

The University of California, Davis

Global Study Program

UCDAVIS
Continuing and Professional Education | International

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Presentation Outline

- Why study abroad?
- Why choose UC Davis?
- What does it look like to be a student at UC Davis?
- How can students study abroad at UC Davis?



Why Study Abroad?

- Engage in academic and research opportunities
- Explore a new culture
- Make new friends and establish professional connections
- Prepare for graduate school
- Broaden your career opportunities by improving your English skills
- Grow as a person through new experiences



Why Choose UC Davis?

- One of the world's top public university systems
- Consistently ranked one of the best universities in the world
- An elite, R1-rated university



A Top Tier Public University



Ranked 1st in the nation in agriculture



Ranked 1st in the nation in veterinary medicine



Ranked 1st in the nation for campus sustainability



Ranked 5th nationally for public universities

Top-Ranked Programs – In the US and Globally

- Veterinary Science - #2 in the World
  - QS World University Rankings by Subject, 2025
- Ecology and Evolutionary Biology - #2 in the US
  - U.S. News & World Report's "America's Best Graduate Schools," 2025
- Environmental Engineering - #6 in the World
  - ShanghaiRanking's Global Ranking of Academic Subjects, 2021
- Family Medicine - #7 in the US
  - U.S. News & World Report's "America's Best Graduate Schools," 2022
- Top Public Schools- #9 in the US
  - U.S. News & World Report's "University of California, Davis Rankings", 2025
- Primary Care - #9 in the US
  - U.S. News & World Report's "2025 Best Medical Schools: Primary Care," 2025
- Civil Engineering - #13 in the US
  - U.S. News & World Report's "America's Best Graduate Schools," 2022
- Fine Arts- #15 in the US
  - U.S. News & World Report's "Best Fine Arts Programs," 2025

UC Davis at a Glance

38,347
students

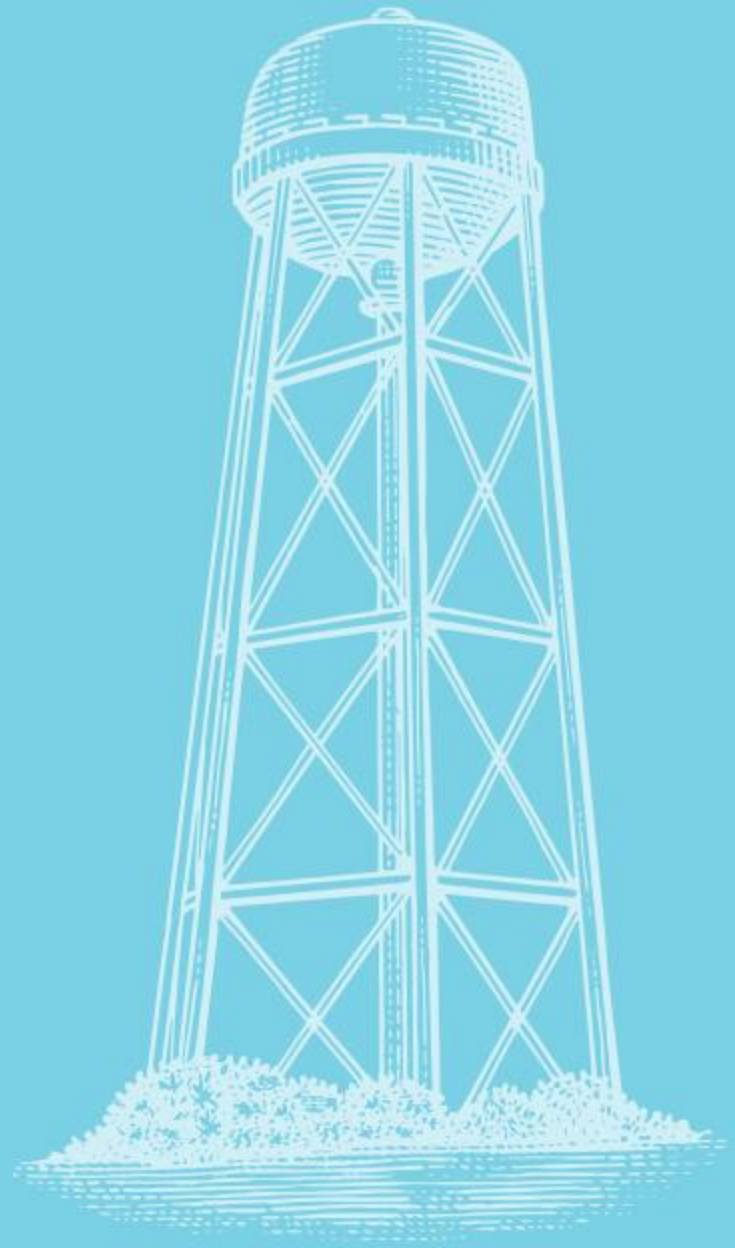
107
academic majors

6
professional schools

625
beds in teaching hospital

101
graduate degrees

21:1
student to faculty ratio



World-Class Research Centers and Institutes



Tahoe Environmental Research Center

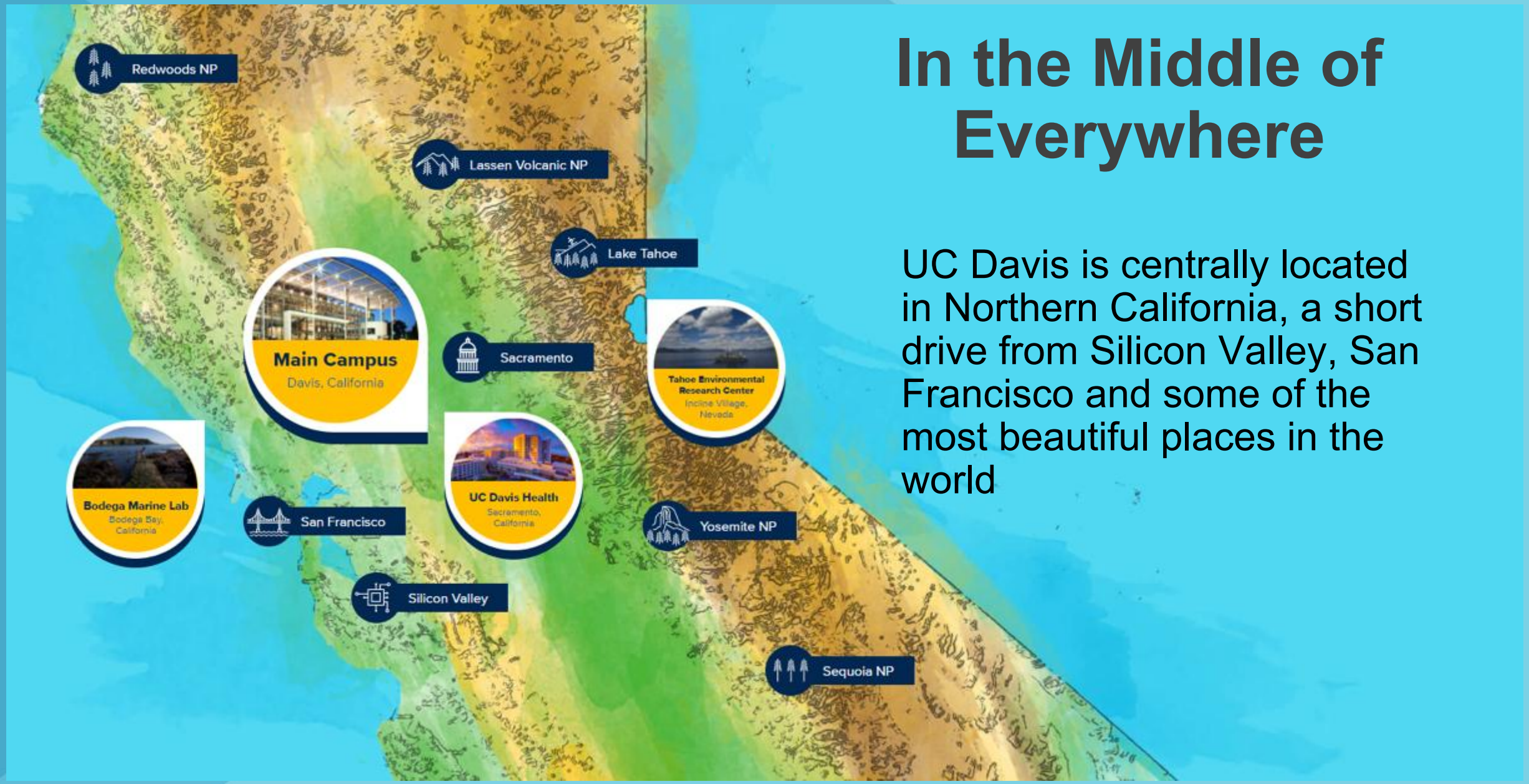


Bodega Marine Laboratory / Coastal Marine Sciences Institute



Honey and Pollination Center

In the Middle of Everywhere



UC Davis is centrally located in Northern California, a short drive from Silicon Valley, San Francisco and some of the most beautiful places in the world



An Extraordinary Campus Experience



A Place Like No Other

UC Davis is warm, welcoming and dynamic, featuring:

- 5,300-acre campus, including the UC Davis Arboretum and Public Gardens
- A progressive community where international students feel comfortable

A Safe, Friendly College Town

- Bike town
- 265 Sunny days a year



The Student Experience

- Bustling campus
- Lively Downtown Davis
- 800 student clubs
- GSP holiday parties
- Outdoor Adventures




Study Abroad at UC Davis with the Global Study Program (GSP)

What is the Global Study Program?

The UC Davis Global Study Program is a unique initiative that combines:

- Elite University of California education
- A supportive environment promoting individual growth, cultural experience, and academic achievement

The mission of the GSP is to enable you, and hundreds of other students from dozens of countries, to feel at home on our campus.



GSP Student Feedback



99% of students would recommend this program to their friends

Review Program Information

- Which terms would you like to study at UC Davis? (Quarters vs Semesters)
- Quarter system: Fall, Winter, Spring and Summer intakes
- What classes would you like to take at UC Davis?
- GSP students may take courses in all undergraduate programs on a space-available basis.
- Visit catalog.ucdavis.edu/courses-subject-code for details
- Official university transcript issued by UC Davis Registrar Office!



Desired Term	Application Deadline
Summer 2026	03/15/2026
Fall 2026	05/01/2026
Winter 2027	10/01/2026
Spring 2027	01/05/2027

Calendar and Fees

$8,600/qtr (over $12,000/quarter as regular)

Summer Session I 2026: 06/22-07/31 (6 weeks)

Summer Session II 2026:08/03-09/11 (6 weeks)

Fall Quarter 2026: 09/23-12/11 (11 weeks)

Winter Quarter 2027:01/04-03/19 (11 weeks)

Spring Quarter 2027: 03/29-06/10 (11 weeks)

How to Apply

Admission Requirements: 3.0 GPA (4.0 Scale), and language requirement, see below

Program Number	GSP Course Schedule	Credits Earned	Entering English Proficiency
1	Full-Time Academic Credit	12-13 academic units	TOEFL 80 IBT / 550 PBT IELTS 6.5(or CET4 493 / CET6 450 / TEM-470 / Duolingo 105 / Itep 5.0)
2	Guided Full-Time Academic Credit	12-13 academic units including one fixed communication-related course	TOEFL 71 IBT / 530 PBT IELTS 6.0



Thank you for your time!

Questions?

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