

**BUILD YOUR FUTURE
IN THE CITY THAT
INVENTS
TOMORROW.**





WELCOME TO A WORLD OF **MIND-EXPANDING, FUTURE-FOCUSED, LIFE-CHANGING OPPORTUNITIES.**

At the University of San Francisco, your education will be made up of incredible experiences. Think interning with Adobe. Marketing an autonomous car startup. Designing a solar-powered backpack. Here, you'll build your professional network and grow into the kind of leader you were born to be in an environment synonymous with innovation and known for breaking down barriers.

GRADUATE FASTER There's no limit to the number of AP/IB/A-level credits you can transfer to USF, so you may be able to fulfill academic requirements and graduate sooner, depending on your major. Want an advanced degree? Try our dual degree programs that allow you to complete a bachelor's and a master's on an accelerated timeline.

GET GUARANTEED HOUSING As a first-year student, you'll have two years of guaranteed on-campus housing (one year for transfer students), so you'll have a built-in community when you arrive.

EARN SCHOLARSHIPS When you apply, you'll automatically be considered for merit scholarships based on your academic achievements.

#1 BEST-PAYING CITY IN THE U.S.

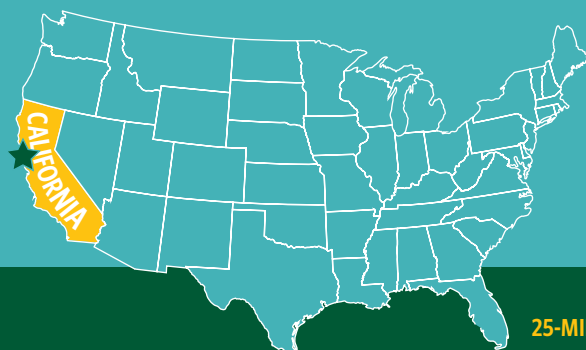
(U.S. News & World Report)

San Francisco is consistently ranked among the top student cities in the U.S. and the world for its diverse culture and innovative businesses. And USF is the only school in San Francisco that puts you right at the heart of it all. Our Hilltop campus sits in a quiet residential neighborhood where it's an easy stroll to local cafes and shopping.

When you're ready to venture farther, grab your free MUNI bus pass and visit our city's many professional hubs, historical landmarks, and natural wonders. Silicon Valley, the epicenter of tech, is less than an hour away.



TAKE A VIRTUAL TOUR



25-MINUTE BIKE RIDE TO THE GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE 77 KM TO SILICON VALLEY 5.1 KM TO CHINATOWN 6 KM TO DISCORD HQ 5.5 KM TO THE WORLD'S BEST BURRITO 6.4 KM TO SALESFORCE HQ 5.3 KM TO OCEAN BEACH



WE COME FROM 50 STATES AND 119 COUNTRIES.

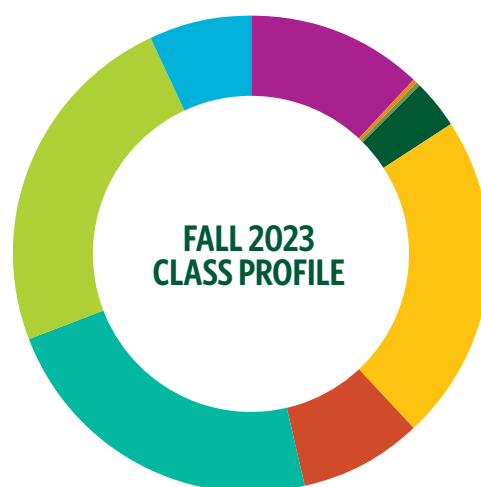
True to our Jesuit founding, we believe our differences make our community stronger. Our 6,018 undergraduate students grew up in 23 faith traditions (one in five don't follow any faith tradition), speak 48 languages, and cover the spectrum of political beliefs. USF is #2 in the nation for ethnic diversity, and our community embraces all people regardless of gender, ability, or socioeconomic background.

PRAIRWA KALAYANAMIT '23, ENTREPRENEURSHIP & INNOVATION MAJOR (THAILAND)

"What I have enjoyed most about being at USF is getting to interact with people from different cultural backgrounds. Having attended an international school my entire life, I have always valued diversity. Through the process of getting to know different people, I also see how similar we are."



- > 7.1%
AFRICAN
AMERICAN
- > 23.9%
ASIAN
AMERICAN
- > 22.7%
HISPANIC/
LATINO
- > 8.5%
INTERNATIONAL



- > 11.8%
MULTICULTURAL
- > 0.1%
NATIVE AMERICAN/
ALASKA NATIVE
- > 0.3%
NATIVE HAWAIIAN/
PACIFIC ISLANDER
- > 3.4%
UNSPECIFIED
- > 22.1%
WHITE





KNOWLEDGE. NETWORKS. EXPERIENCE. **THIS IS EDUCATION FOR REAL LIFE.**

Small classes lead to strong relationships. You'll get to know your professors well, and they'll connect you with their colleagues in the industry. In the classroom, you can count on participating in lively discussions on topics ranging from the future of AI and design of blockchain-based platforms to data science and the economics of pollution. Outside of class, you might build your skills and your contacts while launching a new eco-friendly boba bottle business or by spending a semester in D.C. learning how to craft policy for the common good.

A USF education is designed to balance facts, experiences, and the kind of critical thinking skills that will position you to succeed—in your first job and throughout your career.



- Take your time. You don't have to commit to a major until the end of your sophomore year. So you can explore different subjects and see what's right for you.
- Academic advising. Success coaching. Internship interview workshops tailored for international students. You'll have all the support you need to take full advantage of every opportunity at USF.



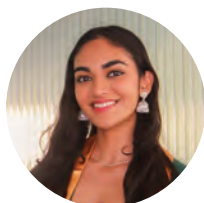
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT &
SCHOLAR SERVICES



DIVE INTO LIFE ON THE HILLTOP.

> USF has seven dining areas serving diverse cuisine and accommodating many cultures and dietary preferences.

Our 55-acre campus will quickly become your home away from home with its grassy quads, rooftop terraces, and buzzing residence halls. And with 100+ student-run groups, from the Stock Investment Club to the Indian Student Organization to Women in Tech, it's easy to make friends and network with people who share your interests. Then there are the thousand tiny experiences—like coffees at The Market Café, study sessions in the atrium at Monihan, and spectacular sunsets over the city—that make your experience at USF uniquely yours.



SAACHI PRIYAM '23, BUSINESS ANALYTICS & MARKETING MAJOR (INDIA/CAMBODIA)

"Be proactive. Our campus has a lot of resources such as the Career Services Center to review your resume, the Writing Center for help proofreading your papers, and International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS)."

Attending college in a new country is a big deal. That's why USF offers support at every step along the way.

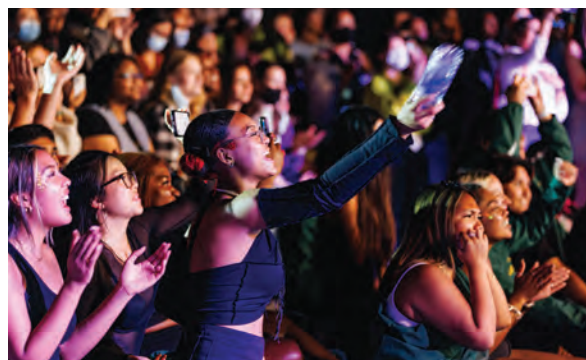
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT & SCHOLAR SERVICES (ISSS): Make an appointment with your personal ISSS adviser to get help with visas, immigration, Optional Practical Training (OPT) employment, and more.

INTERNATIONAL BUDDY PROGRAM: Ease into life at USF by connecting with current students for campus meetups and excursions to famous San Francisco destinations like Ghirardelli Square, Fisherman's Wharf, and Japantown.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION: The ISA represents the interests of international students on campus. It's a place to make new friends, share and learn from each other, and promote cultural education.

CULTURESCAPE: A special celebration of USF's multicultural community featuring food and performances from around the world.

LEARNING, WRITING, AND SPEAKING CENTERS: Need a little help? Drop by Gleeson Library to build your writing and speaking skills and get subject-specific tutoring at no additional cost.



SAFETY IS A TOP PRIORITY FOR EVERY MEMBER OF OUR COMMUNITY.

24/7 public safety team on duty

Secure access via smartphone to residence halls

Free MUNI pass for buses, cable cars, and light rail system

Personal safety awareness programs





ANSON TAN '23, FINANCE & BUSINESS ANALYTICS MAJOR (SINGAPORE)

"Focus on employers who value your international student experience, your diversity, and your culture. These are the companies who want to hire you."



CAREER SERVICES CENTER



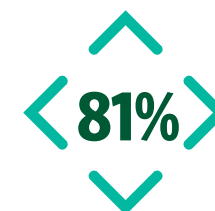
APPLE. GOOGLE. PIXAR. SEPHORA. SUTTER HEALTH. PANDORA. YELP.

These are just a few of the amazing organizations where USF students have interned and worked. When it comes to career opportunities in tech, finance, healthcare, and the arts, our location can't be beat. Every month, the Career Services Center posts hundreds of internship listings. And we'll provide specialized support to help you through the process of securing internships and qualifying for employment after graduation.

Every year, we help international alumni take advantage of Optional Practical Training (OPT) benefits, which allow them to remain in the U.S. for 12 months after graduation to gain experience in their field of study. In a STEM program, you'll get an additional 24 months (up to three years total) of work experience.



OF USF UNDERGRADUATES WHO ATTEND FULL TIME EACH SEMESTER GRADUATE IN FOUR YEARS.



OF STUDENTS COMPLETE TWO INTERNSHIPS.





FALL ADMISSION DEADLINES:

Early Decision I/
Early Action
November 1

Early Decision II/
Regular Decision
January 15

Transfer applicants
March 1

HOW TO APPLY

Submit your application (Common Application, Coalition application, or the free USF application), along with the following materials:

- ☐ Academic record/transcript
- ☐ Proof of English Language Proficiency (ELP).
Required of non-native English speakers.
- ☐ Certification of finances (F1 visa applicants only)
- ☐ Optional: SAT/ACT test scores. Test scores can be used to waive proof of ELP.
- ☐ Optional: Letter of recommendation from a teacher or counselor

Preferred scores:

TOEFL: 80 (minimum 65)

IELTS: 6.5 (minimum 6.0)

Duolingo: 125 (minimum 100)

Students with scores lower than preferred may be required to take additional English courses at USF.

2023-2024 UNDERGRADUATE COSTS

Tuition and fees **\$58,222**

On-campus housing and meals **\$19,536**

Estimated additional costs

Below are estimates of what the average international student spends per year. These costs are not charged by USF and are not added to your bill.

Books **\$1,152**

Personal and transportation **\$4,752**

Total estimated cost of attendance \$83,662

Most international undergraduate students are required to purchase the USF-sponsored health insurance plan. For the 2023-2024 academic year, this is an additional \$3,746.

SCHOLARSHIPS

International students are eligible for partial tuition merit scholarships (up to \$29,000/year for first-year students and up to \$16,000/year for transfers) based on academic strength. Need-based financial aid is available only to U.S. citizens or eligible noncitizens.



COSTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

Accounting

Advertising

Architecture

Art History & Museum Studies

Asian Studies

Biology*

with a concentration in:

Ecology

Molecular Biology

Business Analytics*

Chemistry*

with a concentration in:

Biochemistry

Medicinal/Synthetic Chemistry

Communication Studies

Computer Science*

Critical Diversity Studies

with a concentration in:

African American Studies

Asian Pacific American Studies

Chicanx/Latinx Studies

Comparative Diversity Studies

Gender & Sexualities Studies

Data Science*

Design

Economics*

with a concentration in:

Economic Development

Financial Economics

International Economics

Education: Liberal Studies

Engineering*

with a concentration in:

Electrical & Computer Engineering

Environmental Engineering

Sustainable Civil Engineering

English

with a concentration in:

Comparative Literature & Culture

Literature

Writing

Entrepreneurship & Innovation

Environmental Science*

Environmental Studies*

with a concentration in:

Urban Studies

Finance

Fine Arts

French Studies

History

with a concentration in:

African History

Asian History

European History

Global

Islamic World

Latin American History

U.S. History

Hospitality Management

International Business

International Studies

with a concentration in:

Cultures, Societies, & Values

Global Politics & Societies

International Economics

Peace & Conflict Studies

Sustainable Development & Environmental Justice

Japanese Studies

Kinesiology

Latin American Studies

Management

Marketing

Mathematics*

Media Studies

Neuroscience

Nursing (BSN)

Performing Arts & Social Justice

with a concentration in:

Dance

Music

Theater

Philosophy

Physics*

Politics

Psychology

Public Health

Sociology

with a concentration in:

Criminology, Law, & Society

Critical Diversity & Social Justice

Education & Youth

Globalization, Development, & Sustainability

Spanish Studies

Theology & Religious Studies

DUAL DEGREE PROGRAMS

(4+1) BS/MS Applied Economics

(4+1) BS/PSM Biotechnology

(4+1) BS/MS Computer Science

(4+1) BS/MS International & Development Economics

(4+1) BA/MA International Studies

(3+3) BA/BS + JD (Law) program

(3+2) BS Physics (USF) + BS Engineering (USC)

(4+1) BA/BS + MA Teaching + credential

* STEM programs eligible for Optional Practical Training (OPT) extensions



UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO
CHANGE THE WORLD FROM HERE



**MEET YOUR
ADMISSION COUNSELOR**

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