Welcome to the University of Southern California.

This self-guided tour will introduce you to the beautiful University Park Campus and its various points of interest. Within this guide you will find a map to help you stay on route, as well as information about nearby entertainment and cultural venues. Depending on your pace and how often you make stops to soak up your surroundings, you can expect to spend 60 to 90 minutes on this tour.

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The 150,000-square-foot Ronald Tutor Campus Center houses our Admission Center, Alumni Center, the First Generation Plus Success Center, student offices and workspace, multipurpose areas for meetings and gatherings, a wide variety of dining options—including a full service restaurant and performance venues. The building’s International Plaza provides students a welcoming outdoor space for dining, lounging and studying.
The Student Union remains one of the main hubs for extracurricular campus life. Housed inside are offices for cultural centers such as the Center for Black Cultural and Student Affairs, Asian Pacific American Student Services, the Latinx Chicanx Center for Advocacy and Student Affairs, and the LGBTQ+ Student Center. Here you will also find the USC Pharmacy, the Career Center, and the Daily Trojan, USC’s student-run newspaper.

As the long-standing and nationally recognized sister school to the Marshall School of Business, the Leventhal School of Accounting prepares students to achieve the highest levels of success in the accounting profession. All undergraduate accounting majors follow the business administration track for their first two years, then devote their last two years to accounting.
Housed in the Musick Law Building, the USC Gould School of Law was founded as Southern California’s first law school in 1900. From Silicon Beach to downtown L.A., USC Gould offers students access to clerkships, externships and career options with law and business firms, public interest agencies, and entertainment, media and technology firms.

Passing by: Hoffman Hall (Marshall School of Business) and Barrack Hall (Marshall School of Business)

Dedicated in 1930, the Mudd Hall of Philosophy has become a distinct and recognizable landmark on the University Park Campus. It currently houses the Hoose Library, one of the best collections of philosophy texts in the world, along with classrooms and faculty offices.
Harris Hall

Art and Design

Harris Hall serves as headquarters for our Roski School of Art and Design. The School offers three undergraduate degrees: the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Art (BFA Art), the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Design (BFA Design), and the Bachelor of Art in Art (BA Art). In addition to challenging themselves in a rigorous academic program, students at Roski have interned at a wide variety of companies and institutions including MTV, ABC, Sony Pictures and the J. Paul Getty Museum.

Watt Hall

Architecture

The oldest of its kind in Southern California, the USC School of Architecture (located in Watt Hall) offers four- and five-year programs and provides study abroad opportunities in Europe and Asia. Its distinguished alumni include Pritzker Prize winners Thom Mayne and Frank Gehry, as well as renowned African American architect Paul Williams.
Engineered and designed to maximize collaboration and the unrestricted flow of ideas, the 40,000-square-foot Iovine and Young Hall includes a fabrication lab; a rapid-prototyping lab with 3D printing and laser cutting capabilities; a multimedia lab for photo, video, audio and motion capture; a podcast booth; and outdoor lounge with views of Exposition Park; and so much more.
Here on the southwest side of campus, you will find Ronald Tutor Hall and many other buildings associated with the Viterbi School of Engineering. In addition to having state-of-the-art classrooms and research facilities, Tutor Hall provides students the opportunity to build community and socialize at its popular café and in the Baum Family Student Center, a spacious lounge on the second floor.

This building houses the Davis School of Gerontology, the oldest and largest school of gerontology in the world. A pioneer in the field, the Davis School offered the world’s first PhD program in Gerontology, the first joint master’s degree with Gerontology and Business Administration and the first undergraduate Health Science track in Gerontology.
Michelson Center for Convergent Bioscience

The Michelson Center brings together the best minds from the Dornsife College of Letters, Arts and Sciences; the USC Viterbi School of Engineering; the Keck School of Medicine of USC; the USC School of Cinematic Arts; and the Information Sciences Institute. Since its grand opening in fall 2017, the Michelson Center has been breaking interdisciplinary barriers and working to solve the most daunting health and medical challenges of our times.

Seeley G. Mudd Building

SGM is home to several of our Dornsife College of Letters, Arts and Sciences classes, as well as some Health Promotion and Disease Prevention classes. HPDP, as it is commonly called, is a unique option for students who want to focus on the psychological, biological and policy aspects of health and well-being.
Grace Ford Salvatori Hall
*Letters, Arts and Sciences*

Another hub for USC’s largest academic unit, the Dornsife College of Letters, Arts and Sciences, GFS provides space for discussion sections where students delve more deeply into critical concepts and materials. These sections bring a smaller, more tight-knit feel to USC’s larger, entry-level classes. Additionally, GFS houses the office for Disability Services and Programs.

*Passing by: Physical Education Building (home to ROTC)*

USC Bookstore

The Official Store of USC, USC Bookstore serves the academic and spirit needs of students, faculty, staff, alumni and fans. In addition to textbooks and course materials, the store offers a wide selection of school supplies, computer equipment, designer clothing, gifts and Trojan souvenirs. Exclusive USC styles are available here, including custom-designed shirts and shoes created on site.
The newest addition to the Annenberg School for Communication and Journalism, the 88,000-square-foot Wallis Annenberg Hall combines tradition and technological innovation. Students and staff in the Public Relations, Journalism and Communication programs can take advantage of its converged media center, classrooms for multimedia content creation, café and numerous meeting areas. Its exterior is a blend of Romanesque and neo-Gothic elements.
Katherine B. Loker Track Stadium/ Cromwell Field

Home to the men’s and women’s track and field teams, this stadium also provides a playing field for a wide array of club and intramural sports. The five obelisks in the northeast corner of the stadium celebrate USC’s strong Olympic tradition.

Heritage Hall

Trojan Athletics makes its home in Heritage Hall, where the coaches’ and athletic administration offices can be found. Heritage Hall also boasts a beautiful display of USC’s six Heisman Trophies, numerous national championship awards and other prestigious athletic accolades.
Students within the USC School of Cinematic Arts take classes across seven divisions that cover the breadth of film, television and interactive media. The School’s state-of-the-art facilities include classrooms, sound stages, post-production facilities, editing labs, screening rooms, and meeting rooms that give students space for their computing and collaboration needs.

**Did You Know?**

Cinema students have enough resources available to them to produce a feature-length film without ever leaving campus.
The Norris Dental Science Center is where students within the Herman Ostrow School of Dentistry are able to hone their skills as dental practitioners. Under the supervision of our expert faculty, USC dental students are able to provide comprehensive, state-of-the-art services at a fraction of the cost offered by most private clinics.

The interior of this building was designed to celebrate movement, all the way down to the way the hallways curve through the building. The Kaufman International Dance Center includes six dance studios, one of which is a 3,591-square-foot performance space that can be converted from studio into proscenium stage venue with the use of 140 motorized retractable seats and wings. Its grand opening was in 2016.
The USC Village is a town center comprising 1.2 million square feet of retail and residential space, including Trader Joe’s, Target Express, Starbucks, Bank of America, Cava, Trejo’s Tacos and various other dining and public spaces. Eight residential colleges provide 2,500 beds for USC students.
USC VILLAGE RETAIL DIRECTORY

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**USC Village Fun Facts**

- **1.4 M**: USC Village is composed of 1.4 million bricks.
- **250**: The USC Village project utilized the work of 250 different companies, including ones owned by veterans and minorities.
- **1 M**: All construction at USC Village was completed by union labor.
- **Low-flow water fixtures and LED lights help keep the USC Village sustainable.**
- **Christopher Slatoff**, the sculptor of the Hecuba statue, also sculpted the on-campus statue of USC’s founder, Judge Robert Widney. Slatoff’s work also includes “Enduring Heroes”, a memorial to fallen soldiers in Pasadena, California.
- **All first-year residential colleges participate in the Residential College Cup, a year-long contest consisting of athletic, trivia, service and talent challenges.**
1. **Jefferson Boulevard Entrance**
With its grand opening in summer 2017, the USC Village became the largest development project in the history of USC and one of the largest in the history of South Los Angeles. This 15-acre addition to the University Park Campus is built in the Collegiate Gothic style and modeled after a medieval Tuscan village. It provides a critical gathering space for students and the surrounding neighborhood and includes retail and restaurant spaces that are open to the public, as well as student housing, classrooms, a residential dining hall and a fitness center. The Village’s walkways are made up of enough concrete to build a sidewalk from Los Angeles to Las Vegas.

2. **Statue of Hecuba, Queen of Troy**
Created by sculptor Christopher Slatoff, Hecuba stands as the centerpiece of USC Village. As queen, Hecuba proved to be a resilient protector of Troy, inspiring Trojans to fight on in the face of impossible odds, and her presence here celebrates the women of USC. The women at Hecuba’s base—African, Asian, Caucasian, Latina, Native American and Eastern Mediterranean—represent the diversity of the Trojan Family, as well as the breadth of academic offerings at USC. Behind her is a large Coast Live Oak, one of the 390 evergreen native species trees at USC Village. Hecuba gestures outward to welcome the Trojan Family and surrounding community.

3. **Target, Trader Joe’s, and More**
USC Village’s 1.25 million square feet of building space include a wide array of retail and restaurant options, all of which are open to the public. Anchored by Target and Trader Joe’s, many types of shops and services can be found throughout the Village. Restaurants offer everything from Mexican and Mediterranean to organic foods, burgers and ice cream. You will also find an Amazon store, a FedEx office, a nail salon, and a mobility hub. The USC Roski Eye Institute provides optical services in the Village, as well.

Receiving unanimous approval from the Los Angeles City Council, the USC Village project established strong partnerships with the surrounding neighborhood. Local residents made up more than 20 percent of the construction labor, and hundreds of permanent full- and part-time jobs have been created by the businesses in the Village. USC also pledged $16 million to the construction of the new Fire Station 15, now located on Hoover Street, and has committed $20 million to Los Angeles’s Affordable Housing Trust Fund.

4. **Fitness Center/Exit on Jefferson Boulevard (Next to CIC)**
Also home to the Cale and Irani Residential Colleges and retail shops, this building features the USC Village Fitness Center. The fitness center provides 30,000 square feet for cardio, weights and group exercise. It offers fitness classes, personal training, and equipment rental, among other amenities. USC Village also has ample space for bicycles, including repair stations and racks to accommodate more than 1,400 bicycles.

USC Village
Residential Colleges

All residential colleges at USC follow the Oxford model, which combines living and learning, often around a specific theme. USC Village features eight residential colleges: McCarthy Honors College, Nemirovsky and Bohnett, Cowlings and Ilium, Cale and Irani, and Priam. These buildings have increased USC’s undergraduate housing capacity by nearly 25 percent.

**Bohnett**
David C. Bohnett ’78, a Trustee of USC, is a philanthropist and entrepreneur who founded GeoCities.com, a pioneering e-commerce company. The Bohnett Residential College focuses on social justice through entrepreneurship, fostering an environment where its residents use innovation to tackle social issues, such as diversity and inclusion, homelessness, and college access.

**Cale**
USC Trustee Charles Cale ’66 and his wife Jessie Cale ’74 are the namesakes of Cale Residential College, which is devoted to fostering its residents’ global perspectives. Through dialogue and partnerships with various campus departments, students learn about various critical issues the world is facing.

**Cowlings**
Students in Cowlings Residential College engage with the arts and culture of Los Angeles, including movies, plays, fashion design and music.

**Ilium**
Ilium Residential College houses second-year honors students. As a continuation of McCarthy Honors College, Ilium allows residents to further develop a sense of community and interact directly with faculty in residence.

**Irani**
USC Trustee Ray Irani, PhD ’57, has served as Occidental Petroleum Corporation’s chairman and CEO. Residents of the Irani Residential College explore performance science, which focuses on mind, body and business. Through interdisciplinary learning, students discover how to maximize their performance in both individual and organizational settings.

**McCarthy**
The Kathleen L. McCarthy Honors College is home to freshman honors students. It comprises a variety of suite formats, housing three, four, or eight students per suite. It also features study lounges, laundry rooms and a visually stunning dining hall. Residents receive faculty mentoring and participate in events that foster community building and holistic development.

**Nemirovsky**
USC Trustee Shelly Nemirovsky ’85 and her husband, Ofer, are the namesakes of Nemirovsky Residential College. Students living in this college focus on environmental, social, and economic sustainability. By developing their leadership skills and knowledge, residents of Nemirovsky engage with sustainability challenges worldwide.

**Priam**
Priam Residential College fosters its residents’ passion for science, technology and design. Students of all majors are encouraged to develop innovative solutions to global challenges.
Ramo Hall and Booth Hall

Music

These two halls constitute the main buildings for the Thornton School of Music and include classrooms and sound-proof practice rooms. One of the oldest and most distinguished music schools in the country, the School’s conservatory-style curriculum attracts internationally renowned faculty artists, produces more than 500 concerts every year, and remains the only university music school to broadcast a radio program in a major media market.

Queen’s Court

Cinematic Arts and Dramatic Arts

Queen’s Court is flanked on either side by the Eileen L. Norris Cinema Theater and the Bing Theatre. Part of the USC School of Cinematic Arts, the Norris Theater serves as a classroom as well as a general movie theatre for on-campus screenings. As the largest of USC’s four on-campus theatre performance spaces, the Bing Theatre seats 550 people to accommodate the needs of the School of Dramatic Arts’ large-scale productions.
The Taper Hall of Humanities (THH) serves as home to USC Dornsife’s departments of Comparative Literature, English and several foreign languages. Numerous General Education courses are taught throughout its undergraduate lecture halls. In addition, two academic resource facilities are located on the top floors of THH: the Writing Center and the Language Center.

Named for former U.S. Ambassador and founder of Seventeen Magazine and TV Guide, Walter Annenberg, the School remains a leader in the fields of communication, journalism and public relations. Students have the opportunity to receive hands-on experience by participating in Annenberg TV News, Annenberg News Radio and other student publications.
On a typical day at USC, Trousdale Parkway is bustling with students and professors. As the main thoroughfare on campus, Trousdale has become a center of student activity and the location of key events such as the Undergraduate Research Symposium, the Involvement Fair, the Career Fair, and the Internship Fair, to name just a few.

Trojan Fact

USC has one of the largest international student populations in the country. The flags lining the walkways of the Center for International and Public Affairs represent the geographic diversity of our student body.
Waite Phillips Hall is home to the Rossier School of Education, which works to improve learning opportunities and outcomes in urban settings and to address disparities that affect historically marginalized groups. Rossier teaches students to value and respect the cultural context of the communities in which they work and to interrogate the systems of power that shape policies and practices.

As one of USC’s 23 libraries, Leavey offers computers, printing stations and soundproof rooms to facilitate studying and research. It also stays open 24 hours a day, seven days a week to accommodate every student’s busy schedule.

**Trojan Fact**
The USC library system houses more than four million volumes of books.
The 14,000-square-foot Social Work Center was built in 2003 to accommodate the growing needs of the Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work. The centerpiece of this facility is a smart classroom that maximizes wireless multimedia technology and video-conferencing capabilities, one of the most advanced classrooms of its type on campus.

McCarthy Quad serves as the hub of student life, especially for first year students. Surrounding the Quad are several of our 11 residence halls and suites. Nearby Marks Tower and Pardee Tower compose the South Area Residential College. All first year students are housed in residential colleges with faculty in residence. Every Wednesday during the school year, McCarthy Quad hosts a bustling farmers market.
Widney Alumni House

Upon USC’s founding in 1880, the Alumni House (California Historical Landmark #536) stood as the university’s first and only building, accommodating 53 students and 10 faculty members. It now serves the Alumni Association, which comprises more than 437,000 Trojans worldwide.

Trojan Fact

This house has been moved four times since 1880. It was originally located at the corner of Watt Way and Hellman Way, where the Annenberg School for Communication and Journalism Building (25) now stands.

Fertitta Hall

Fertitta Hall is the newest addition to the Marshall School of Business. It features 20 classrooms, 50 state-of-the-art breakout rooms, a lounge, a café and outdoor seating. Marshall’s prestigious faculty, location in Los Angeles, and access to an active alumni network make this program one of the leading business schools in the nation.
This beautifully constructed hall serves as the main headquarters for the Price School of Public Policy, which combines practical hands-on work with a solid theoretical foundation.

**Trojan Fact**

The average class size at USC is 26 students, with a student-to-faculty ratio of eight to one. All General Education classes are taught by full-time tenured or tenure-track faculty.

**Doheny Memorial Library**

The oldest research library on the USC campus, Doheny comprises nine separate floors that house approximately 790,000 books. Doheny also boasts impressive architectural features such as marble pillars and a stained-glass study room known as the “Intellectual Commons”. Students, staff and visitors can find indoor and outdoor seating areas and a peaceful place for study or conversation in Doheny’s quaint coffee shop, LiteraTea.
Bovard Administration Building and Auditorium

The second oldest concert hall in Los Angeles, Bovard Auditorium seats nearly 1,250 people. Throughout the year, the auditorium hosts special events, speakers and performances for our Visions and Voices arts and humanities series. Past participants have included authors Isabel Allende and David Sedaris, the Diavolo Dance Theatre, and the world’s most acclaimed tap dancer, Savion Glover. Additionally, John Williams conducted a performance of several film scores in this auditorium. Bovard also houses the offices of the university president, provost and other members of the senior administration.
Originally called the Trojan Shrine, this handsome statue was installed in 1930 to commemorate USC's 50th anniversary. On Tommy's pedestal are the five ideal attributes of a Trojan: faithful, scholarly, skillful, courageous and ambitious. These traits distinguish USC graduates both in Los Angeles and around the globe. Tommy Trojan is a true symbol of USC.
Exposition Park

The California Science Center
Originally opened in 1912, the California Science Center is a state-of-the-art education facility designed to show visitors the role of science and technology in everyday life. See a movie on the seven-story screen of the IMAX Theater or check out one (or more!) of their fascinating exhibits on Ecosystems and/or Air & Space—including the chance to see the space shuttle Endeavor! www.californiasciencecenter.org

The Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum
The Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum has played an instrumental role in the sporting traditions of Los Angeles and serves as the home of USC Football. The Coliseum opened in 1923, with the first football game played on October 6 between USC and Pomona College. It is the only facility in the world to have hosted two Olympiads, two Superbowls and one World Series. It is also currently home to the LA Giltinis Rugby team. www.lacoliseum.com

The Natural History Museum
This crown jewel of Los Angeles’ museums opened its doors in 1913. The largest natural and historical museum in the Western United States, it houses over 35 million artifacts. Some of the more prominent exhibits include the Dueling Dinosaurs display, artifacts from pre-Columbian culture, and early Hollywood memorabilia. Also serving as an active research center, the Natural History Museum spans many fields. www.nhm.org

California African American Museum
Opened in 1984 during the XXIII Olympiad, this 44,000-square-foot facility has earned a special place in the hearts of Angelenos. Its various exhibits, extensive visual arts collection and educational center help document and preserve a unique cultural and historical legacy. www.caamuseum.org

Exposition Park Rose Garden
Although thousands of people visit this beautiful oasis in South Los Angeles every year, the Rose Garden provides a peaceful place for a quiet walk, contemplation or picture-taking. www.laparks.org/exporosegarden/rosegarden.htm

Banc of California Stadium
With its grand opening in 2018, the stadium brought the world’s favorite sport—soccer—to one of Los Angeles’ esteemed historic districts. The LEED silver certified stadium accommodates 22,000 fans, with the closest seat to the field being only 12 feet from the touchline. It also features EV charging stations and 125,000 square feet of walkways and plazas that are open to the public. www.lafc.com/stadium

Lucas Museum of Narrative Art
Founded by filmmaker George Lucas, the Lucas Museum of Narrative Art will be the first of its kind, celebrating the art of visual storytelling. An expansive collection of fine and popular art will explore the creative process and provide educational opportunities for those wanting to learn more about storytelling and cinema. Set to open in 2023, the museum is poised to transform Exposition Park and the surrounding community. lucasmuseum.org
Downtown Los Angeles

Entertainment Venues

L.A. Live
Enjoy a one-of-a-kind experience at this entertainment district in the heart of Downtown L.A., adjacent to Staples Center. Choose from a wide selection of world and California cuisines, attend a concert at Novo by Microsoft or the Conga Room, see a movie at Regal Cinemas, bowl a few games at the Lucky Strike, or take in an event at Microsoft Theater. Learn more at www.lalive.com or visit their events calendar at www.lalive.com/events/events.

Museums

The Broad Museum
Built by philanthropists Eli and Edythe Broad, the Broad is L.A.’s newest contemporary art museum. The 120,000-square-foot, $140-million museum houses the nearly 2,000 works of art in the Broad collection—one of the most prestigious holdings of postwar and contemporary art worldwide. Featuring two floors of gallery space, the museum is also the headquarters of The Broad Art Foundation’s worldwide lending library. www.thebroad.org

Museum of Contemporary Art
Established in 1979, MOCA is Los Angeles’ leading museum dedicated to the collection and preservation of art produced after 1940. With over 5,000 works in permanent residence, this invaluable cultural resource provides educational and enjoyment opportunities to thousands of visitors. www.moca.org

GRAMMY Museum at L.A. Live
Opened in 2008, this dynamic and interactive 30,000-square-foot museum celebrates the history, technology and creative achievements of the recording arts industry. Along with four floors of exhibits, you will also find the 200-seat Clive Davis Theater and numerous films, lectures and performances throughout the year. www.grammymuseum.org

Performing Arts Venues

Ahmanson Theater and Mark Taper Forum
Run by Center Theatre Group, these venues present the greatest range of theatrical entertainment available from a single theater company. New musicals often premiere here before heading to Broadway, and the Ahmanson has become a frequent stop for national tours of Broadway plays. www.centertheatregroup.org

Walt Disney Concert Hall
One of the most acoustically sophisticated halls in the world, and home to the Los Angeles Philharmonic orchestra, the Disney Concert Hall provides both visual and aural intimacy for an unparalleled musical experience. It opened in 2003 and was designed by USC alumnus Frank Gehry. www.laphil.com

Sports Venues

Dodger Stadium
Since 1962, Dodger Stadium has been one of Southern California’s most treasured landmarks. Take a trip to the ballpark to see the Los Angeles Dodgers play. Don’t forget to buy a Dodger Dog! www.mlb.com/dodgers

Staples Center
You can always find a game to attend at Staples Center, the home of four professional sports franchises: the NBA’s Los Angeles Lakers and Los Angeles Clippers, the WNBA’s Los Angeles Sparks, and the NHL’s Los Angeles Kings. www.staplescenter.com
USC’s Undergraduate Schools, Colleges and Academic Programs

Dornsife College of Letters, Arts and Sciences
The academic heart of the university, Dornsife College comprises 36 departments and numerous research centers and institutes. More than 7,000 undergraduate students pursue their studies in Dornsife’s 90+ majors and 90+ minors, engaging in groundbreaking research, creating original works, and combining diverse fields of study for a truly interdisciplinary education. dornsife.usc.edu

USC Iovine and Young Academy for Arts, Technology and the Business of Innovation
Established with a gift from entrepreneurs Jimmy Iovine and Andre Young, the Academy’s dynamic, interdisciplinary curriculum—spanning the fields of technology, the fine arts, communication and business—encourages students to think outside accepted boundaries and become the next generations of innovators, entrepreneurs and inspired thinkers. iovine-young.usc.edu

USC School of Architecture
Uniquely situated at the intersection of the American frontier and the Pacific Rim, the School of Architecture offers opportunities for stimulating cross-cultural and interdisciplinary study. Environmental, urban and technological innovations are embraced in a search for artful solutions to challenges posed by the evolving global landscape and in a desire to effect positive social change. arch.usc.edu

Roski School of Art and Design
The Roski School of Art and Design offers areas of study across all media and encourages students to explore and move freely among them. Creative internship opportunities further facilitate crucial professional connections that can open doors and last a lifetime. roski.usc.edu

Marshall School of Business and Leventhal School of Accounting
With a focus on entrepreneurship, innovation, collaborative research and social responsibility, the Marshall School of Business and Leventhal School of Accounting prepare students to become world leaders in business and beyond. marshall.usc.edu marshall.usc.edu/leventhal

USC School of Cinematic Arts
Founded in collaboration with the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences (AMPAS) in 1929, the USC School of Cinematic Arts has fueled and mirrored the growth of entertainment as an industry and an art form. The School offers comprehensive programs in film and television production, writing, cinema and media studies, media arts and practice, animation and digital arts, and interactive media and games—all backed by a broad liberal arts education and taught by leading practitioners in each field. cinema.usc.edu

Annenberg School for Communication and Journalism
The USC Annenberg School for Communication and Journalism is a national leader in education and scholarship in the fields of communication, journalism, public diplomacy and public relations. Our degree programs span a broad scope of academic inquiry, while our comprehensive curriculum emphasizes the core skills of leadership, innovation, service and entrepreneurship—all drawn from a networked university in a global urban environment. annenberg.usc.edu

Kaufman School of Dance
Thanks to a generous gift from visionary Los Angeles philanthropist Glorya Kaufman, the Kaufman School of Dance became the sixth arts school at USC. Programs offer training in both classical and contemporary dance and allow students to benefit from USC’s ties to the Los Angeles arts and entertainment communities. kaufman.usc.edu
USC School of Dramatic Arts
Ranked as one of the top drama programs in the world, the School of Dramatic Arts encourages students to discover their fullest creative expression through conservatory-style artistic training within the context of a major research university. dramaticarts.usc.edu

Viterbi School of Engineering
Through more than 30 unique majors and areas of emphasis, students in the Viterbi School work in a collaborative environment focused on innovation and improving the world around them. Viterbi engineers work with faculty in labs to create new technologies while learning within a diverse and interdisciplinary education we call “engineering +”. viterbi.usc.edu

Davis School of Gerontology
With nearly one-third of the U.S. population reaching retirement age, there has never been a better time to study this rapidly growing field. Because gerontology is an interdisciplinary field, our programs integrate the study of related fields such as biology, psychology, sociology, medicine and business, preparing students to pursue advanced degrees. gero.usc.edu

Keck School of Medicine
There is perhaps no better place than USC for students to prepare for advanced studies or careers in the health professions. The Bachelor of Science in Global Health and the Bachelor of Science in Health Promotion & Disease Prevention Studies foster multidisciplinary approaches to the study of health. Students are able to tailor their coursework to their professional goals and graduate as health professionals ready to meet the challenges of the 21st century. keck.usc.edu

Thornton School of Music
The oldest continually operating cultural institution in Los Angeles, USC Thornton consistently ranks among the nation’s top music schools and conservatories, bringing together a stellar faculty and offering an impressive range of performance opportunities—all within the vibrant hub of the music industry. music.usc.edu

Chan Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy
Ranked #1 by U.S. News and World Report, the Division prepares students for clinical practice and offers progressive degree tracks that allow students to work toward a master’s degree without applying to graduate school. Graduates contribute to the quality of life for people around the world. chan.usc.edu

Price School of Public Policy
Fostering leadership, collaboration and innovative thinking, the USC Price School of Public Policy works to improve the quality of life for people and their communities around the world. Students enjoy the resources of a large research university, combine classroom knowledge with practical real-world experience, and gain a multidisciplinary perspective that facilitates effective problem-solving. priceschool.usc.edu