convenient locations in California and Nevada

Undergraduate and graduate degrees
One-course-per-month format
Year-round registration
More than 30 locations in California and Nevada
Teacher credential and internship programs
Online degrees

Headquartered in San Diego, National University has more than 30 locations throughout California and Nevada.

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About the University

Founded in 1971, National University is the second-largest private, nonprofit institution of higher learning in California. It was among the first to recognize and focus on the unique needs of nontraditional learners. Its distinctive and intensive one-course-per-month format, multiple locations, and onsite and online programs enable students to complete graduate and undergraduate degrees in an accelerated time frame while maintaining family and work responsibilities.

National University is comprised of the College of Letters and Sciences and five schools: Business and Management; Education; Engineering and Technology; Health and Human Services; and Media and Communication.

Mission

National University is dedicated to making lifelong learning opportunities accessible, challenging, and relevant to a diverse student population.

National University is the flagship institution of the National University System, which was established in 2001 to meet the emerging demands for education in the 21st century. In addition to National University, the affiliates of the National University System are: John F. Kennedy University; National Polytechnic College of Science; National University Golf Academy; National University International; the Division of Pre-College Programs, consisting of National University Academy and National University Virtual High School; Spectrum Pacific Learning Company LLC; and WestMed College.
Streamlined Admissions
Admission is based on previous academic record, professional experience, motivation, and educational objectives. Technology enables prompt online enrollment and processing of transcripts and records. Admissions advisors provide program-specific counseling and assistance from registration through graduation.

Student Concierge Services
Student Concierge Services is the student’s point of contact for all National University questions. Advocates from Student Concierge Services are available from 7 a.m. to midnight Pacific Time seven days a week to answer a wide range of student questions, from financial aid and admissions to graduation and grades. Technical assistance for students is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Library Resources
The National University Library System has more than 315,000 volumes, including one of the largest e-book collections in the United States. The Library provides access to 87 electronic databases, over 24,000 full text journals, and various services for online users, including Journal Direct, Books Direct, RefDesk e-mail reference, and eReserves.

The National University Library, located in San Diego, includes among its facilities the:

- Curriculum Resource Center, a state-of-the-art classroom supported with K-12 educational
Online Programs
National University offers more than 50 programs fully online that incorporate the latest advances in technology to provide a dynamic, interactive learning environment. Students have access to quality education via the Internet, 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Technology Resources
Students can access their class schedules, grades, and academic and financial aid information via the student web portal.

More than 60 student computer labs containing over 2,700 PCs are available at National University labs and the library. Web-based video conferencing is available at 26 National University locations.

E-mail, the Internet, e-conferencing, and other multimedia tools are incorporated into National University’s on-campus and online courses.

Online Features
National University offers unparalleled technical support for online students. Knowledgeable help desk support is available via e-mail or phone 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Faculty members take time to acquaint students with the fundamentals of online learning. They also participate in class discussions, text- and audio-based chats, and fully functional virtual classrooms. Interactive coursework is designed to provide a
balance between content and multimedia presentation so students are fully engaged in the online learning process.

Serving as a single point-of-contact, online advisors assist students from the day they begin their National University program until the time they graduate.

Quick Facts
- Second-largest private, nonprofit university in California
- Unique one-course-per-month format
- More than 118,000 alumni and 22,000 full-time equivalent students
- Accelerated pace, evening and weekend focused classes
- More than 100 graduate and undergraduate degree programs and 22 teacher credentials

Accreditation
National University is accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges and Universities of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC).

The University is also:
- Approved by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC)
- Approved by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE)
- Approved by the Nevada Department of Education (NDE)
- Approved by the Nevada State Board of Education/Nevada State Board for Career and Technical Education
- Approved as meeting the requirements mandated by the Board of Examiners for the State of Nevada
- Provisionally approved by the Nevada State Board of Nursing (NSBN)
- Accredited by the International Assembly for Collegiate Business Education (IACBE)
- Accredited by the American Association of Intensive English Programs (AAIEP) for its English Language Programs

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• A member of the American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE)

• A member of the National Association of International Educators (NAFSA)

• A member of the Council of Colleges of Arts and Sciences (CCAS)

• A member of the National Association of Self-Instructional Language Programs (NASILP)

• Authorized by the State of Nevada Commission on Postsecondary Education (NCPE)

Fiscal Overview
National University’s endowment continues to rank among the top 200 largest endowments in the nation, according to the National Association of College and University Business Officers (NACUBO).

Distinctions
• National University ranks first in the nation in enrollment of Hispanic graduate students

• First in the nation in awarding master’s degrees in education to Hispanics and Asians

• Third in the nation in granting master’s degrees in education to minority students

• First in California in awarding master’s degrees to Hispanics and African Americans

• Third in the nation in granting master’s degrees to Hispanic women

• First in California in awarding master’s degrees to women; among the top 10 in the nation

• Undergraduate tuition is 59 percent lower than the average private four-year college

Source: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System; Trends in College Pricing
An Award-winning Educational Institution

• For the seventh year in a row, National University has surpassed nationwide benchmarks measuring the level of academic challenge at four-year colleges and universities, according to data from the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE).

Awards

• Nine gold, ten silver, and seven bronze awards from the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE)

• Named one of America’s Top Military-Friendly Colleges and Universities by Military Advanced Education magazine

• Ranks in the top 20 of accredited colleges and universities which offer online programs according to the Online Education Database

National University’s student body reflects the diversity of the global community.

• National University has prepared more teachers for credentialing than any other single institution of higher education in the state for the eighth consecutive year, according to figures released by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC).

Student Body

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National University’s student body is comprised of the following:

- **Full-Time Equivalent Students**: 22,000
- **Undergraduate**: 28%
- **Graduate**: 72%
- **Minority**: 54%
- **Women**: 62%
- **Men**: 38%
- **Military**: 9%
- **Average Age**: 35 years old
Extended Learning provides services to support professional development.

The Division of Extended Learning offers courses for certificate programs and Continuing Education Units (CEUs) as well as academic credit. Learning provides organizational services to support professional development for certificate programs and Continuing Education Units (CEUs) as well as academic credit. Extended Learning is an Authorized Provider of CEUs in accordance with the International Association of Continuing Education Training (IACET) standards, a hallmark of quality in continuing education and training. Offerings may be held at regional centers throughout California, client locations, online, or by real-time web seminars.

Faculty include noted authors and scholars in such important theoretical components to the curriculum, diverse disciplines as contemporary fiction, mathematics, technology, film, international business, education, and healthcare.

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Benefits of Extended Learning

• Offers individuals opportunities to retrain and enhance skill sets

• Provides professional development for those in rapidly changing career fields

• Documents training with certificates and/or official transcripts

• Uses multiple formats: in-class, offsite, online, CD-ROM, and online seminars

• Meets niche training requirements with relevant, affordable content

• Maintains robust organizational and planning services

Financial Aid and Scholarship Programs

National offers comprehensive guidance and assistance for students seeking financial aid.

Many students receive partial or full tuition reimbursement from their employer.

Talk to a financial aid advisor to learn about the programs available to help you pay for your education.

National University awards tuition scholarships and grants to students who demonstrate exceptional scholastic achievement, to economically disadvantaged students, and to single-parent students with demonstrated financial need.

A variety of scholarships, grants, and loans are available, including:

• Merit Scholarships up to $2,500 for outstanding academic achievement for undergraduate and graduate students.

• Military Tuition Scholarships up to $2,500 for eligible military personnel including active duty,
reservists, national guardsmen/women, their spouses, and dependents.

• Community College Transfer Scholarships for students enrolling in National University from the California Community College System.

• The Federal Pell Grant, which awards grants ranging from $400 to $4,731.

Many students receive partial or full tuition reimbursement from their employer.

• The Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG), like the Pell, awards grants ranging from $250 to $4,000 on a limited basis to students with an exceptional financial need.

• Funded on a limited basis, the Federal Perkins Loans offer low interest loans to students who demonstrate exceptional need.

• Assumption Program of Loans for Education (APLE), whereby the California Student Aid Commission may assume up to $11,000 in loans for students who commit to teaching in designated public schools.

• The Academic Competitiveness Grant program (ACG), which awards grants ranging from $47 to $2,050 for first- and second-year students who have successfully completed a rigorous secondary school program.

• The National SMART Grant, which awards grants ranging from $250 to $4,000 for third- and fourth-year PELL eligible students who major in mathematics, science, technology, engineering, or critical foreign languages.

• State aid in the form of Cal Grant A and B, which awards grants ranging from $100 to $12,944.

• Federal Stafford Student Loans, which offer students a low fixed interest rate for the life of the loan.

• Federal Plus Loans for Parents is a loan program to assist parents of undergraduate dependent students with educational costs.
The National University Community Research Institute (NUCRI)

NUCRI is an entity of the National University System organized to facilitate the University’s commitment to a collaborative future as a community partner. The Institute focuses on community research and technology applications for integrated curriculum development, e-learning, capacity building and education outreach, and training. The goal is to broaden participation in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) fields and to facilitate the interface of technology with the humanities, arts, science, social science, and community research.

Community service is among the six core values of National University.

A Commitment to the Community

National University is proud of its dedication to and involvement with the communities it serves. National’s commitment to community involves both institutional sponsorships and a unique program that offers employees two days of paid leave during which to provide community service.

- Graduate Plus Loan is a government-insured education loan designed for graduate and professional students.
- Veterans Affairs educational benefits are available to qualifying military personnel.
- Alternative/private educational funding may be available.
Degree Programs

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

Associate of Arts

with a Major in:
  Rehabilitative Counseling

Associate of Science

with a Major in:
  Health Science and Pre-Nursing

Bachelor of Arts

with Majors in:
  Arabic Studies
  Broadcast Media*
  Chinese Studies
  Comparative Literature
  Digital Entertainment and Interactive Arts
  Early Childhood Education
  English with Single Subject Matter Preparation
  English w/a Preliminary Single Subject Credential (CA)
  English
  General Studies
  Global Studies
  History
  Interdisciplinary Studies*
  Interdisciplinary Studies Concentrating in Early Childhood Education w/a Preliminary Multiple Subject Credential (CA)
  Interdisciplinary Studies w/a Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential (CA)
  Journalism
  Management
  with Concentrations in:
    Alternative Dispute Resolution
    Business Law
    Economics
    Entrepreneurship
    Hospitality and Casino Management
    Human Resource Management
    Marketing
    Project Management
    Sports Management
  Mathematics
  Mathematics w/a Preliminary Single Subject Credential (CA)
  Persian Studies
  Political Science
  Pre-Law Studies
  Psychology
  Sociology
  Spanish
  Strategic Communications

Bachelor of Business Administration

with Concentrations in:
  Accountancy
  Alternative Dispute Resolution

GRADUATE DEGREES

Master of Accountancy

Bachelor of Science

with Majors in:
  Accountancy
  Allied Health
  Computer Science*
  Construction
  Construction Engineering Technology*
  Construction Management*
  Criminal Justice Administration
  Domestic Security Management
  Environmental Science and Policy
  Financial Management
  Healthcare Administration
  Information Systems
  Information Technology Management
  Manufacturing Design Engineering
  Mathematics
  Natural Sciences
  Nursing (Accelerated Post-Bachelor Degree)
  Nursing (BSN) (Generic Entry)
  Nursing (Licensed Vocational Nurse/Licensed Practical Nurse to BSN)
  Nursing (RN Completion)
  Organizational Leadership
  Paralegal Studies
  Public Health
  Foreign Credential Bridge Program (for Students with Foreign Credentials)

Master of Arts

with Fields of Study in:
  Accomplished Collaborative Leadership
  Counseling Psychology
  Digital Journalism
  English
  History
  Human Behavior
  Human Resource Management
  Language Teaching and Learning
  Management
  Social Transformation and Community Development
  Strategic Communications
  Teaching
**Master of Business Administration**
*with Areas of Specialization in:*
- Accountancy
- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Electronic Business
- Financial Management
- Human Resources Management
- International Business
- Marketing
- Organizational Leadership
- Technology Management

**Master of Education in Teaching**
*with Areas of Specialization in:*
- Best Practices
- Cross-Cultural Teaching

**Master of Fine Arts**
*with Fields of Study in:*
- Creative Writing
- Digital Cinema
- Professional Screenwriting
- Video Game Production and Design

**Master of Forensic Sciences**
*with Areas of Specialization in:*
- Criminalistics
- Investigation

**Master of Healthcare Administration**

**Master of Integrative Health**

**Master of Public Administration**
*with Areas of Specialization in:*
- Alternative Dispute Resolution
- Human Resource Management
- Organizational Leadership
- Public Finance

**Master of Science**
*with Fields of Study in:*
- Applied School Leadership
- Clinical Regulatory Affairs
- Corporate and International Finance
- Educational Administration
- Educational Administration and Instructional Technology
- Educational Counseling
- Engineering Management
- Environmental Engineering
- Homeland Security and Safety Engineering
- Information Systems
- Instructional Leadership (NBCT)
- Knowledge Management
- Organizational Leadership

**Nevada Degrees**
- Associate of Science in Nursing
- Bachelor of Arts in Elementary Education w/ Nevada Licensure
- Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics Education w/ Nevada Licensure
- Bachelor of Arts in Secondary Education, Major in English w/ Nevada Licensure
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing – RN Completion
- Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology
- Master of Arts in Teaching
- Master of Education in Elementary Education w/ Nevada Licensure
- Master of Education in Secondary Education w/ Nevada Licensure
- Master of Science with Licensure in Special Education

**CALIFORNIA CREDENTIAL PROGRAMS**
*Approved by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing*
- Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential Program w/ BCLAD Option
- Preliminary Single Subject Credential Program w/ BCLAD Option
- University Internship Credential Program for Multiple Subject/Single Subject Teaching
- Preliminary Tier I Administrative Services Certificate/Credential Internship – Preliminary Administrative Services Credential – Tier I Professional (Tier II) Administrative Services Credential
- Preliminary Level I Education Specialist Credential:
  - Mild/Moderate Disabilities w/ English Learner Authorization
- Preliminary Level I Education Specialist Credential:
  - Moderate/Severe Disabilities w/ English Learner Authorization
- Preliminary Level I Education Specialist: Mild/Moderate Disabilities w/ Multiple or Single Subject Credential Concurrent w/ BCLAD option
- Preliminary Level I Education Specialist: Moderate/Severe Disabilities w/ Multiple or Single Subject Concurrent Credential w/ BCLAD option
- Preliminary Level I Education Specialist Credential: Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing w/ English Learner Authorization
- Clear Credential for Holders of A Ryan Credential w/ CLAD and AB 1059
- Clear Credential for Holders of a Preliminary 2042 MS/SS Teaching Credential
- Clear Credential for Holders of Out of State Teaching Credential
- Administrative Services Certificate/Credential
- University Internship Credential Program for Administrative Services
- Clear Administrative Services Credential
- Pupil Personnel Services Credential School Counseling
- University Internship Credential Program for Pupil Personnel Services School Counseling
- Pupil Personnel Services Credential School Psychology
CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

Accountancy

Alternative Dispute Resolution (Undergraduate and Graduate Certificates offered)

Applied Behavioral Analysis

Autism

Basic Human Resource Management

Basic Sales and Marketing

Basics of Casino Management

California Reading

Construction Contract Administration

Construction Documents Technology

Construction Management

Construction Safety and Inspection

Construction Specifications

Criminal Justice Administration

Early Childhood Education

Early Childhood Special Education*

Educational Technology

Electrical Systems Cost Estimating

Electronic Business

Finance

Graduate Certificate in Bereavement Studies

Graduate Certificate in Industrial Engineering

Graduate Certificate in Lean Six Sigma

Graduate Certificate in Patient Advocacy

Graduate Certificate in Project Management

Graduate Certificate in Security and Safety Engineering

Graduate Certificate in Supply Chain Management and e-Logistics

Health Coaching

Hospitality and Casino Management

Human Resource Management

Information Technology Management

International Business

LVN “30 Unit” Option

Marketing

Mechanical Systems Cost Estimating

National Board Certified Teacher Leadership

Paralegal Certificates:

Legal Assistance Certificate

Specialist Certificates in these areas:

Litigation

Corporations

Real Estate Law

Probate and Estate Planning

Criminal Law

Family Law

Note: Paralegal courses may apply towards a BA in Paralegal Studies

Sports Management

EXTENDED LEARNING PROGRAMS

American Society of Quality (ASQ) Certification Training

Autism Education

Behavior Management Workshops

Cisco CCNS Exploration

Correctional Education: Continuing Education

Credential Test Preparation

CSET Preparation

Dropout Prevention Specialist

Effective Leadership Workshop with Horses

Federal Enterprise Architecture

Franklin Covey Workshops

Health Coaching

Lean Six Sigma

National Board Certification Teacher Academy

Online Health Continuing Education

Online Paraprofessional Programs

Online Personal Enrichment Programs

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Product Realization

Professional and Life Enrichment Workshops

QuickBooks

Teacher Development Self-Paced CD-ROMs

Vocational Education

* denotes entire program can be completed online.

* denotes program has on-site prerequisites.

Not all courses or programs listed in this brochure are available at every campus.

Consult an admissions advisor for online course availability.
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National University Academic Headquarters
11255 North Torrey Pines Road
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National University Library at Spectrum Business Park
9393 Lightwave Avenue
San Diego, CA 92123-1447
(858) 541-7900

Spectrum Business Park Campus
9388 Lightwave Avenue
San Diego, CA 92123-1426
(858) 541-7700

Technology & Health Sciences Center
3678 Aero Court
San Diego, CA 92123-1788
(858) 309-3400

South Bay Campus
660 Bay Boulevard, Suite 110
Chula Vista, CA 91910-5200
(619) 563-7400

La Mesa Campus
7787 Alvarado Road
La Mesa, CA 91941-3643
(619) 337-7500

Carlsbad Campus
705 Palomar Airport Road, Suite 150
Carlsbad, CA 92009-1029
(760) 268-1500

Rancho Bernardo Campus
16875 West Bernardo Drive, Suite 150
San Diego, CA 92127-1675
(858) 521-3900

Military Learning Centers

Marine Corps Air Station Miramar
Building 5305, San Diego, CA 92145-5090
(619) 563-7355

Naval Air Station North Island
Building 650, San Diego, CA 92135-7024
(619) 563-7478

Military Admissions Offices

Naval Submarine Base Admissions Office
140 Sylvester Road, Building 140, San Diego, CA 92106-3521
(619) 563-7490

Naval Hospital Admissions Office
Building 26, Room 3B9BS, San Diego, CA 92134-5000
(619) 563-7470

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2255 Cole Avenue, Building 853, Room 106, Bremerton, WA 98314
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San Bernardino Campus
804 East Brier Drive
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3800 E. Concours, Suite 150
Ontario, CA 91764-5904
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Los Angeles Campus
5245 Pacific Concours Drive, Suite 100
Los Angeles, CA 90045-6905
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14724 Ventura Boulevard, Suite 801
Sherman Oaks, CA 91403-3501
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Ventura County
Camarillo Campus
761 East Daily Drive, Suite 120
Camarillo, CA 93010-0767
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3390 Harbor Boulevard
Costa Mesa, CA 92626-1502
(714) 429-5100

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4560 California Avenue, Suite 300
Bakersfield, CA 93309-1150
(661) 864-2360

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Fresno Campus
20 River Park Place West
Fresno, CA 93720-1511
(559) 256-4900

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San Jose Campus
3031 Tisch Way, 100 Plaza East
San Jose, CA 95128-2541
(408) 236-1100

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3520 Brookside Road
Stockton, CA 95219-2319
(209) 475-1400

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Sacramento Campus
9320 Tech Center Drive
Sacramento, CA 95826-2558
(916) 855-4100

Shasta County
Redding Campus
2195 Larkspur Lane, Suite 200
Redding, CA 96002-0629
(530) 226-4000

Nevada
Henderson Campus
2850 West Horizon Ridge Parkway, Suite 301
Henderson, NV 89052-4395
(702) 531-7800

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Temecula Online Information Center
40705 Winchester Road, Suite 5
Temecula, CA 92591-5516
(951) 296-1220

West Covina Online Information Center
2498 Plaza Drive
West Covina, CA 91790
(626) 939-1600

Sacramento Online Information Center
5911 Sunrise Mall
Citrus Heights, CA 95610-6901
(916) 855-4340

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