

UC RIVERSIDE



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COMMITTED.

REAL.

JUST LIKE YOU.

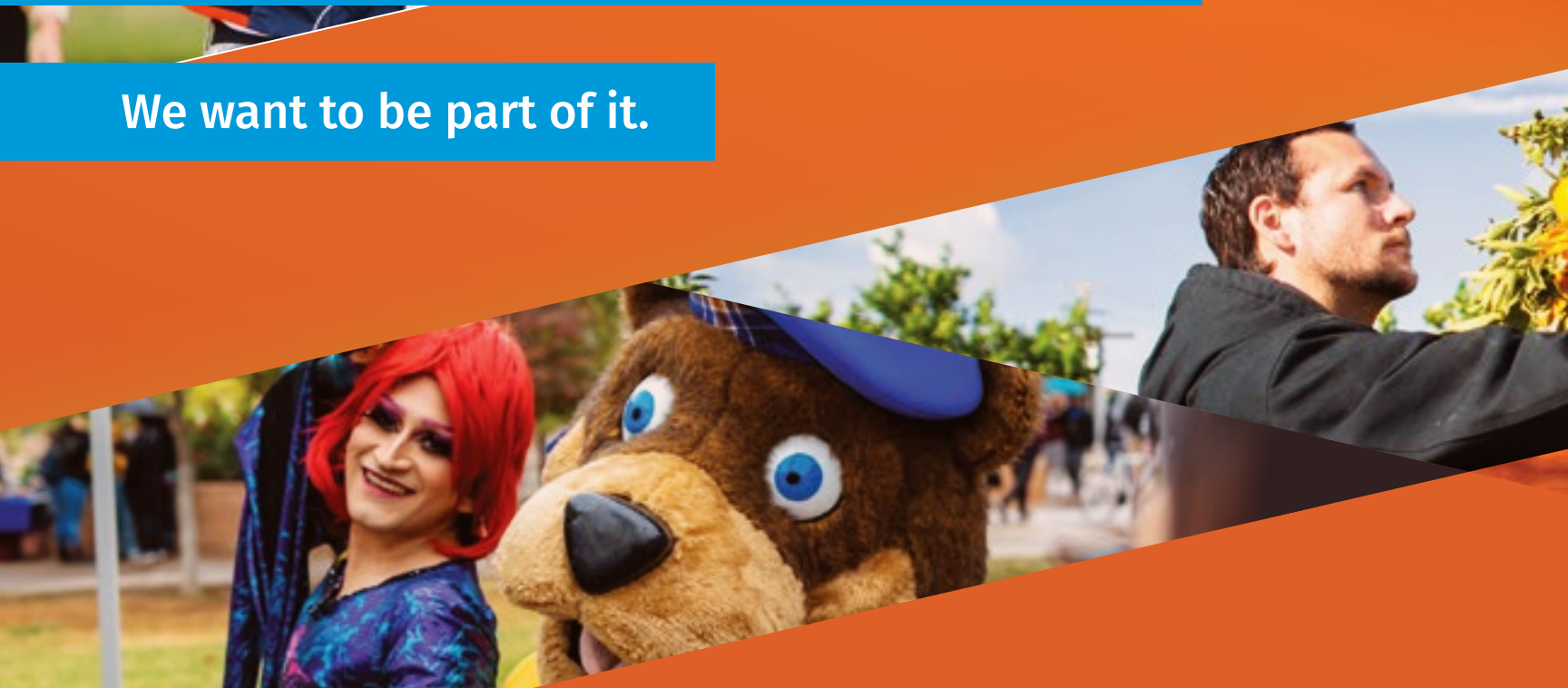


Welcome to UCR.

You have a UNIQUE story.

We've been waiting for a Highlander just like you.

We want to be part of it.





You are COMMITTED to excellence.

We can take you there.



You are REAL.

We want to see how real you can get.

JUST LIKE YOU — UCR is rising to extraordinary challenges. >>





UNIQUE

A student like you is the heart of UCR. You won't find a copycat, sterilized, or prepackaged education experience here. We welcome — we need — your individuality, your passion, and your voice.

At UCR, you'll find a community that celebrates the differences that define us and the journey that unites us. You'll encounter a kaleidoscope of faces, narratives, and cultures through Highlanders with roots spanning the United States and over 80 countries. Imagine all these stories, merging with yours, in vibrant Riverside — a progressive city that's central to everything that makes Southern California a magical place to live, play, and study.

» We're glad you're here — now let's see what unique experiences we can add to your story.



MEET UNIQUE HIGHLANDERS WHO STARTED OFF JUST LIKE YOU!

TAYLOR POLLARD

BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN ARTS, CLASS OF '16

Creator of Self-Love Campaign #FlexinInMyComplexion

Using her studies in photography and business classes at UCR, Taylor launched a social media movement that empowers young people of color to love themselves.

After her younger sister was bullied for her dark skin tone, Taylor took a photo of her sister and posted it on Twitter with a phrase their grandmother taught them. That phrase-turned-campaign gained support from stars like Alicia Keys, Lupita Nyong'o, LeBron James, and Whoopi Goldberg. The sisters now run a nonprofit foundation that addresses matters which affect our world.



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"With me studying photography at UCR, I really learned the technical aspect of photos and implementing colors. It all kind of helped, especially with building a brand on social media."

alumni.ucr.edu

NO ONE DOES IT LIKE UCR!



MUSIC FESTIVALS

Highlanders understand the importance of academic and social life balance. We treat our student body to quarterly music festivals with impressive lineups that include world-famous artists like Post Malone, Jhené Aiko, and Dillon Francis — to name a few.

aspb.ucr.edu

UCR's food selection is as diverse as our students. Highlanders dine on high-quality international cuisines, like sushi, pizza, and tacos. We also serve American favorites, like salads, burgers, and ice cream. Don't worry, we didn't forget the vegetarian, vegan, halal, and gluten-free options. Browse menus and drool over foodie pictures!

dining.ucr.edu

DINING AT UCR



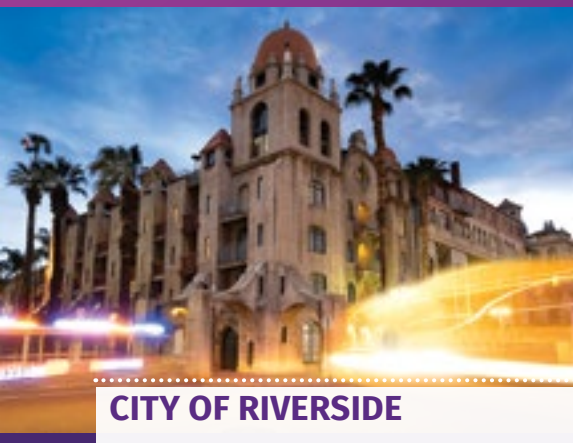
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CAMPUS LIVING

Housing options? We have them. Aberdeen-Inverness has a fitness center. Dundee is 7 stories high. Lothian has Amazon Lockers. Pentland Hills features suite layouts. Bannockburn Village has a pool. Falkirk has a BBQ area. Glen Mor has a gaming lounge. International Village has a music room. The Plaza has a laundry area. Stonehaven has a basketball court. Oban offers family housing for students with children. Get details about which is right for you!

housing.ucr.edu



CITY OF RIVERSIDE

Riverside is a vibrant college town with a variety of eclectic eateries, music venues, craft breweries, indie shops, and quaint boba and coffee houses — some owned and operated by UCR alumni! Riverside's central location in Southern California means beaches, deserts, mountains, and metropolitan cities are only an hour's drive away.

admissions.ucr.edu/about-riverside



UCR is America's fastest-rising ranked university.

(U.S. News & World Report, 2019)



Embrace newness at UCR and learn about the UNIQUE cultures that complete our world!



Fire Spinning Club practices the intense art of Polynesian fire spinning.

MEET UCR'S UNIQUE FACULTY MEMBERS, READY TO INSPIRE, CHALLENGE, AND EMPOWER YOU.

BARRY C. BARISH

UCR DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR OF PHYSICS

RICHARD R. SCHROCK

UCR DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY

Nobel Prize-Winning Physicist and Chemist

Learn from Professor Barish (pictured left), who is recognized for his decisive contributions to the LIGO detector and the observation of gravitational waves, and Professor Schrock (pictured right), who is recognized for his development of a catalyst for a reaction now used daily in the chemical industry for the efficient and more environmentally friendly production of pharmaceuticals, fuels, synthetic fibers, and many other products.

(Bonus points to Professor Barish for being a UC alumnus and Professor Schrock for being a UCR alumnus.)

ucr.edu/faculty





COMMITTED

You're the kind of student that keeps us on our toes. Determined. Outspoken. Demanding. And we love that about you. As you continue breaking boundaries, we'll keep grinding to pave the way for your limitless drive for greatness.

We'll challenge you with our world-class faculty, including two Nobel Laureates, a Pulitzer Prize winner, countless social activists, and world influencers. We'll stimulate you with undergraduate research opportunities that can start as early as your first year. We'll support you academically, mentally, and emotionally — and we'll set you up for a lifetime of curiosity.

Your commitment will shape this world in surprising ways — and we're committed to making sure that happens.

UCR IS DEDICATED TO YOUR HOLISTIC WELL-BEING!



ACADEMIC RESOURCE CENTER

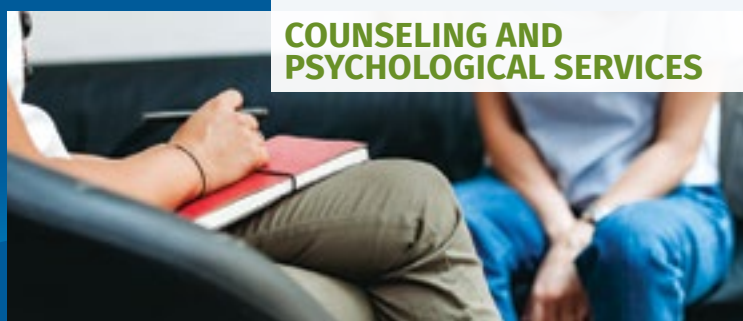
UCR's Academic Resource Center (ARC) is every Highlander go-to office for scholastic support. You'll achieve, learn, and succeed through tutoring, supplemental instruction, workshops, writing centers, and more. First-year students can join the Highlander Early Start Academy — a 7-week summer program intended to acquaint first-year students to the university experience.

arc.ucr.edu

Mental health is part of whole health — that's why we provide a safe environment with access to mental health resources that support your complete development. Mental health services are free, confidential, and conducted by professionals.

counseling.ucr.edu

COUNSELING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES



MEET COMMITTED HIGHLANDERS WHO STARTED OFF JUST LIKE YOU!

RAFAEL LOPEZ

BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE, CLASS OF '07

Resident DJ at Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival

A founding member of UCR's Hip Hop Congress chapter, Rafael began DJing at UCR music festivals — sharing the Highlander stage with stars like Lupe Fiasco. Post-graduation, he took an internship at a music studio in Culver City, less than an hour away from our campus. Just one year after becoming the resident DJ at ACE Hotel in Palm Springs, Goldenvoice took notice of this UCR alumnus and offered him a spot on the Coachella lineup in 2011, where he's played the festival every year since.

"My window of time was going to close if I didn't take the chance. In the end, you really don't have anything to lose."

alumni.ucr.edu

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STUDENT RECREATION CENTER

UCR IS DEDICATED TO YOUR HOLISTIC WELL-BEING!

Discover a new relationship with health and fitness, or strengthen the one you already have, at our 155,000-square-foot facility that features an Olympic-sized pool, lazy river, 100 cardio machines, group fitness classes, personal training, rock climbing, cooking demos, challenge courses, and so much more!

src.ucr.edu



CAREER CENTER

If you're hoping to work while at UCR, or need some guidance as you plan for a career post-graduation, our career counselors will connect, inspire, and empower you to get you to where you want to be. Attend career fairs, meet potential employers from major companies, and familiarize yourself with the power of networking. We'll even provide you with free professional clothing for your first big meeting.

careers.ucr.edu



UCR ranks as one of California's best colleges for affordability, quality of education, and student outcomes.

(Money Magazine, 2020)



FREE NUTRITIOUS FOOD

R'Pantry provides UCR students in need with FREE nutritious food. We have a year-round selection of essential kitchen/household items and feature fresh items from our campus' R'Garden.

well.ucr.edu



Make new friends who are serious about the same vibes as you!

Highlander Gaming is a student organization that has beat nationally ranked teams in games like Overwatch and Hearthstone.

MEET UCR'S FACULTY MEMBERS, COMMITTED TO INNOVATIONS IN TEACHING, LEARNING, AND GROWING.

MONA ESKANDARI

UCR ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Award-Winning Researcher

Learn from this Distinguished Teaching awardee and Faculty Mentor of the Year winner, who uses her Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering to drive new technologies for medical advancements.

(Bonus points to Professor Eskandari for putting UCR on the map with her current COVID-19 lung biomechanics research, which investigates overventilation and the respiratory-damaging nature of the virus.)

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REAL

We see the real you, the “you” that stands up for your convictions but is open to the truth of others. The “you” that competes — not to be better than someone else — but to be the greatest you.

At UCR, you’ll find a nexus of experiences meant to indulge all your interests. With over 500 student organizations, you’ll be surrounded by fellow Highlanders who share your aspirations for genuine friendships that enhance your university experience and motivate you.

➤ We welcome your kind of real energy — and we’ll never let it fade.

UCR CELEBRATES YOUR AUTHENTIC SELF



DIVERSITY

Diversity is not an abstract concept at UC Riverside — it is a source of strength and pride for our campus. Not only is our student body diverse, but so is our senior leadership. 40% are women. Many are first-generation college graduates. Several were born outside of the United States. We are also well-represented by a variety of faith traditions and members of the LGBTQ+ and military communities. Our awareness of and focus on inclusion reflects a historical commitment to the value and strength diversity brings to our campus.

diversity.ucr.edu

▼ MEET REAL HIGHLANDERS WHO STARTED OFF JUST LIKE YOU!

MAHMOUD HEMOOD

FOURTH-YEAR (BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION MAJOR)

Founder of Baba’s Chicken

During his third year at UCR, Mahmoud opened a successful downtown Riverside eatery that celebrates his love for hot chicken sandwiches. Best part? All UCR students get a discount! Proof that Highlanders really do take care of other Highlanders.

“The lessons here at UCR are very well worth it. Many of the concepts I learned in business helped me save a lot of money, such as inventory control methods, employee management strategies, branding, and marketing. Companies pay a lot of money in hiring people to solve these problems for them, yet here at UCR, we are given that knowledge without recognizing its true value. Part of being the new generation is that we can use concepts that have been around for many years in a much more creative way.”



UCR CELEBRATES YOUR AUTHENTIC SELF!



STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Finding and making lifelong friends among UCR's diverse Highlanders is an everyday thing thanks to the 500+ student organizations offered. With a student body of over 25,000 people, comes limitless passions, interests, and curiosities that will encourage the real you. Build on your strengths by surrounding yourself with likeminded people, or challenge your growth by exposing your mind to new ways of thinking.

studentlife.ucr.edu



UCR ranks as one of the top colleges in the country, making the most exceptional commitments to sustainability.

(The Princeton Review, 2019)



Make significant changes in the world with people who are motivated by the same issues you are.



Project Sunshine brings care packages and comfort to children in hospitals. (UCR's 2020 Student Organization of the Year!)

MEET UCR'S FACULTY MEMBERS — REAL INDUSTRY EXPERTS, COMMUNITY LEADERS, AND BUSINESS EXPERTS.

JOHN JENNINGS

UCR PROFESSOR OF MEDIA AND CULTURAL STUDIES

Designer, Curator, Illustrator, and Cartoonist

Learn from this two-time Eisner award winner, graphic novelist, and essayist for Marvel Comics, who's dedicated to publishing speculative graphic novels by and about people of color.

(Bonus points to Professor Jennings for creating "The Luke Cage Illustrated Syllabus," which featured as a UCR Arts exhibit.)

ucr.edu/faculty



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SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

MAJORS AND MINORS

MARLAN AND ROSEMARY BOURNS COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

- Bioengineering **T**
- Chemical Engineering **T**
- Computer Engineering **T**
- Computer Science and Business Applications **T**
- Computer Science and Engineering **M T**
- Data Science **M**
- Electrical Engineering **T**
- Environmental Engineering **T**
- Materials Science and Engineering **T**
- Mechanical Engineering **T**

Combined B.S. plus M.S. five-year programs are offered in Bioengineering, Chemical Engineering, Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Environmental Engineering and Mechanical Engineering. A combined B.S. Computer Engineering plus M.S. Computer Science five-year program is also offered.

>> www.engr.ucr.edu

COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES, ARTS, AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

- African American Studies **M**
- Anthropology **M**
- Art (Studio)
- Art History **M**
- Art History/Administrative Studies
- Art History/Religious Studies
- Asian American Studies **M**
- Asian Studies **M**
- Business Economics
- Chicano Studies **M**
- Creative Writing **M**
- Dance **M**
- Economics **M**
- Economics/Administrative Studies
- English **M**
- Ethnic Studies **M**
- Gender and Sexuality Studies **M**
- Global Studies **M**

- History **M**
- History/Administrative Studies
- Languages and Literatures
 - Chinese **M**
 - Classical Studies **M**
 - Comparative Ancient Civilizations
 - Comparative Literature
 - French **M**
 - Germanic Studies **M**
 - Japanese **M**
 - Russian Studies **M**
- Latin American Studies **M**
- Liberal Studies
- Linguistics
- Media and Cultural Studies **M**
- Middle East and Islamic Studies **M**
- Music **M**
- Music and Culture
- Native American Studies **M**
- Neuroscience **M T**
- Philosophy **M**
- Political Science **M**
- Political Science/Administrative Studies
- Political Science/International Affairs
- Political Science/Public Service
- Pre-Business
- Psychology **M T**
- Religious Studies **M**
- Sociology **M**
- Sociology/Administrative Studies
- Spanish **M**
- Sustainability Studies
- Theatre, Film and Digital Production **M**
- Undeclared Program

>> chass.ucr.edu

COLLEGE OF NATURAL AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

- Biochemistry **T**
- Biology **T**
- Cell, Molecular, and Developmental Biology **T**
- Chemistry **M T**

- Data Science **M**
- Earth Sciences **T**
- Entomology **M T**
- Environmental Sciences **M T**
- Geology **M T**
- Geophysics **T**
- Mathematics **M T**
- Mathematics for Secondary School Teachers **T**
- Microbiology **T**
- Neuroscience **M T**
- Physics **M T**
- Plant Biology **M T**
- Statistics **M T**
- Undeclared

A combined B.S. plus M.S. five-year program is offered in Entomology.

>> cnas.ucr.edu

GRADUATE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

- Education, Society, and Human Development **T**
- You can specialize in the following areas:
- Community Leadership, Policy, and Social Justice
 - Learning and Behavioral Studies
 - Student-Designed Comparative Concentration

>> education.ucr.edu

SCHOOL OF PUBLIC POLICY

- You can major or minor in two of six specialized tracks:
- Economic Policy
 - Health/Population Policy
 - International/Foreign Policy
 - Policy Institutions and Processes
 - Social/Cultural/Family Policy
 - Urban/Environmental Policy

>> spp.ucr.edu

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

- Business Administration **M T**

You can specialize in one of the following areas:

- Accounting and Auditing
- Business Analytics
- Finance
- Information Systems
- Management
- Marketing
- Operations and Supply Chain Management

Students are admitted to the Business Administration major after successful completion of a series of prerequisites with the minimum required GPA.

Freshman applicants should apply as Pre-Business in the College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences; transfer applicants should apply as Business Administration in the School of Business.

>> business.ucr.edu

ADDITIONAL MINORS

In addition to the minors listed with their corresponding major, the following minors are also available:

- Applied Statistics
- Athletic Leadership
- Global Climate Change
- Journalism
- Labor Studies
- Law and Society
- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Intersex, and Transgender Studies
- Marxist Studies
- Peace and Conflict
- Science Fiction and Technoculture Studies
- Southeast Asian Studies
- Urban Studies
- Western American Studies

COSTS AND FEES

YOU ARE WORTH IT

The cost of attending UC Riverside is extremely competitive with private institutions and other University of California campuses. UCR offers its students generous financial aid packages and will connect you with scholarships and opportunities to help ease any concerns you may have about affording a university education.

2020-21 ESTIMATED COST OF ATTENDANCE

\$15,565 Tuition and Fees + Supplies and Expenses

(California Resident)	(Out-of-State/International Nonresident)
\$27,640–31,740	\$57,684–67,559

These are estimates based on average student expenses.

Estimates shown are subject to change. Get the details: admissions.ucr.edu/cost



Net Price Calculator

Fill out the form at admissions.ucr.edu/estimate to get an estimate of what your full-time cost of attendance at UCR could be.

admissions.ucr.edu/cost



CONSCIENTIOUS ABOUT COST

>> **The cost of living in Riverside is much lower than metropolitan areas like Los Angeles, Orange County, and San Diego.**

>> **90% of UCR undergraduate students receive some form of financial aid.** (UCR Financial Aid, 2019–20)

>> **UCR graduate's mid-career median salary is \$118,400.** (PayScale.com, 2019–20)

>> **UCR graduates work for high profile companies including Amazon, Apple Inc., Caltrans, Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), EY, Facebook, Goldman Sachs, LinkedIn, Microsoft, PepsiCo, SpaceX, and The Walt Disney Company.** (Career Center Annual Report, 2018–19)

M = Academic minors are also available for these majors.

T = Transfer Selecting major. If applying as a transfer student, specific prerequisite courses must be completed.



FRESHMAN ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

admissions.ucr.edu/freshman

You are considered a freshman applicant if you are in high school or have not yet enrolled in a regular session at a college or university after high school graduation (excluding the summer immediately after graduation). Freshman application filing period: Nov. 1–30.

1.) SUBJECT REQUIREMENT

You must earn a grade of C or better in all “a–g” courses, complete a minimum of 15 college-preparatory (“a–g”) courses as outlined below, and finish 11 courses before your senior year.

- A. History/Social Science:** 2 years
- B. English:** 4 years
- C. Mathematics:** 3 years, 4 recommended (must include Geometry)
- D. Science:** 2 years, 3 recommended
- E. Language Other Than English:** 2 years, 3 recommended
- F. Visual and Performing Arts:** 1 year
- G. College-Preparatory Elective:** 1 year
 - Finish 11 courses before your senior year.
 - You can satisfy “a–g” requirements in other ways: completing college courses; receiving an appropriate score on certain ACT or SAT subject, Advanced Placement (AP), or International Baccalaureate (IB) exams, etc.

2.) GPA REQUIREMENT

- To meet minimum requirements to be considered for UCR admission, you must earn a GPA of 3.0 or higher (3.4 for nonresidents) in “a–g” courses taken during grades 10 and 11 (including summers before and after), weighted by a maximum of eight semesters of UC-approved honors courses.

EXTRA POINTS FOR HONORS COURSES

- A=5, B=4, and C=3; D or F=0 extra points.
- Approved honors-level courses may also include acceptable AP classes, higher- (and some standard-) level IB classes, and transferable college courses.

3.) TEST-FREE FOR FALL 2021

UC Riverside will no longer use standardized exam scores (ACT/SAT) in our comprehensive review and selection process for the fall 2021 admission cycle. If you choose to submit test scores as part of your application, they may be used to determine your eligibility for the California statewide admissions guarantee, as an alternative method of fulfilling minimum requirements for eligibility or for course placement after you enroll.

>> admissions.ucr.edu/myucr

PERSONAL INSIGHT QUESTIONS

As a freshman applicant, you must answer four out of eight questions. As a transfer student, you must answer one required question, plus three out of seven additional questions. It is important that you express who you are, what matters to you, and what you want to share with UCR. Each response is limited to a maximum of 350 words.

>> go.ucr.edu/insight



TRANSFER ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

admissions.ucr.edu/transfer

You are considered a transfer applicant if you registered at a college or university for a regular session (besides the summer after graduation) after completing high school. You may not disregard your college record and apply as a freshman. UCR accepts junior-level transfers and will give priority consideration to those from California Community Colleges. Transfer application filing period: Nov. 1–30 (fall) and July 1–31 (winter).

1.) UC ADMISSION MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- You must complete 60 semester (90 quarter) units of transferable college credit with a minimum GPA of 2.4 (California residents) or 2.8 (nonresidents).
- You must complete, with grades C or better, by the end of spring term prior to transfer:
 - Two courses in English Composition
 - One course in Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning
 - Four courses selected from at least two of the following subject areas: Arts and Humanities, Social and Behavioral Sciences, Physical and Biological Sciences
- Each course must be transferable and worth at least 3 semester (4–5 quarter) units.

2.) TAKE COLLEGE BREADTH (GENERAL EDUCATION) COURSES

Although not required for admission, completing general education or Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) requirements before transferring, gives you more freedom in selecting courses when you enroll at UCR and helps them complete your degree on time.

Learn more about specific IGETC articulation, like course equivalency, breadth, and major requirement satisfaction.*

3.) SATISFY SELECTION CRITERIA FOR YOUR INTENDED MAJOR

- **Marlan and Rosemary Bourns College of Engineering (BCOE)** Students are selected based on academic preparation. Admission is selective based on the GPA in all transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.8 and completion of required major preparatory coursework by the end of the spring term prior to transfer (or by fall prior to transfer for winter applicants).
- **College of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences (CHASS)** Admission is selective based on GPA in all transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.4 and completion of required major preparatory coursework by the end of the spring term prior to transfer. Psychology and Neuroscience

applicants must have a minimum 2.7 in all transferable college coursework. Art (Studio) applicants will be required to submit a portfolio for review. IGETC is recommended.

- **College of Natural and Agricultural Sciences (CNAS)** Students are selected primarily based on academic preparation, as assessed by their GPA in academic coursework and strength of preparation for the intended major. Admission is selective based on GPA in all transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.7. One year of Calculus is required, along with additional Science and/or Math lower-division major preparation.
- **Graduate School of Education (GSOE)** Admission is selective based on the GPA in all transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.4. Applicants can complete IGETC or UCR breadth pattern for GSOE.*
- **School of Business** Admission is selective based on the GPA in all transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.7. Applicants must complete all breadth requirements (or IGETC) and the seven published major prerequisites. IGETC is highly recommended.
- **School of Public Policy (SPP)** Admission is selective based on the GPA in all transferable coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.4. Applicants can complete IGETC or the UCR breadth pattern for SPP.*

Note: GPA for all colleges/majors is a baseline and not a guarantee of admission. Learn more about specific transfer course agreements between California Community Colleges and UCR.*

UC Transfer Admissions Planner (TAP) You can use TAP to enter your completed and planned course work from the start of your college careers or at any point when you decide to transfer to a UC campus. The planner helps you track your progress toward meeting UC’s minimum requirements and allows UC staff to communicate important information to prospective transfer students.

Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) Secure your spot at UCR by meeting certain course and GPA requirements at your California Community College.
>> admissions.ucr.edu/tag

* Visit [ASSIST.org](https://assist.org) for more details.

NONRESIDENT

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

admissions.ucr.edu/out-of-state

admissions.ucr.edu/international

You are considered a nonresident applicant if you are applying as a freshman or transfer student who lives outside of California or the United States. Transfer application filing period: Nov. 1–30 (fall) and July 1–31 (winter).



Start a conversation!

Message an ambassador and get answers from current international UCR students about what it's really like to make such an exciting move to Southern California.

admissions.ucr.edu/intl-chat

INTERNATIONAL FRESHMAN

(You are enrolled in a secondary school or have never enrolled at a university.)

- 1. Complete a rigorous set of courses in secondary school** (Grades 9–12).
- 2. Complete a high level of academic achievement.** To meet minimum requirements to be considered for UC Riverside selection, you must earn a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.4 on a 4.0 scale (equivalent to an 85% on a 100% scale).
- 3. Test-Free For Fall 2021**
UC Riverside will no longer use standardized exam scores (ACT/SAT) in our comprehensive review and selection process for the fall 2021 admission cycle. If you choose to submit test scores as part of your application, they may be used to determine your eligibility for the California statewide admissions guarantee, as an alternative method of fulfilling minimum requirements for eligibility or for course placement after you enroll.

>> admissions.ucr.edu/myucr

- 4. Demonstrate English proficiency** if English is not your native language or language of instruction at school. Visit go.ucr.edu/explore for options, including the TOEFL (80 iBT or higher) and IELTS (6.5 or higher) exams.
 - **Duolingo English Test (DET):** Minimum score of 115 (fall 2021 only).
- 5. Must earn a grade of C or better in all college-preparatory (“a–g”) courses:**

- A. History/Social Science:** 2 years
- B. English:** 4 years
- C. Mathematics:** 3 years, 4 recommended
- D. Laboratory Science:** 2 years, 3 recommended
- E. Language Other Than English:** 2 years, 3 recommended
- F. Visual and Performing Arts:** 1 year
- G. College-Preparatory Elective:** 1 year

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION SYSTEM

For country-specific admission requirements: admissions.ucr.edu/country
For additional questions: admissions.ucr.edu/ask

British Education System

Complete at least 5 IGCSE/GCSE/GCE O-Levels and at least 3 academic GCE A-Level exams to be considered for admission.

China Education System

List all courses and marks, from Grade 9 (year 3 of lower middle school) through Grade 12 (years 1 through 3 of upper middle school) exactly as they appear on your official academic records.

India Education System

You must complete both year X and XII state board, or CBSE examinations, with average marks above 70 and no mark below 60.

INTERNATIONAL TRANSFER

(You have graduated from secondary school and are enrolled in a university program.)

Transfer applicants need to complete specific course requirements and gain high academic achievement to transfer into UCR. View specific admissions requirements and selection criteria:

>> go.ucr.edu/explore

1. Take required classes.

- Complete 60 semester (90 quarter) units of transferable college credit with a minimum GPA of 2.8 out of 4.0 (equivalent to 75% on a 100% scale) or higher.
- Admission is selective, so strive to surpass the minimum GPA. No more than 14 semester (21 quarter) units may be Pass/Not Pass.

2. Complete (with grades C or better) the UC Seven Course Pattern:

- Two courses in English composition
- One course in Mathematical Concepts and Quantitative Reasoning
- Four courses selected from at least two of the following subject areas: Arts and Humanities, Social and Behavioral Sciences, Physical and Biological Sciences

- Each course must be transferable and worth at least three semester (4–5 quarter) units.

3. Meet the requirements for the major.

- Each major has different prerequisites, required GPAs, and overall selection criteria. All transferable coursework is considered, and some majors require a GPA higher than that required for basic admission. You should work to surpass the minimum selection criteria.
- Learn about the selecting major requirements for your desired major: admissions.ucr.edu/preparation
- Questions: admissions.ucr.edu/ask

If you are enrolled in a California Community College, use [ASSIST.org](https://assist.org) to determine which college classes are transferable.

If you are transferring from a California Community College, you may be interested in our Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) program:

>> admissions.ucr.edu/tag



CHOOSE A UNIVERSITY

That sees your individuality and hears your voice.


GET UCR IN
YOUR INBOX!



I am **UNIQUE**. I am **COMMITTED**. I am **REAL**.

#IAMUCR

EXPERIENCE UCR'S CAMPUS FOR YOURSELF



CAMPUS TOURS

Explore UCR on any mobile device, from anywhere in the world. Or, schedule an in-person student-led walking tour.

admissions.ucr.edu/visit



VIRTUAL EVENTS

Schedule a video meeting with a student guide to ask questions and get answers.



FOR FRESHMEN



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CONTACT YOUR FRIENDS AT UCR UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

900 University Ave. | 3106 Student Services Building | Riverside, CA 92521 | U.S.A.

 Domestic: admissions.ucr.edu | International: admissions.ucr.edu/international

 Questions: admissions.ucr.edu/ask  +1 (951) 827-6344



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