

SJSU SAN JOSÉ STATE
UNIVERSITY

International Graduate Students



CSU

The California
State University



#1 Career Outcomes for International Students

—FrogHire.ai

#2 Programming and Software Engineering

—CodeSignal, ranking based on efficiency, speed and coding abilities

#3 Public School, Regional West

—US News & World Report

SJSU doesn't just prepare you for the future—

it empowers you to lead it!



In a world where AI is reshaping everything, you don't want to be anywhere else but here—right in the heart of Silicon Valley.

Watch our virtual tour and apply soon!

What does it mean to study at SJSU?

It means launching your career in **Silicon Valley**—the epicenter of tech, global innovation, and opportunity.

Silicon Valley is Your Classroom Studying at SJSU isn't just about lectures and textbooks. It's about learning from trailblazing faculty—scientists, entrepreneurs, and National Science Foundation award winners—driving over 500 sponsored research projects.

Future-Proof Career Study and intern where the magic happens— alongside industry giants like Google, Meta, and Tesla, etc. with direct connections to 45+ Fortune 500 companies. If you want to code the future, build the next billion-dollar breakthrough, or make a real impact in the world, this is the place to be and your dream opportunity is just a handshake away.

Diversity That Drives Innovation With international students from 100+ countries, diversity is not just a buzzword; it's the heartbeat of everything at SJSU. It's a global ecosystem primed with creativity, new ideas, and diverse perspectives—and you are going to love it.

SJSU at a Glance

STUDENT BODY

40,000

2,500+

International Students
come from 100+ countries



250+
Majors &
Programs



22
Athletic Teams
Competing at the
NCAA Division I
Level

#1 MOST
TRANSFORMATIVE
UNIVERSITY

—Money magazine

#9

Best Value Schools in
Regional West

—US News & World Report

#1

Accounting

#2

Marketing

#4

Data Science

#5

Engineering

Recognized by the Wall
Street Journal for salaries of
our graduates nationwide

R2

Research
Designation

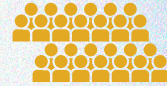


\$80+ Million

in research
expenditures

across 568 active
projects

26:1



STUDENT/FACULTY
RATIO

350+

Student
Clubs and
Organizations
sjsu.edu/getinvolved

11,000+

SJSU Alumni employed at
Silicon Valley Companies



45 out of 57

Fortune 500 companies
in California are in
the Bay Area

300,000+

International Network
of Alumni

Welcome to San José State University

SJSU has always been a place of firsts: the first campus in the country's largest public higher education system, the first public university in the West, and the first AI program in the CSU, all in the heart of Silicon Valley—a region leading global technological innovation.

And let's not forget California's magic—majestic mountains, the endless Pacific Ocean, iconic attractions, and year-round sunshine.

Join SJSU, because that's where your legendary era begins.



City of
San José

#1

Safest Major City
—NBC Bay Area

#1

City for Starting
Salaries
—WSJ

#3

City with Most Job Opportunities
for University Grads
—WSJ

POWERING SILICON VALLEY WITH TOP TALENT LIKE YOU

Here are some of the many Silicon Valley companies and organizations that hire our graduates:

- Abaxis
- Abbott Laboratories
- Accenture
- Adobe Systems
- Alphabet
- Amazon
- Analog Devices Inc.
- Apple
- Applied Materials
- Arbor
- Best High Technologies LLC (BHT)
- Boston Scientific
- Broadcom
- Chevron
- Cisco Systems
- Dell
- Deloitte
- Disney
- Dow Chemical
- Driscoll's
- DuPont
- eBay
- FedEx
- First Solar
- Goldman Sachs
- Genentech
- General Electric
- Genomic Health
- Google
- Hewlett-Packard
- IBM
- Intel
- Intuitive Surgical
- Jabil
- JPMorgan Chase & Co.
- Kaiser Permanente
- Lumentum
- KLA-Tencor
- Marvel
- McAfee
- McCormick
- Merck
- Meta
- Microsoft
- NASA Ames Research Center
- Nektar Therapeutics
- NVIDIA
- Oracle
- Qualcomm
- Pfizer
- PG&E
- Philips Healthcare
- Pricewaterhouse Coopers (PwC)
- Roku
- STMicroelectronics
- Tata Consultancy Services
- Tesla
- TikTok
- Visa
- WMH Corporation



With the support of *International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS)* and the *Career Center*, I honed my presentation skills and received expert guidance on my resume and portfolio. Soon after, I attended a national conference where I delivered a one-minute pitch that led to an on-the-spot interview with Jacobs, one of the largest construction and engineering firms in the U.S. I was offered the position the very same day. My mantra?

“Be bold and dare the impossible.”

Joyce Lewis, Nigeria

M.S. in Civil Engineering, SJSU

University Housing

SJSU offers a variety of on-campus housing options, including traditional, suite style, and apartment style living with mandatory meal plans.

Other SJSU housing:

- Spartan Village on the Paseo and International House (I-House)
- Off-campus housing



Scan this QR code to see our housing brochure





Application Requirements

Am I Eligible?

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution (comparable to a U.S. degree with four years of full-time study)
- A minimum 2.5 (out of 4.0) college cumulative GPA or a 2.5 GPA in the last two years
- Impacted programs require a higher GPA for admission
- GRE or GMAT may be required by individual program. Check for details: Degree Program Requirements | Admissions
- English Language Proficiency Exam

Minimum ELP score	
TOEFL iBT	4
Academic IELTS	6.5
Academic PTE	53
Duolingo	120

Some programs will require a higher ELP score.
Check Test Requirements | Admissions

How Do I Apply?



Scan QR code to
apply today!



Spring Application:
1st July - 1st October



Fall Application:
Open 1st August
Application deadline: Varies



Pay \$70
application fee

What Do I Need to Submit?



Evaluated international
coursework (completed
outside of U.S. or Canada) by
WES, ACEI, ECE, or TEC



English test scores and other
test scores required by the
program



Completed and signed SJSU
Declaration of Finance form
and Bank Statement



Copy of your
valid passport
biographic page



Spartan Life Beyond the Books— *Discover, Connect, Thrive.*

The Martin Luther King Jr. Library

MLK library located right on the SJSU campus blends cutting-edge facilities with a rich legacy, offering everything from advanced study spaces and research resources to quiet nooks for relaxation.

Fitness Center Dive into the Spartan Recreation and Aquatic Center, a 128,000-square-foot structure that's got it all—from fitness classes and sports to a 50-meter lap pool, rock climbing, and pick-up games.

Student Wellness Center Health and wellness is paramount at SJSU and we have dedicated resources and support to ensure your emotional, financial, physical, and occupational wellness.

Spartan Pantry Spartan Food pantry is your one-stop shop for free groceries and essentials. Whether you're looking to stock up on snacks, fresh produce, or pantry staples, we've got your back.

SpartUp Incubator SJSU's in-house incubator is where Spartans turn big ideas into thriving ventures. It offers mentorship, industry connections, and a dynamic ecosystem to power your startup journey, build prototypes and raise funds.

International Scholars and Student Services ISSS is your go-to squad for all things international student life at SJSU. From immigration advising to co-curricular support, ISSS helps you navigate your SJSU journey and beyond. sjsu.edu/issu

Career Center The Career Center at SJSU offers a range of services including career counseling, resume workshops, and interview preparation to help students succeed. Through **Handshake**, students gain access to exclusive job listings, internships, and networking opportunities.



#1

Public University for
"Most Silicon Valley Hires"
in the South Bay Area

Alumni earn on average **\$141,400** at the mid-career level, significantly outpacing their peers from comparable institutions.

Source: PayScale, College Salary Report, payscale.com

Cost of Attendance

Estimated Costs for One Academic Year or 9 units/semester.
Nearly half the cost of comparable top-tier institutions.

	Tuition & Campus Fees	Living Expenses	Medical Insurance	TOTAL per year
2026-2027	\$19,422	\$26,490	\$2,250	\$48,162
	Tuition & Campus Fees	Living Expenses	Medical Insurance	TOTAL per year
2027-2028	\$20,739	\$26,374	\$2,250	\$49,363

Tuition is subject to change. Some programs have different tuition and fees
Bursar's office : sjsu.edu/bursar

It's More than A Degree—

It's A Powerful Career Move

Hands-on Learning with Real World Impact

COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES AND THE ARTS

Art - Art History and Visual Culture	(MA)
Art - Digital Media Art	(MFA)
Art - Photography	(MFA)
Art - Pictorial Art	(MFA)
Art - Spatial Art	(MFA)
Creative Writing	(MFA)
Computational Linguistics*	(MS)
Design, Animation ‡	(MDes)
Design, Experience Design ‡	(MDes)
English & Comparative Literature	(MA)
Journalism & Mass Communications	(MS)
Music Education ‡	(MA)
Music, Composition Concentration	(MM)
Music, Conducting Concentration	(MM)
Music, Jazz Studies Concentration	(MM)
Music, Music Education Concentration	(MM)
Music, Musicology Concentration	(MM)
Music, Performance (<i>Instrumental</i>) Concentration	(MM)
Music, Performance (<i>Vocal</i>) Concentration	(MM)
Philosophy	(MA)
Spanish	(MA)

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING*

Aerospace Engineering	(MS)
Artificial Intelligence	(MS)
Biomedical Engineering	(MS)
Chemical Engineering	(MS)
Civil Engineering	(MS)
Computer Engineering	(MS)
Electrical Engineering	(MS)
Engineering	(MS)
Engineering Management	(MS)
Engineering Technology	(MS)
Human Factors/Ergonomics	(MS)
Human Factors/Ergonomics (<i>User Experience</i>)	(MS)
Industrial & Systems Engineering	(MS)
Industrial & Systems Engineering (<i>Operational Analytics</i>)	(MS)
Materials Engineering	(MS)
Mechanical Engineering	(MS)
Quantum Technology	(MS)
Software Engineering	(MS)

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

Applied Anthropology	(MA)
Applied Economics*	(MA)
Applied Behavior Analysis (<i>Summer 2028</i>)*‡	(MS)
Chicana & Chicano Studies	(MA)
Clinical Psychology	(MS)
Communication Studies ‡	(MA)
Communication Studies †	(MA)
Economics*	(MA)
Environmental Studies*	(MS)
Geographic Information Science*	(MS)
Global Criminology †	(MA)
History	(MA)
Justice Studies	(MS)
Psychology - Industrial/Organizational Psychology	(MS)
Psychology - Research and Experimental Psychology	(MS)
Public Administration	(MPA)
Urban Planning*	(MUP)

COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

Bioinformatics*	(MS)
Biological Science (Ecology & Evolution)*	(MS)
Biological Science (Molecular, Microbial, & Physiological)*	(MS)
Biological Science (Stem Cell Biology)*	(MS)
Biotechnology*‡	(MS)
Biotechnology (Medical Product Development Management) ‡	(MBT)
Chemistry*	(MA)
Chemistry*	(MS)
Computational Geoscience*	(MS)
Computer Science*	(MS)
Data Science*	(MS)
Geology*	(MS)
Marine Science*	(MS)
Mathematics*	(MA)
Applied Mathematics*	(MS)
Meteorology*	(MS)
Physics*	(MS)
Science Education	(MS)
Statistics*	(MS)

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

Accountancy & Analytics*	(MS)
Business Administration (<i>Early Career</i>) ‡	(MBA)
Business Administration (<i>Professionals</i>) ‡	(MBA)
Financial Analytics*‡	(MS)
Transportation Management †	(MS)

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Child & Adolescent Development †	(MA)
Counseling & Guidance (<i>Counselor Education</i>) ‡	(MA)
Educational Leadership, Emancipatory School Leadership ‡	(MA)
Higher Education Leadership ‡	(MA)
Multilingual and Multicultural Literacy Education †	(MA)
Special Education	(MA)
Speech Language Pathology (On Campus)	(MS)
Speech Language Pathology (Online) †	(MS)
Teaching	(MAT)
Teaching, Critical Bilingual Education	(MAT)

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES

Kinesiology	(MS)
Nutritional Science*	(MS)
Packaging	(MS)
Occupational Therapy	(MS)
Public Health (On Campus)	(MPH)
Public Health (Hybrid) ‡	(MPH)
Social Work	(MSW)
Social Work, Advanced Standing	(MSW)

COLLEGE OF INFORMATION, DATA, AND SOCIETY

Applied Data Intelligence*‡	(MS)
Archive & Record Administration †	(MS)
Informatics †	(MS)
Instructional Design and Technology †	(MS)
Library & Information Science †	(M)

COLLEGE OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Interdisciplinary Studies	(MA)
Interdisciplinary Studies	(MS)
Doctoral:	
Audiology	(AUD)
Educational Leadership (Hybrid) ‡	(EdD)
Educational Leadership (Online) †	(EdD)
Occupational Therapy ‡	(OTD)
Credential:	
Education Specialist (<i>Early Childhood Special Education</i>)	
Education Specialist (<i>Mild to Moderate Support Needs</i>)	
Education Specialist (<i>Extensive Support Needs</i>)	
Multiple Subject Teaching	
PK-3 Early Childhood Education Specialist	
PPS/School Counseling	
Single Subject Teaching (<i>All Concentrations</i>)	

* STEM major

* Available for Preparation for Teaching track

† Online; class is offered fully online

‡ Hybrid; class includes both online and in-person instruction



ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT

INTERNATIONAL RECRUITMENT & PARTNERSHIPS



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Enrollment Management

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