
Curricula and Courses

Degrees

Bachelor of Arts in Applied Arts and Sciences
Major in Public Administration

Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts and Sciences
Major in English
Major in History
Major in International Business
 Emphasis in Latin America
 Emphasis in North America
Major in Latin American Studies
Major in Liberal Studies
Major in Psychology
Major in Social Science
Major in Spanish

Bachelor of Science in Applied Arts and Sciences
Major in Business Administration
 Emphasis in Agribusiness
Major in Criminal Justice Administration

Minors

English	Political Science	Small Business
History	Psychology	Management
Linguistics	Public Administration	Spanish

Certificate Programs

Business Administration	Public Administration
Court Interpreting	Translation Studies

Teaching Credentials

Single subject cross-cultural language and academic development (CLAD)

Multiple subject cross-cultural language and academic development (CLAD)

Multiple subject bilingual cross-cultural language and academic development (B/CLAD)

Emphasis: Spanish

Graduate Degree

Master of Arts in Education
 Concentration in Educational Leadership

Graduate Degrees Offered in Cooperation with the San Diego Campus

Master of Arts in Education
 Concentration in Elementary Curriculum and Instruction
 Concentration in Secondary Curriculum and Instruction
Master of Public Administration
Master of Science in Business Administration
 Concentration in International Business
Master of Social Work

Courses Offered at the Imperial Valley Campus

Accountancy	Latin American Studies
Anthropology	Liberal Studies
Art	Linguistics
Astronomy	Management *
Biology	Marketing
Business Administration	Mathematics
Chicana and Chicano Studies	Music
Community Health Education	Natural Science
Criminal Justice Administration	Physics
Economics	Policy Studies in Language and Cross-Cultural Education
Educational Leadership	Political Science
Educational Technology	Psychology
English	Public Administration and Urban Studies
Finance	Rhetoric and Writing Studies
General Mathematics Studies	Social Science
General Studies	Social Work
Geography	Sociology
Geological Sciences	Spanish
History	Special Education
Information and Decision Systems	Teacher Education
International Business	Theatre
	Women's Studies

* Substantial coursework in this discipline can be completed at the Imperial Valley Campus before transferring to the San Diego campus as a senior major.

Semesters

The Imperial Valley Campus offers courses during two 16-week semesters and also offers summer session. The fall semester is September to December and the spring semester is January to May.

Unit or Credit Hour

In the listing of courses that follow, figures in parentheses indicate the unit value of the course. One unit or credit hour represents 50 minutes of recitation or lecture, together with the required preparation, or three hours of laboratory work, or two hours of activities, each week for a semester.

Prerequisites for Undergraduate Courses

Students must satisfy course prerequisites (or their equivalent) prior to beginning the course to which they are prerequisite. Faculty have the authority to enforce prerequisites listed in the current catalog and current class schedule, to evaluate equivalent preparation, and to require proof that such prerequisites/preparation have been completed. Faculty may, during the first week of classes, request students without the prerequisites or equivalent preparation to take formal action to drop the course. Failure to comply will result in a failing grade.

Semester in Which Courses Are Offered

In the listing of courses that follows, Roman numeral I indicates a course offered in the fall semester. Roman numeral II indicates a course offered in the spring semester. An "S" indicates a course offered in the summer term.

Following the course title are designations of credit and the semester in which the course is offered.

Examples:

- (3) I..... Three units. Offered in fall semester.
- (3) II..... Three units. Offered in spring semester.
- (3-3)..... Three units each semester. Year course normally beginning in fall semester.
- (3-3) I, II..... Three units each semester. Year course beginning either semester.

Although the University fully expects to carry out the arrangements planned in the list of courses, it reserves the right to make changes. Classes in which the enrollment does not come up to the minimum number set by the Trustees of The California State University may not be offered or may be postponed.

Courses

Numbering of Courses

- 80-99 Non-baccalaureate level and are not acceptable for a bachelor's degree.
- 100-299 Lower division (freshman and sophomore years).
- 300-499 Upper division (junior and senior years) and are intended for undergraduates.
- 500-599 Upper division and are also acceptable for advanced degrees when taken by students admitted to graduate standing.
- 600-799 Graduate courses.
- 800-899 Doctoral courses.

Courses numbered at the 900 level, except 997, are reserved for graduate courses in certain professional curricula as part of advanced certificate, credential, and licensure programs and are specifically intended for students admitted to the University with post-baccalaureate classified standing. Courses numbered at the 900 level are not applicable to other graduate programs.

Courses numbered 397 offered in regular sessions are professional advancement/training or tutorial/discussion classes that accompany other credit courses and are not acceptable towards an undergraduate or graduate degree.

Courses numbered X-01 through X-79 and X-397 are Extension professional advancement units offered only through Extension to meet specific academic needs of community groups and are not acceptable toward an undergraduate or graduate degree.

Common Courses

Experimental or Selected Studies or Topics or Workshop Courses (96, 296, 496, 596)

Courses offered by departments under the numbers 296, 496, 596 are subject to the following conditions: no more than nine units of such courses shall be applicable toward a bachelor's degree; such courses may be applicable toward the minor or toward preparation for the major only with the approval of the department chair.

Topics courses may be offered by the departments under the number 96. These courses are nonbaccalaureate level and are not acceptable for a bachelor's degree or General Education.

Special Study (299, 499, 599)

These courses provide opportunity for individual study of a subject not offered in the regular curriculum. The student does this outside of the classroom and must secure the consent of an instructor to supervise the study *before*

registering for the course. The student should discuss the topic with the instructor and come to an understanding on the amount of time to be devoted to the topic, the credit to be earned, and the mode of investigation and report to be used. As with regular courses, the expectation is that the student will devote three hours per week to the subject for each unit of credit. A maximum combined credit of nine units of 299, 499, and 599 is applicable to a bachelor's degree.

A 499 or 599 number cannot be used to offer lower division coursework. Also, 299, 499, and 599 cannot be used to extend internships, to award academic credit in place of pay, for work experience, or for class-sized groups.

Credit/No Credit Courses

Courses which are offered for credit/no credit are indicated by the symbols Cr/NC in the course title.

