

Doctor of Pharmacy

Become a pharmacist and help patients live healthier lives. Since 1955, the Thomas J. Long School of Pharmacy has been training pharmacists who are problem-solvers, innovators and leaders. Our accelerated 3-year doctor of pharmacy (PharmD) program has been in place for over 50 years. By choosing University of the Pacific's PharmD program, you will become part of our legacy of excellence and leadership.

Success-centered

We provide an environment where you can thrive. Our faculty and staff are committed to your growth — academically, personally and professionally. The Office of Academic Success and Instructional Support is a valuable resource and can equip you with tools for academic success, including developing a personal learning strategy, mitigating stress and sharpening your memorization skills.

Pacific PharmD graduates have consistently had a higher first-time pass rate for the NAPLEX exam than the national average and many of our graduates go on to complete residencies or fellowships.

Samantha Teshima '22, PharmD matched with a PGY1 residency with Kaiser Permanente San Francisco.

Our faculty and alumni are valuable assets for students who are interested in pursuing postgraduate opportunities.

Leadership-focused

Every year there are 230 leadership positions for Pacific PharmD students, giving you many options to find a health care outreach opportunity that matches your interests. Collaborate with peers and gain the communication and leadership skills you will use every day as you serve your patients.

In 2022, Pacific's student chapter was recognized as a California Pharmacists Association Chapter of Excellence.



STUDENT CHAPTERS
OF PROFESSIONAL
ORGANIZATIONS



PROFESSIONAL PHARMACY FRATERNITIES



HONOR SOCIETIES Our renowned Medicare Part D Outreach Clinics and student-led outreach events will provide you direct access to patients where you will provide vital health care services to members of our community. Pacific's student groups are frequently recognized at the state and national level.

Experiential learning

Learn by doing. By working alongside seasoned professionals, you will get the hands-on experience you need to hone your clinical and patient care skills.

Our 17 clinical experience regions are located across California, from Redding to San Diego. We will place you in each of your clinical rotations and a dedicated faculty member will help guide you every step of the way.

During your time here, you will be immersed in a wide range of practice settings. As you explore the various practice settings, you will find one that's right for you; whether that is a fast-paced hospital environment, a research-based setting, a setting that utilizes your business acumen or a cutting-edge specialty. Our graduates have gone on to own independent pharmacies, hold leadership positions at the national level and secure academic positions at universities across the country.

Dynamic teams are the future of health care. Our interprofessional education curriculum connects students across Pacific's three campuses and from universities across the country. Our PharmD students collaborate with students from Pacific's School of Health Sciences.





Dual degrees

Get the best of both worlds — the hands-on clinical experience of the PharmD program and an immersive research experience through the Pharmaceutical and Chemical Sciences Program. Our PharmD/MS and PharmD/PhD graduates are in high demand in industry and academia.

Learn more at pacific.edu/pharmacy/pcsp

Powerful alumni network

Our alumni are the core of the Pacific family. Network with alumni at events held on campus and at state and national conferences. Many of our alumni are actively involved with and hold leadership positions in local, state and national professional organizations. Our robust alumni network gives you the opportunity to create connections that will help you conquer the job market, attain competitive postgraduate training opportunities and support your professional journey.

Research driven

At Pacific, you will have the opportunity to work alongside our faculty members on cutting-edge research. Our faculty members use research to challenge the status quo of patient care and education. Their research covers a wide spectrum of topics, including drug delivery, drug design, mental health and patient care.

\$1.15M NIH GRANT

Melanie A. Felmlee, PhD is conducting research focused on the differences in the way males and females process GHB.

Early Action Apply by September 1 and receive priority in the review of your application and selection of scholarships. You will be notified of your status within one week of your interview.



"As a little girl, I always admired the work of pharmacists and how they interacted with medications and patients. So when I found out about Pacific's accelerated program it really interested me. Then I came to Fall Open House and interacted with the faculty and I really felt like I belonged."

Keerat Kandola

HOW TO APPLY

You can earn a PharmD in three years, with or without a bachelor's degree, as long as you have completed at least 68 units in specific prerequisite courses. Since interview slots are limited, it is to your advantage to apply as early as possible. Apply early to receive priority review of your application and selection of scholarships.

Application deadlines

Early Action — September 1

Priority Application Deadline — First week of October

Final Application Deadline — February 1

PharmCAS

- PharmCAS Application
- Essay
- □ Transcripts
- World Educational Services International Credential Advantage Package*
- ☐ AP/IB/CLEP test scores*
- ☐ TOEFL or IELTS score*
- Application fee

University of the Pacific Supplemental PharmD Application

- Essay
- ☐ Two letters of recommendation
- ☐ Visa information*

*If applicable



Prerequisites	Semesters	Quarters	Lab required for each term
Calculus	1	2	
Physics	1	1	✓
General Chemistry	2	3	✓
Organic Chemistry	2	3	✓
General Biology	2	3	✓
Physiology	1	1	✓
Microbiology	1	1	Recommended
English Composition	2	2	
Public Speaking	1	1	
Economics	1	1	
Psychology	1	1	

Two additional general education courses are required for candidates entering without a U.S. bachelor's degree.

Learn more at pacific.edu/pharmacy/pharmd/prereqs

Tuition and Fees	First Year (3 semesters)	Second Year (3 semesters)	
Tuition and Fees* 2022-23 Academic Year	\$84,413	\$84,413	\$55,656

^{*}Does not include room and board

In 2022-23, our PharmD students were awarded \$612,500 in scholarships. A portion of our scholarships is set aside for incoming students.

Pacific is a smart investment; we ranked in the top 2 percent in alumni earnings according to Georgetown University.

Stockton is the most diverse city in the United States according to the U.S. News and World Report.



OUR CAMPUS

The School's classrooms, labs, faculty offices, health sciences library, café and residence halls are all conveniently located on the University's North Campus.

Our campus has been named one of the most beautiful campuses in the country, but don't take our word for it — come see for yourself. Take a tour, grab lunch and experience all Pacific has to offer.

Learn more at pacific.edu/pharmacy/visit

Chan Family Hall

Located on North Campus and a five-minute walk to class, the Chan Family Hall is a fully-furnished four-person, four-bedroom apartment style housing community. Every apartment has a shared kitchen, living room, dining room and two bathrooms. Learn more at **pacific.edu/housing**



Campus safety

Pacific is one of two private universities in California whose officers have full police officer authority, giving them the ability to focus on keeping us safe, 24/7.

We love Stockton — and you will too

Walk to the Miracle Mile for unique local restaurants and live music. Head downtown to watch a movie or cheer on the Stockton Ports and Stockton Kings. Explore Stockton at <u>visitstockton.org</u>



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