

Public Information

The Planning Accreditation Board requires this information be posted for the Bachelor of Science of Urban & Regional Planning at Cal Poly Pomona program.

Student Achievement

In the final year of the BSURP program, students complete a senior project under the guidance of a faculty supervisor. Additionally, the students must present their senior project research in the form of a poster. Members of the Board of Directors of the Inland, Orange, and Los Angeles sections of the American Planning Association, as well as local planning professionals are invited to the poster session, and asked to score the posters using a rubric comprised of five criteria: 1) problem definition, 2) planning knowledge, 3) research design, 4) communication skills, 5) ethical reasoning.

34 senior project posters were presented to local APA chapter board members and planning professionals on May 18, 2023. Overall, the average rating scale was "exceeds expectations." Criterion by criterion:

Problem Definition	--exceeds expectations
Planning Knowledge-Literature	--exceeds expectations
Planning Knowledge- Subfield	--exceeds expectations
Research Design- Explained & Appropriate	--meets expectations
Research Design- Application	--meets expectations
Research Design- Conclusions Appropriately Drawn	--exceeds expectations
Communication Skills- Clarity & Conciseness of Poster	--exceeds expectations
Communication Skills- Orally	--exceeds expectations
Communication Skills- Replied to Questions & Participated in Discussion	--exceeds expectations
Ethical Reasoning- Recognition of Ethical Issues	--exceeds expectations
Ethical Reasoning- Issues such as Public Interest, Governance & Justice	--exceeds expectations

2023-2024 Tuition and Fees

In State Residents, per full-time academic year	\$7,438
Out of State Residents, per full-time academic year	\$19,318

Student Retention Rate

Percentage of students who began studies in fall 2022 and continued into fall 2023	91%
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Student Graduation Rate

Percentage of students graduating within 4 years, entering class of 2019	39%
Percentage of students graduating withing 6 years, entering class of 2018 (for accredited undergrad)	60%

Number of Degrees Awarded

Number of degrees awarded for 2022-2023 Academic Year	61
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AICP Certification

Percentage of bachelor’s graduates taking the AICP exam within 5 years who passed, graduating class of 2017 (for accredited undergrad)	100%
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Employment

Percentage of full-time graduates obtaining professional planning, planning-related, or other positions within 12 months of graduation, graduating class of 2022	68%
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