

International Graduate Admission

If you have questions throughout this process, please contact International Enrollment Services. Our graduate enrollment counselor will be happy to assist you. Contact the counselor at intlgrad@apu.edu.

Azusa Pacific University employs a rolling admission policy for university admission and accepts students year-round; however, each program may have its own application deadlines, tuition, and procedures. Applicants may also apply online at apu.edu/apply/grad/.

Your Application Checklist

Please complete the enclosed International Application for Graduate Admission. Download any additional forms necessary for your program at apu.edu/gpc/download/. In all cases, save copies of the documents you submit.

ITEMS REQUIRED BY INTERNATIONAL ENROLLMENT SERVICES:

- Completed International Application for Graduate Admission (attached)
- \$45 nonrefundable application fee
- A letter to the dean (may include autobiographical sketch or letter of intent as required by the program to which you are applying)
- Letters of recommendation (forms available at apu.edu/apply/forms/)
- Statement of experience or résumé
- Official transcript(s) (An official transcript is one which Azusa Pacific University receives unopened in an envelope sealed by the former institution and which bears the official seal of the college or university.) Official transcripts are required for degrees, certificates, and credentials earned prior to application to APU. Official transcripts for other college coursework not leading to a degree, certificate, or credential may be required by the department for program consideration. Transcripts must be in the original language and in English.
- Please read the English proficiency requirements at apu.edu/international/enrollment/requirements/proficiency/.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS:

- Affidavit of Financial Support (attached)
- Current official bank statement
- Copy of passport (information page)

Azusa Pacific University is authorized under federal law by the U.S. CIS and the U.S. Department of State to enroll nonimmigrant alien undergraduate and graduate students as well as intensive English students who study at the Azusa campus. APU issues and administers both the I-20 and DS2019 (F-1 and J-1 status documents, respectively).

Upon the student's acceptance to APU, the university will issue the student an I-20 or DS2019, which must be taken to a United States Embassy/Consulate to obtain a student visa. If deemed necessary, APU reserves the right to require one year's tuition payment in advance before issuing the I-20 or DS2019.

Keep this page for your records.

RESOURCES

International Graduate Admission Requirements

apu.edu/international/enrollment/requirements/graduate

English Proficiency Requirements

apu.edu/international/enrollment/requirements/proficiency

Program-specific Requirements and Program Codes

apu.edu/gpc/admissions/requirements/program

Supplemental Forms

apu.edu/gpc/download

International Application Deadlines

apu.edu/international/enrollment/requirements/deadlines

Costs and Scholarships Information

apu.edu/international/enrollment/tuition

Graduate Academic Calendar

apu.edu/calendar/academic

Disclosure of Student Records

apu.edu/gpc/registrar/policies

International Application for Graduate Admission



Today's date _____	Program code _____	Emphasis _____	Student ID#
Codes available at apu.edu/gpc/admissions/requirements/program			

GENERAL INFORMATION

Beginning term: Fall Spring Summer Beginning year: _____

Program location: Azusa Los Angeles Orange County San Diego

APU is able to issue I-20s for the following regional centers for appropriate programs: Los Angeles, Orange County, and San Diego. Not all degree programs are available at the regional centers.

Name (as on passport: Last (family), First (given), Middle)	Social Security number (Providing your SSN assists us with identifying duplicate records.)
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Home Country Address (Street, City, State, ZIP, Country)	Country of Citizenship
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Mailing Address (Street, City, State, ZIP, Country)	Other contact account (Wechat, Skype, Kakao Chat)
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Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email
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Maiden name and any previous names used on academic records

Will your APU graduate program be conducted solely online? Yes No

Will your APU graduate program require you to attend a U.S. campus for more than two weeks? Yes No

Was your undergraduate education conducted in English? Yes No Fluent languages _____

Was your graduate education conducted in English? Yes No Not applicable

Will you be applying to APU's American Language and Culture Institute? Yes No

Residency: Not a U.S. citizen/U.S. permanent resident: Current visa, if any _____ Pending U.S. permanent resident

(If you are a U.S. permanent resident, on asylum, or refugee, you must contact the Graduate and Professional Center at (626) 815-4570.)

This section is for institutional use only; completion is optional. This information is not used for admission consideration.

Do you identify as Hispanic or Latino? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Religious preference	
How are you most comfortable describing yourself? (Please check all that apply.) <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> White	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Birth date (Month, Day, Year)

PERSONAL HISTORY

Is your spouse currently employed by the university? No Yes Division/Department _____

Have you previously applied for admission to Azusa Pacific University? No Yes If yes, as: Undergraduate Graduate ALCI
Date applied _____

Have you previously enrolled at Azusa Pacific University? No Yes

If yes: Dates attended _____ Program/major _____ Student ID _____
Degree earned: B.A./B.S. M.A./M.S./M.A.Ed./M.Div./MBA
 Other _____ Date earned _____

PREVIOUS EDUCATION

As applicable, request official transcripts be sent to International Enrollment Services for each institution you list below; for full transcript policy, visit apu.edu/gpc/admissions/application/transcripts/.

Table with 6 columns: Universities/colleges attended where a degree, credential, or certificate was earned; Location (city, state, country); Dates (From, To); Degree earned with major, credential, or certificate; Graduation date (month, year); Units earned.

How did you hear about Azusa Pacific University?

- Alumni, Friend, Staff, Faculty, Information meeting, Web search, Publication (please list name), Educational fair (please list location), Other (please specify)

List your academic honors, awards, scholarships, or publications.

Which of the following have you taken/intend to take?

Table with 4 columns: Taken/Intend to take checkboxes, Test Name (CSET, CBEST, GMAT, GRE, MAT, PRAXIS, TOEFL, IELTS, TSE, TWE, Other), and Score line.

List persons whom you have asked to write letters of recommendation. (You must sign the APU recommendation form to indicate your choice to waive access or not.)

At the discretion of the academic department, applicants may be invited for an oral interview and asked to demonstrate writing skills.

Have you ever been found guilty, or responsible for, any criminal or military offense, excluding traffic violations, either as a juvenile or adult?

- Yes, No

If yes, please provide a brief explanation:

STATEMENT OF AGREEMENT

Please read the following carefully before signing:

As a Christian university, we uphold the following statement of mission and purpose: Azusa Pacific University is an evangelical Christian community of disciples and scholars who seek to advance the work of God in the world through academic excellence in liberal arts and professional programs of higher education that encourage students to develop a Christian perspective of truth and life. Students do not have to be Christians, but need to understand that they will encounter learning about the Christian faith.

If admitted to Azusa Pacific University, you are expected to abide by the rules and regulations of Azusa Pacific University as contained in the current Graduate and Professional Catalog, Standards of Conduct, and departmental brochures. It is your responsibility to review the current Graduate and Professional Catalog before or after being admitted to the university and to be aware of the policies outlined. (The Graduate and Professional Catalog is available at catalog.apu.edu.)

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. If my application is accepted, I agree to abide by the policies, standards, and regulations at Azusa Pacific University and respect the ideals, principles, and traditions it upholds as a Christian institution of higher learning. I authorize the university to verify the information I have provided. I further understand that this information will be relied upon by the officials of the university in determining my admission status and that the submission of false information is grounds for rejection of my application, withdrawal of an offer of acceptance, dismissal from the university, revocation of a degree, and/or other disciplinary action.

Azusa Pacific University's Annual Security Report includes statistics for the previous three years concerning reported crimes that occurred on campus, in certain off-campus property owned or controlled by Azusa Pacific University, and on public property within, or immediately accessible from, the campus. The report includes institutional policies concerning campus security, such as sexual assault and other matters. You can obtain a copy of this report by contacting the Department of Campus Safety at (626) 815-3898 or online at apu.edu/campusafety/clery/.

Applicant's signature _____ Date (Month, Day, Year) _____

(Azusa Pacific University does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, age, sex, disability, or status as a veteran in any of its policies, practices, or procedures.)

AFFIDAVIT OF FINANCIAL SUPPORT

To be completed by the applicant:

Applicant's name (as on passport: Last, First, Middle)

Mailing Address (Street, City, State, ZIP, Country)

Please complete the following if your spouse or children under 21 will be living with you while you are attending APU:

Name (as on passport)	Relationship to student (spouse/son/daughter)	Date of Birth (month/day/year)	Country of Birth	Citizenship

Additional support must be available yearly in the amount of \$12,000 (U.S.) for your spouse and \$10,500 (U.S.) for each child listed.

To be completed by the sponsor:

(If the applicant will be his/her own sponsor, the applicant must also complete this section and sign below.)

This form must be accompanied by the sponsor's current bank statement or letter from the sponsor's bank. The bank statement/letter must indicate how much money is available to cover the applicant's educational expenses.

Sponsor's Name (Last, First, Middle)

Address (Street, City, State, ZIP, Country)		Date of Birth (Month, Day, Year)
Phone	Fax	Email

Sponsor's relationship to applicant

How many people are you supporting financially for educational purposes in addition to this applicant (include your own family members)?

CERTIFICATION OF RESPONSIBILITY

To the sponsor: Please agree to the following by signing below.

This is to certify that I/we will assume financial responsibility for education-related expenses and support of the above-named applicant during the course of his/her attendance at Azusa Pacific University. I/we understand that each term the full tuition and fees must be paid at the time of registration for classes. In addition, I/we will assume financial responsibility in the amount of \$12,000 (U.S.) for the applicant's spouse and \$10,500 (U.S.) per child if indicated above that the spouse and/or children will be living with the student.*

Sponsor's signature _____ Date (Month, Day, Year) _____

*For more details, please visit apu.edu/international/enrollment/tuition/. (Costs for your program may be higher and are subject to change without notice.)

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