WHAT YOUR DIGITAL BADGE REPRESENTS

A digital badge is a type of micro-credential that verifies you have demonstrated a particular skill or competency. Each badge is issued by Cal Poly Pomona and includes information about the criteria, learning outcomes, and evidence required to earn it.



For Students

Cal Poly Pomona Digital badges make learning more visible and help translate academic work into skills employers understand, such as communication, teamwork, leadership, or technical competencies.

The value of a digital badge comes from its embedded metadata, which is validated when someone views the badge. Cal Poly Pomona verifies the competencies and skills you demonstrated to earn each badge, helping to build credibility in your academic and professional journey. Digital badges also provide a more comprehensive picture of the type of candidate you are, giving you concrete examples to discuss during interviews.



As the workforce becomes more competitive and artificial intelligence increasingly shapes recruitment and screening processes, the ability to present verified evidence of your learning and experience helps you stand out beyond a résumé or transcript alone.

The Value to Employers

Digital badges provide trusted, detailed insight into what a candidate can actually do, beyond a course title or GPA. Each badge can be clicked to see how it was earned, making it a transparent and credible signal of skill mastery to the recruiter. Think of your digital badge as a translation tool it helps turn your academic work into language employers understand.

Visit CPP Digital Badging to learn more about using your Digital Badge