

field of study. The rewards for those who succeed are many, as evidenced by the rapidly growing number of individuals nationwide who earn a graduate degree. Currently, more than 417,000 graduate degrees and 44,000 doctoral degrees are awarded annually in the United States.

Graduate Degrees and Programs

There is great variety in the nature and scope of the graduate programs, options, concentrations, and emphases available at California State University, Fresno. Those that are officially recognized and for which the university is authorized to confer a degree are listed in the section that follows. Additional areas of specialization, although not officially recognized on transcripts or diplomas, may be obtained through selection of appropriate elective courses.

Graduate degrees and Authorized Options

Accountancy, M.S.
Animal Science, M.S.
Art, M.A.
Biology, M.S.
Biotechnology, M.Bt.
Business Administration, M.B.A., E.M.B.A.
Chemistry, M.S.
Civil Engineering, M.S.
Communication, M.A.
Communicative Disorders, M.A.
Deaf Education
Speech-Language Pathology
Computer Science, M.S.
Counseling, M.S.
Counseling and Student Services
Marriage and Family Therapy
Creative Writing, M.F.A.
Criminology, M.S.
Education, M.A.
Administration and Supervision
Curriculum and Instruction
Early Childhood Education
Reading/Language Arts
Engineering, M.S.
Electrical Engineering
Mechanical Engineering
English, M.A.
Composition Theory
Literature

Family and Consumer Sciences, M.S.*
Food and Nutritional Sciences, M.S.
Forensic Science, M.S.
Geology, M.S.
History, M.A.**
Teaching
Industrial Technology, M.S.
Interdisciplinary Studies, M.A., M.S.
International Relations, M.A.
Kinesiology, M.A.**
Exercise Science
Sport Psychology
Linguistics, M.A.**
Teaching English
as a Second Language
Marine Science, M.S.
Mass Communication and Journalism, M.A.
Mathematics, M.A.**
Teaching
Music, M.A.
Music Education
Performance
Nursing, M.S.
Clinical Nurse Specialist/
Nurse Educator
Primary Care/Nurse Practitioner
Physical Therapy, M.P.T.
Physics, M.S.
Plant Science, M.S.
Psychology, M.A.**
Applied Behavior Analysis
Public Administration, M.P.A.
Public Health, M.P.H.
Health Policy and Management
Health Promotion
Rehabilitation Counseling, M.S.
Social Work, M.S.W.
Spanish, M.A.
Special Education, M.A.
Teaching, M.A.
Viticulture and Enology, M.S.

Educational Specialist Degree

School Psychology, Ed.S.

Doctoral Degrees

Educational Leadership, Ed.D.
Forensic and Behavioral Science, Ph.D.***
Physical Therapy, D.P.T.***

Certificates of Advanced Study

- Biotechnology
- Composition
- Criminal Justice Counseling Specialist
- Dietetics
- Educational Technology
- Interprofessional Collaboration
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)

* Admissions to the M.S. in Family and Consumer Sciences are currently suspended.

** In these programs, a student may earn a degree without also declaring an option.

*** These degrees are jointly conferred with the University of California.

Financial Aid, Fellowships and Scholarships

In addition to the information found in the Financial Aid section of this catalog, the Division of Graduate Studies publishes a sourcebook, "Financial Assistance for the Graduate Student," on funding opportunities for graduate students. This is available on our Web site at www.csufresno.edu/gradstudies at our "e-Pubs" link.

Teaching Associateships and Graduate Assistantships

A number of teaching associateships and graduate assistantships are available to graduate students who are enrolled in graduate degree programs and whose previous records show outstanding achievement in academic work, outstanding subject matter competence in their major fields, and the special qualities necessary to the duties assigned.

Eligibility for an initial associateship or assistantship appointment requires possession of a baccalaureate degree and admission to the graduate degree program that gives the nomination, with at least conditional

*Application/nomination forms are available at www.csufresno.edu/gradstudies under the "Financial Aid" link, then "Financial Opportunities" through the Division of Graduate Studies."