### Fall 2018 Entering Transfer Class

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<tr>
<td>New undergraduate transfer students</td>
<td>1,448</td>
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<td>From California Community Colleges</td>
<td>49%</td>
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<td>From UC or CSU</td>
<td>9%</td>
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<td>From California Independent Institutions</td>
<td>7%</td>
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<td>From U.S. Colleges Outside California</td>
<td>31%</td>
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<td>3%</td>
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<td>From preferred European Institutions</td>
<td>7%</td>
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<td>Average age on first day of USC classes</td>
<td>21</td>
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<td>Scions (legacy students)</td>
<td>30%</td>
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<td>First generation college goers</td>
<td>28%</td>
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<td>U.S. Military Veteran</td>
<td>22</td>
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<td>U.S. Military Active Service</td>
<td>2</td>
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<td>U.S. Military Reservist / National Guard</td>
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<td>U.S. Military Dependent</td>
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**Gender**
- Female: 51%
- Male: 49%

**Race/Ethnicity**
- African American: 4%
- Latinx / Hispanic: 19%
- Native American / Pacific Islander: <1%
- Asian / Asian American: 21%
- Caucasian: 38%
- Multi-ethnic: 5%
- International (student visa holders): 11%
- Ethnicity not reported: 2%

**Most Represented Sending Institutions**
- Santa Monica College, CA: 146
- Pasadena City College, CA: 70
- The American University of Paris, France: 51
- El Camino College, CA: 41
- Moorpark College, CA: 38
- Glendale Community College, CA: 26
- L.A. Pierce College, CA: 26
- College of the Canyons, CA: 24
- Irvine Valley College, CA: 22
- Mount San Antonio College, CA: 22

**Academic Distribution**
- Dornsife College of Letters, Arts and Sciences: 38%
- Marshall School of Business: 22%
- Viterbi School of Engineering: 10%
- USC’s Arts Schools: 9%
- Architecture, Cinematic Arts, Kaufman School of Dance, Dramatic Arts, Roski School of Art and Design, Thornton School of Music: 8%
- Annenberg School for Comm. & Journalism: 5%
- Undergraduate: 5%
- Price School of Public Policy: 3%
- Ostrow School of Dentistry (Dental Hygiene): 2%
- Keck School of Medicine (Health Studies): 1%
- Davis School of Gerontology: 1%

**Pre-Professional Emphases**
- Pre-Accounting: 7%
- Pre-Law: 9%
- Pre-Medicine: 8%
- Pre-Health (Dentistry, Pharmacy, PT, etc.): 4%
- Pre-Teaching: 2%

**Cost and Financial Aid**

**USC practices need-blind admission.** A student’s ability to pay has no bearing on his or her admission.

> USC has a long tradition of fully meeting the USC-determined need of undergraduates through a combination of need-based grants, Federal Work-Study and loans.

> Over 60% of the incoming class received some form of financial assistance.

> Although international students are not eligible to receive federal or USC need-based financial aid, they may be awarded merit scholarships and/or other departmental awards. Financial assistance is available for undocumented students who meet certain criteria; AB 540 students may be eligible to receive a Cal Grant.

**Info Used to Determine Financial Aid Eligibility**
- CSS Profile
- FAFSA
- Other specific information may be required, depending upon family’s situation

#### Fall 2018-2019 Undergraduate Annual Cost of Attendance

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<td>Tuition and fees</td>
<td>$56,225</td>
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<td>Room and board</td>
<td>$15,395</td>
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<td>Miscellaneous expenses and transportation</td>
<td>$2,005</td>
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<td>Books and supplies</td>
<td>$1,200</td>
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<td><strong>Annual Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>$74,825</strong></td>
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**2019 Transfer Application Process**

**Required Application Materials**
- Completed Common Application form
- Official transcripts from all colleges attended
- Official high school transcripts
- Essay and responses to short answer topics

**Optional Application Materials**
- Supplemental materials and/or auditions, depending upon major
- TOEFL, IELTS or PTE-Academic results required of international applicants whose native language is not English
- SAT or ACT results, if fewer than 30 transferable semester units have been completed

**Important Dates and Deadlines**

- **December 1, 2018**
  - Application deadline for Cinematic Arts, Dance, Dramatic Arts, Iovine and Young Academy, and Music applicants
- **February 1, 2019**
  - Application deadline for all other majors
- **February 13, 2019**
  - FAFSA and CSS Profile due by this date for priority financial aid consideration
- **March 2, 2019**
  - Deadline for Cal Grant application (CA residents only)
- **May 31, 2019**
  - Transfer applicants receive a final decision, or a request for spring 2019 grades, by this date
- **August 21, 2019**
  - New student move-in day
- **August 26, 2019**
  - First day of fall 2019 classes