

## THE ANSWERS ARE OUT THERE, SO OUT WE GO

At UC San Diego, we're in constant pursuit of ideas that push the limits of what we know into new territory — seeking uncommon solutions to the world's greatest challenges through groundbreaking research, advancing new knowledge and transforming the student experience.

### A LIVE, LEARN AND PLAY COMMUNITY

Our campus is dedicated to providing our students with a vibrant, interconnected community where they can live, learn and play. With multiple large-scale, mixed-use neighborhoods and significant on-campus housing growth, UC San Diego is poised to become one of the nation's premier residential campuses.

### EMBRACE THE SPIRIT OF CHAMPIONS

After two decades as one of the most successful programs in NCAA Division II, the university's athletics program enters its first year of full eligibility for NCAA Division I post-season competition — clinching the title of Big West Champions for both men's and women's basketball teams.

### DESTINATION FOR ARTS AND CULTURE

With over 50 years of international recognition, UC San Diego is a hub for excellence, diversity and innovation in the realm of arts and culture. The renowned UC San Diego Stuart Collection, now boasting nearly two dozen distinctive artworks, showcases the brilliance of noted contemporary artists throughout the campus. Unique campus activations and exciting programs hosted at the Epstein Family Amphitheater, UC San Diego Park & Market and The Depot, a new arts incubator and cultural hub downtown, infuse vibrancy into our community. As we continue to expand collections throughout campus, including the highly anticipated gallery The Strauss, our influence as a thriving destination for arts and culture is flourishing.



### BY THE NUMBERS

**45,273**

Students

**160,147**

Freshman and transfer applications

**No. 3 best public college**

in the nation

*Forbes*

**6th best public university**

in the nation

*U.S. News & World Report*

**18th best** university in the world

*Academic Ranking of World Universities*

**2nd** most applied to university in the nation.

**38%** of newly enrolled California resident undergraduates were Pell recipients.

**More than 1/3 of first-year and over 1/2 of transfer**

**students** who enroll at UC San Diego will be the first generation in their family to graduate from college.

## ADVANCING SOCIETY THROUGH INNOVATION

According to the latest overview of inventions arising from the University of California system, our research program generated more than 400 new invention disclosures and over 90 new U.S. patents.

UC San Diego seeks to empower an entrepreneurial culture on campus, uniting unique perspectives to develop solutions that positively impact society. The latest developments from the campus community include a free mobile app that helps users administer CPR and a startup that develops 3D-printed, custom-made prostheses.

The Joan & Irwin Jacobs Center for Health Innovation at UC San Diego Health (JCHI) is at the forefront of revolutionizing health care through leading-edge technology. From applications to artificial intelligence, JCHI is harnessing digital tools to foster collaborations between health care professionals, researchers and technology experts to address the evolving needs of patients and clinicians.



## LIMITLESS IMPACT

Last year, UC San Diego's diverse community of donors — **over 23,000 alumni, friends and community members** — provided **\$352.7 million in philanthropic support** for student-centered spaces and programs, arts and culture initiatives, research and innovation efforts, world-class health care and more.

And UC San Diego faculty and staff give back to the community. UC San Diego Health provides over **\$747 million in charity care and benefits**, and university faculty, staff and students volunteer more than **3 million hours of public service** each year.

## LEADER IN RESEARCH, HEALTH CARE AND INNOVATION

**\$1.73 billion** sponsored research funding *FY 2024*

**9th in the world** for the most highly cited/most influential researchers  
*Clarivate*

**2nd best public research institution** for high-quality science  
*Nature Index*

UC San Diego Health is ranked **1st in San Diego** and is also placed on the **"Best Hospitals National Honor Roll,"** a distinction awarded to only 22 hospitals nationwide.  
*U.S. News & World Report*

**One out of four inventions** that comes out of the UC System originates at UC San Diego, which makes the university the system's most prolific inventor community.