

TRANSFORMING THE STUDENT EXPERIENCE

At UC San Diego, we prefer the path less traveled. And it has led us to remarkable new ways of seeing and making a difference in the world. Our campus is dedicated to providing all students with dynamic spaces to live, learn and play — and is poised to become one of the nation's premier residential campuses.

After two decades as one of the most successful programs in NCAA Division II, the university's athletics program joined the NCAA Division I competition in 2020.

As the campus transformation unfolds, UC San Diego continues its momentum toward becoming a top destination for arts, culture, health care and research. The university recently debuted the Epstein Family Amphitheater, a state-of-the-art performing arts venue, as well as its new downtown hub UC San Diego Park & Market. The UC San Diego Stuart Collection has grown to encompass nearly two dozen artworks, with unique pieces featured across campus from noted contemporary artists. Two trolley stations have also opened at UC San Diego, connecting the university to the greater region like never before.

SOCIAL MOBILITY

More than one-third of first-year and over half of transfer students who enroll at UC San Diego will be the first generation in their family to graduate from college.

46% of newly enrolled California resident undergraduates were Pell recipients.

70% of UC San Diego's undergraduates receive some form of financial aid.

Since 2013, more than **2,200 students** have received a life-changing scholarship created by Chancellor Pradeep K. Khosla to improve social mobility.



BY THE NUMBERS

3,800+

Faculty members*

150,772

Freshman and transfer applications

42,968

Students

*Honors include Nobel Prize, Fields Medal, Pulitzer Prize, National Medal of Science, Presidential Medal of Freedom, Grammy Award

NATIONAL AND GLOBAL RANKINGS

No. 3 best public college

in the nation

Forbes

No. 8 public university

for providing an outstanding education at an affordable price

Princeton Review

8th best public university

in the nation

U.S. News & World Report

21st best university in the world

Academic Ranking of World Universities

ADVANCING SOCIETY THROUGH INNOVATION

According to the latest overview of inventions arising from the University of California system, our research program generated more than 400 new invention disclosures and over 90 new U.S. patents.

UC San Diego seeks to empower a diverse entrepreneurial culture on campus, uniting unique perspectives to develop solutions that positively impact society. The latest developments from the campus community include a free mobile app that helps users administer CPR and a startup that develops 3D-printed, custom-made prostheses.

At the Design and Innovation Building on campus, disruptive ideas come together to spark learning, technology, collaboration and new ventures. Each floor is designed to help the campus community explore their ideas, such as The Basement — a student-focused incubation space where students can participate in startup incubators, entrepreneurial workshops and more.



GIVING BACK

Thanks to the support of more than 163,000 donors, **the university raised more than \$3 billion** over the course of the recently concluded 10-year Campaign for UC San Diego, becoming the youngest university in the nation to surpass a multibillion-dollar fundraising goal.

More than 45,600 alumni donors gave \$257 million in gifts, representing an increase of 1,300% over the last campaign.

The UC San Diego community contributes more than **3 million hours of public service** per year.

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LEADER IN RESEARCH, HEALTH CARE AND INNOVATION

\$1.64 billion sponsored research funding *FY 2022*

5-star rating Best U.S. colleges that combine quality and affordability *Money*

2nd best public research institution for high-quality science *Nature Index*

UC San Diego Health is ranked **1st in San Diego and tied for 1st in the state**, placing it among the nation's best hospitals *U.S. News & World Report*