Cal Poly

2016 CSU Counselor Conference
Campus Highlights and Admission Specific Practices
At a Glance

- Central Coast Location
- College Town
- 20,295 Undergraduates
- 903 Graduates
- Best in the West Public Master’s-Level University
Cal Poly Quick Facts

• Learn by Doing
• Upside down/blended curriculum
• Small class sizes (average of 35)
• 62 majors, 78 minors
• 50 graduate programs
• 19:1 Student to Faculty Ratio
Cal Poly Campus Life

- 350+ Clubs and Organizations
- Top Rated Orientation & New Student Programs
- Division I Athletics
- First-Time Freshmen Guaranteed On-Campus Housing
Cal Poly Student Services

- Academic Advising
  - advising.calpoly.edu
- Career Services
- Study Abroad
- Student Academic Services
Graduate Status Report

Graduate Outcomes*
- 91% Positively Engaged
  - 67% Working Full Time
  - 15% Attending Graduate School
  - 5% Working Part Time
  - 4% Other Pursuits**
  - 9% Still Seeking

Starting Median Salary
- $56,000

Employment Timeline
- Of those employed, 98% are employed within 9 months of graduation
  - 63% before graduation, 23% within 3 months, 12% within 9 months
  - 94% Found Jobs Related to Their Major

How Students Got Their Jobs
- Cal Poly Career Services: 30%
- Personal Referral: 25%
- Electronic Listing: 14%
- Academic Departments: 8%
- Internships: 7%

Job Location
- 88% Found Jobs in California

*Data is based on 2,399 student responses collected within nine months of graduation, 52% overall response rate. For detail breakdown by college and major, go to careerservices.calpoly.edu/gsr.
**Other pursuits include intentional plans such as travel, gap year experience, artistic pursuits, and personal commitments.
Undergraduate Estimated Cost (2016–2017 AY)

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* Based on 15 units per quarter (Fall, Winter, Spring) at $248/quarter

Newly Selected Freshman Profile

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* Note: Old SAT math and critical reading scores only

Newly Selected Transfer Profile

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Selected averages
Freshman Selection Criteria

- Coursework
- GPA
- ACT and/or SAT
- Non-cognitive variables that are important to the campus
  - i.e. Extracurricular Activities and Work Experience
- Audition for Music
- Portfolio for Art and Design

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admissions.calpoly.edu/applicants/freshman/criteria.html
Transfer Selection Criteria

- GE coursework
- Major specific coursework
- GPA
- Non-cognitive variables that are important to the campus
  - i.e. Extracurricular Activities and Work Experience
- Audition for Music, Portfolio for Art and Design & Architecture

AA-T/AS-T Approved Majors

- Anthropology & Geography
- Business Administration
- English
- Music
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Political Science
- Theatre Arts

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Admission Application Timeline

October 1 – November 30: Application filing period

December: Set up MyCalPoly university portal account

January 15: SAT/ACT scores must be received for Regular Decision*

March: Submit partial transcripts for transfers and specified freshmen

April 1: Admission decisions available on MyCalPoly portal

April 6 – 8: Cal Poly Open House

May 1: Student Intent to Register due

July 15: Deadline to submit final transcripts with 2017 grades

*Art and Design or Music must be received by January 1
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- College Specific Tour
- Housing Tour
- Recreation Center Tour
- Virtual Tour Cal Poly App
- CAFES Preview Day October 14th
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