

**HERE TO
EXPLORE.**





**YOU'LL COME TO CHAPMAN UNIVERSITY
BECAUSE YOU WANT TO CREATE SOMETHING.
TO BUILD SOMETHING. TO BRING IDEAS TO LIFE
AND SHARE THEM WITH THE WORLD. TO SOLVE
PROBLEMS. JOIN TEAMS. EXPLORE OPTIONS.
PUT IN THE WORK.**

**YOU'LL COME HERE TO SEE WHAT YOU CAN DO.
YOU'LL COME HERE TO BECOME MORE.**

**BECAUSE IN A PLACE WHERE ANYTHING
COULD HAPPEN, IT USUALLY DOES.**

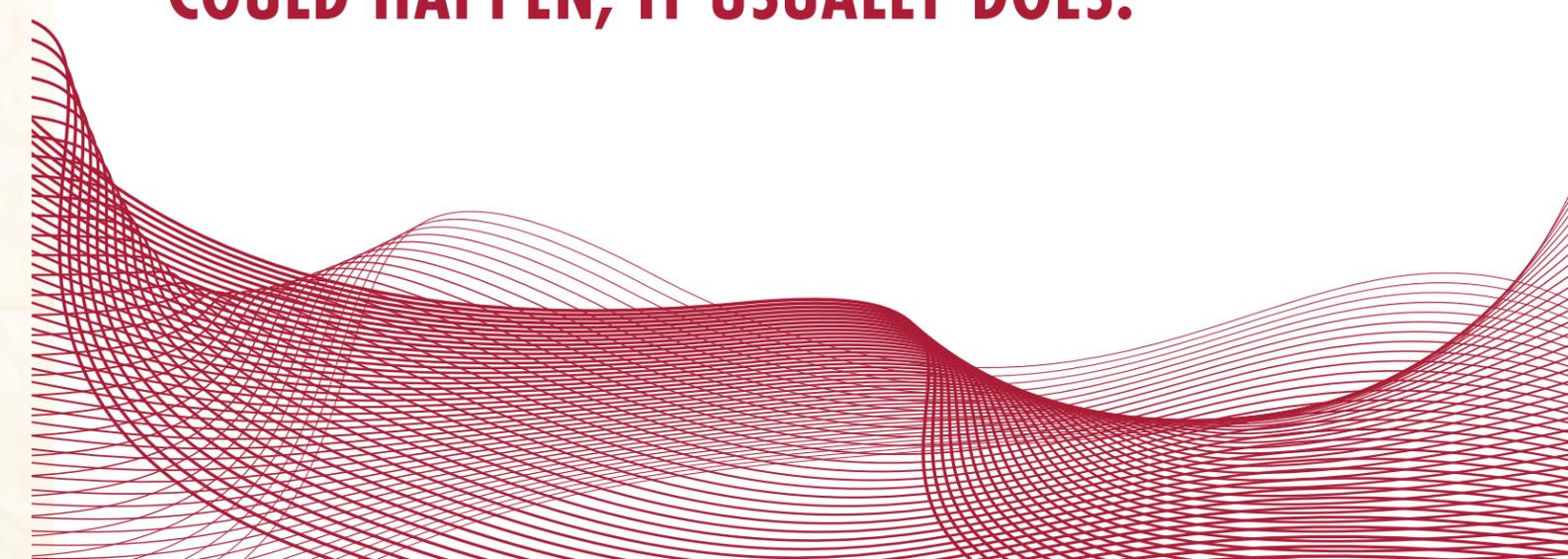


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Here for EVERY BIG IDEA.

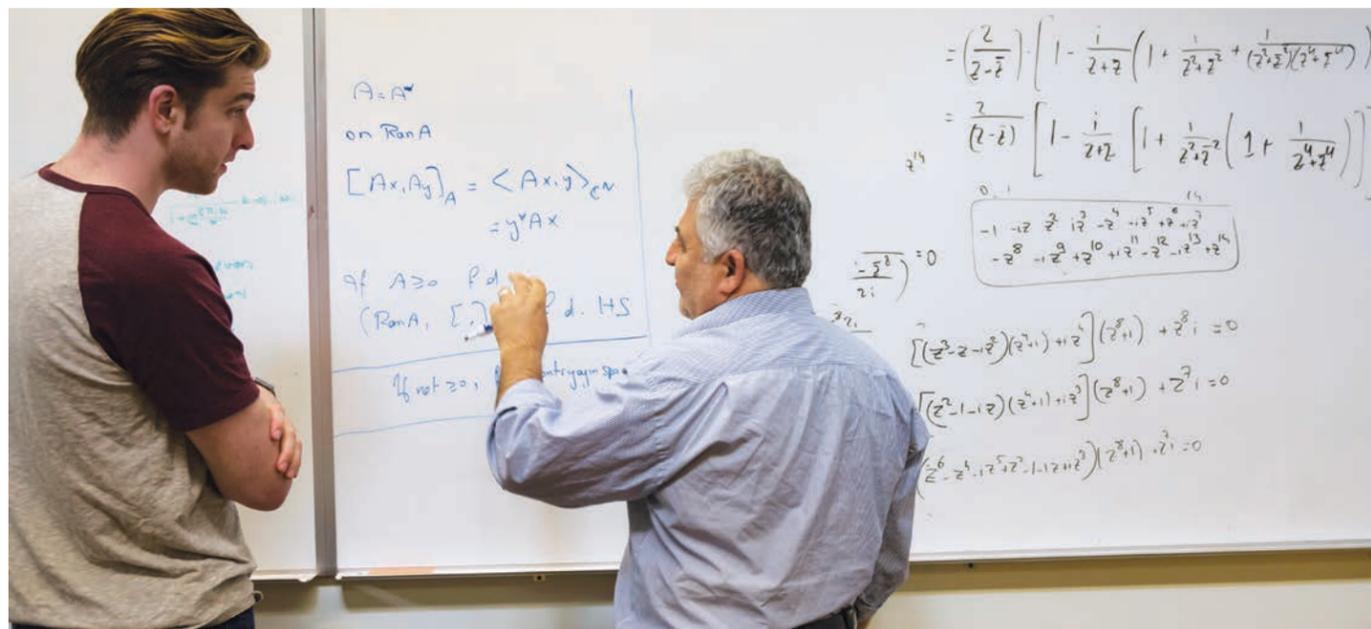
You'll come here to solve big problems. To dig deep and get a better understanding of the world and all the things that make it work. Or not work. And the ways you can make it work better. Here, you won't be limited to just one discipline, or one way of thinking. You'll bring everything together as you collaborate and discover, research and perform, create and put your skills into action.



119
majors and minors

23
average class size

13:1
student:faculty ratio



I see my professors around campus. They not only recognize me, but stop to chat and see how I'm doing. Getting to know faculty helps break down the communication barriers outside and inside the classroom.

Samir Kamnani

I spent a whole semester in my marketing class on a small team, creating an app to present. We were required to explain how we plan to drive sales and publicity based on advertising.

Kyle Yada

In my local politics course, we were assigned a civic engagement project. I volunteered for a city council campaign, where I learned a lot about the election process and the City of Orange.

Jill Kleinkauf



I got the chance to interview student immigrants about their college experience for my Latin Studies class, helping more people understand what it's like.

Crystal Nuno

For our final project in 'Social Justice on the Big Screen,' we took everything we learned and created a website. This wasn't just more fun than the traditional course final, but got me really interested in what my classmates were doing.

Nico Martinez



“IN MY INTRO TO CYBER SECURITY CLASS, OUR PROFESSOR RENE GERMAN SET UP ENVIRONMENTS WHERE WE LEARNED HOW TO HACK AND, FROM THERE, BUILD DEFENSES AGAINST ATTACKS. (WE ONLY USE OUR POWERS FOR GOOD, OF COURSE.)”

—**RACHEL ROSS '21** (Computer Science major with Music Technology minor), who's working to secure all internet-based communications at Chapman as part of her Grand Challenges Initiative project.

Pictured with Rene German



INVENT BOUNDLESSLY

as you put what you're learning into practice. You'll make progress every day as you create your film, your design, your business model, your lines of code, your symphony or your scientific breakthrough. This is where you'll create something big to share with the world.



Get a closer look through hands-on, experiential learning opportunities.



Get more into whatever you're into with research opportunities across every discipline at the Center for Undergraduate Excellence.



Get deeper with the interdisciplinary, discussion-based approach of the University Honors Program.



Get the network of support you need. Our advisors, tutors, and academic and career centers will help you find your way.

You'll come here with the ability to do anything imaginable.

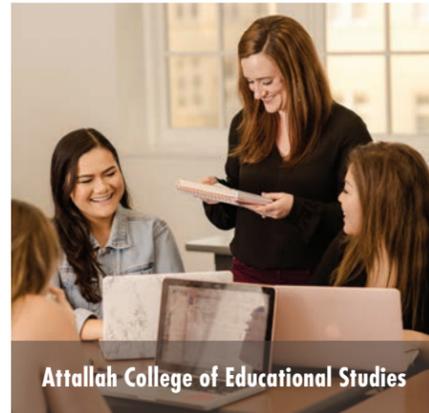
START HERE TO SEE WHERE THAT MIGHT TAKE YOU.



Argyros School of Business and Economics



School of Communication



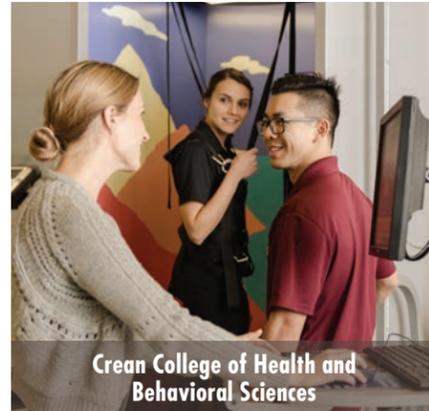
Attallah College of Educational Studies



Dodge College of Film and Media Arts



Fowler School of Engineering



Crean College of Health and Behavioral Sciences



College of Performing Arts



School of Pharmacy



Schmid College of Science and Technology



Wilkinson College of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences

MAJORS

- Accounting
- Animation and Visual Effects (BFA)
- Applied Human Physiology
- Art (BFA)
- Art History
- Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
- Biological Sciences
- Broadcast Journalism and Documentary (BFA)
- Business Administration
 - Business Economics
 - Entrepreneurship
 - Finance
 - International Business
 - Management
 - Marketing
 - Real Estate
- Chemistry
- Communication Studies
- Computer Engineering
- Computer Science
- Creative Producing (BFA)
- Creative Writing (BFA)
- Dance
- Dance Performance (BFA)
- Data Analytics
- Economics
- English
 - Literature, Rhetoric and Cultural Studies
 - Journalism
- Electrical Engineering (Fall 2021)
- Environmental Science and Policy
- Film Production (BFA)
- Film Studies
- French
- Global Communication and World Languages
- Graphic Design (BFA)
- Health Sciences
- History
- Integrated Educational Studies
 - Community
 - Schools
- Mathematics
- Mathematics and Civil Engineering (3:2)
- Music
 - Concert Music
 - Electroacoustic Music
- Pre-Music Education Certification (BM)
 - Instrumental
 - Vocal
- Music Performance (BM)
 - Conducting
 - Guitar
 - Keyboard Collaborative Arts
 - Percussion
 - Piano
 - Strings
 - Vocal
 - Woodwinds and Brass
- Peace Studies
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Political Science
 - American Politics
 - International Relations
 - Comparative Politics
 - Political Theory
 - Public Administration and Public Policy
- Psychology
- Public Relations and Advertising
- Religious Studies
- Screen Acting (BFA)
- Screenwriting (BFA)
- Sociology
 - Social Work
- Software Engineering
- Spanish
- Strategic and Corporate Communication
- Television Writing and Production (BFA)
- Theatre
- Theatre Performance (BFA)
- Undeclared*

MINORS

- Advertising
- Analytics
- Anthropology
- Art
- Art History
- Asian Studies
- Biophysics
- Broadcast Journalism
- Business Administration
- Chemistry
- Chinese
- Computational Science
- Computer Engineering
- Computer Science
- Cultural and Creative Industries
- Dance
- Disability Studies
- Documentary Film
- Economics
- English
- Entrepreneurship
- Environmental Science
- Environmental Studies
- Film Music
- Film Studies
- French
- Game Development Programming
- General Music
- German Studies
- Graphic Design
- Health Sciences
- History
- Holocaust History
- Humanomics
- Image Text Interface — Creative Writing Focus
- Image Text Interface — Graphic Design Focus
- Integrated Educational Studies
- Italian Studies
- Japanese Studies
- Journalism
- Language and Literacy
- Latinx and Latin American Studies
- Law, Justice, and Social Control
- Leadership Studies
- Lesbian/Gay/Bisexual/Transgender/Queer Studies
- Mathematics
- Music Technology
- Musical Theatre
- Nutrition
- Organismal Biology
- Peace Studies
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Political Science
- Production Design for Film
- Psychology
- Public Relations
- Religious Studies
- Rhetoric and Composition Studies
- Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Education
- Secondary Education
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Television
- Virtual Reality and Augmented Reality
- Visual Effects
- Visual Journalism
- Women's Studies

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- Leadership Studies
- Pre-Pharmacy Freshman Early Assurance
- University Honors

*If you're having trouble deciding, you can start out without declaring a major. We'll help you explore all the possibilities, but you can get started now with our program finder at Chapman.edu/explore

Here for EACH OTHER.

One thing you'll find out about our mid-sized campus is how easy it is to meet cool people and do interesting and fun things with them. You'll do stuff like that all the time here. Sure, this campus is where you'll learn, but it's also where you'll live (and all the eating/sleeping/working out/hanging out/getting involved/getting inspired that goes along with it).

230+ STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

- Honor societies
- Academic and professional
- Civic engagement
- Diversity and equity
- Religious and spiritual
- Leisure
- Greek Life
- Recreational



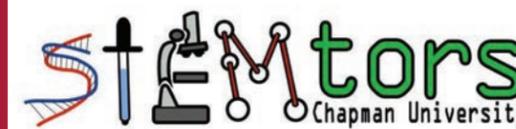
I loved being a part of Greek Life, Hawaii Club, Intersports, Residence Life and working for Chapman's Office of Admission. I've taken on leadership roles I never thought I'd be brave enough to do!

Kiana Simpson



I met so many people so quickly. Being roomed near others in my major created an amazing environment for us to bond and collaborate. I'm still very close to the people I lived near.

McKenna Etheridge



If you don't see the club you want to join, start your own. Nicole Karrmann founded the Chapman FX Makeup Club, which focuses on stage and movie makeup and special effects. And Vidal Arroyo founded Chapman STEMtors, which is our first organization dedicated to youth STEM outreach.



“SINCE CHAPMAN DOESN’T HAVE GREEK HOUSING, FRATERNITIES HOST A LOT OF EVENTS ON CAMPUS. MY FRATERNITY RAISED MONEY FOR LOCAL ANIMAL SHELTERS. ANOTHER HOSTED A BEACH VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT. IT HELPS BRING THE ENTIRE COMMUNITY TOGETHER.”

—NICO MARTINEZ '20 (Strategic and Corporate Communication major, Integrated Educational Studies and Analytics double minor)



PURSUE MINDFULLY

in a place that's not only where you'll learn, but also where you'll live. As a part of our campus community, you'll find everything you need right here. Places to hang out, study, eat, sleep and get a cup of coffee. This is where you'll spend a ton of your time, in addition to the hours in the lab, days in the studio, weeks abroad, months in the field and years in a community that prepares you to rise to every occasion.



Make your home in our living-learning communities, where you'll live with others from your school or college.



Make a sandwich— or your own pasta, or a vegan bowl, or whatever else you're in the mood for—at Randall Dining Commons. (We call it the Caf.)



Make your way up the 51-foot Doti-Struppa Rock Wall in Sandhu Residence Hall.



Student Union couches! Love the atmosphere to hang out and relax.

CRYSTAL NUNO



The picnic tables with umbrellas next to Doti Hall. I love being able to spend so much time outside since the weather is beautiful throughout the entire year.

ISABELLA BASCHE



WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE PLACE TO STUDY?



The upper floors in the library, by the windows. It's a great place to study, and you'll also get a nice view.

VIDAL ARROYO



Anywhere I can lie in the grass.

NICOLE KARRMANN

Here to EXPERIENCE EVERYTHING.

When you come to school in Southern California, there's a couple of things you'll notice. Like the weather. It's almost always perfect. And you'll see that you're close to the best parts of the West Coast. And you'll find out that we're in a region at the forefront of health care, film, performing arts and biotechnology. And then you'll turn around and see this cool old town full of funky shops and restaurants and palm trees, which grow in places where the weather's nice.



Here are things we do at Disneyland:

- Eat churros
- Ride Space Mountain at least three times
- Grab a Nob Hill Chill milkshake at Ghirardelli
- Be grateful to go to school so close to the happiest place on earth
- People-watch



Between classes you can sit in the piazza near the Four Pillars Fountain and just listen to the water and take in some sun.

Julissa Quezada



Hit up the thrift shops and antique stores right by campus. You never know what you'll find, and the owners are so kind.

McKenna Etheridge



Go to the beach in the evenings. It's an easy way to relax after a long day.

Alejandro De Anda



76°
average daytime temperature in Orange, CA



75
miles to the mountains



17
miles to the beach



6
miles to Disneyland





“THE WEATHER’S CONSISTENTLY WARM AND SUNNY, WHICH ACTUALLY SAVES ME A LOT OF TIME. I DON’T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT LAYERING OR BRINGING A COAT WITH ME. AND IF IT GETS TOO HOT, I CAN ALWAYS GO TO THE BEACH.”

—REMI LORD '20 (Animation and Visual Effects major), who came to Chapman from Houston, Texas, to be closer to the heart of the digital arts industry.



LIVE BEAUTIFULLY

at the edge of a coast, at the end of a continent, and on the brink of discovery. Chapman is located at the intersection of untapped possibility and untamed potential. This is where big ideas are born.



Find fun at Disneyland—it's literally right down the street.



Find yourself in Orange County. Feels like a small town, but with thriving companies and professional sports teams.



Find excitement throughout Southern California. We're close to the beach and the mountains, as well as Los Angeles and San Diego.



Pizza Press

QUINTEN ARRIZZA, JULISSA QUEZADA,
BRANDON PIKE, AND A BUNCH OF OTHER PEOPLE

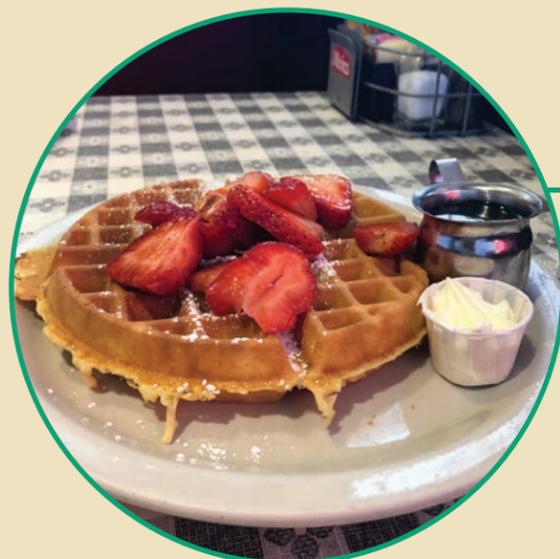


Rutabegorz is a great health-conscious dining option that's yummy and nourishing. You can also sample their tasty hummus dip for a dollar!

MELISSA CHO



WHAT'S THE BEST PLACE TO GET FOOD OFF-CAMPUS?



The Filling Station gives such an authentic view into the city of Orange and its natural hospitality and warmth while also serving my favorite waffles all day!

MARIA HARFOUCHE



Blue Bowl. They sell açaí bowls that are absolutely delicious and like no other. There's always a long line, but I promise it's worth the wait.

ISABELLA BASCHE

Here for EVERY VICTORY.

We love to win, of course, but for us experience is the true victory. Our student-athletes use their sport to push themselves to be better: better teammates and competitors for sure. But also better classmates, scholars and researchers. So when we say we play to win, we're talking about how athletics is a vital and integrated part of your Chapman experience.



We swim in Chapman's Olympic-sized pool. We cheer from the stands of our 2,800-seat stadium. We work out on the 51-foot climbing wall in our residence hall (and at a fitness center with a bunch of treadmills and weights and stuff like you'd expect).

AND WE'VE WON 7 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.



The sense of community I feel here is unlike anywhere else, and it is obvious that both my teachers and coaches want to see me succeed.

Kellyn Toole, Diving (2018–19 SCIAC All-Academic Team)



Chapman provides student-athletes multiple opportunities to excel. Through great mentors in the classroom, as well as on the field, they want to help you grow and become the best.

Elias Deeb, Football (2018–19 SCIAC All-Academic Team)



“THE CHALLENGES I FACE IN BASKETBALL HELP ME BECOME A BETTER PERSON ON AND OFF THE COURT. I’VE ALSO MADE SOME OF MY CLOSEST FRIENDS WHO HAVE CHANGED MY LIFE AND ENHANCED MY COLLEGE EXPERIENCE.”

—CAMRYN HAMAGUCHI '21 (Business Administration Major and Nutrition Minor), who is on Chapman’s basketball and track & field teams, and has also founded two of her own businesses.



DREAM PASSIONATELY

by committing to something that you care about. Whether you take the field, cheer from the stands or just use the pool, you'll connect with the spirit and energy that fuel all that we do at Chapman. Here, we're all on the same team.

Play for, cheer for or just be all for one of our NCAA Division III or club teams:



WOMEN'S TEAMS

Basketball
Cheerleading*
Crew*
Cross-Country
Equestrian*
Golf
Lacrosse
Soccer
Softball
Swimming & Diving
Tennis
Track & Field
Volleyball
Water Polo

MEN'S TEAMS

Baseball
Basketball
Crew*
Cross-Country
Equestrian*
Football
Golf
Ice Hockey*
Lacrosse*
Soccer
Swimming & Diving
Tennis
Track & Field
Water Polo

*Club Sports

Here to GO FURTHER OUT THERE.

You probably know traveling is great, but it's even better when you can travel and get credits to help you graduate on time or even early. We also try to keep costs low by offering free tuition for our Interterm (winter) travel courses. The world is a great, big place. We want to help you start exploring.



Jenny Gritton was “thrilled to get the chance to learn more about sustainability solutions” during her summer internship in New Zealand.

Jae Staten spent a life-changing semester “networking and connecting with other filmmakers” in Cannes, France.



Taking international business classes in Taiwan



Understanding religion, gender and Harry Potter in London



Exploring Darwin's discoveries in the Galápagos Islands



Learning about the history and culture of South Africa



Getting involved in a service learning project at the Grand Canyon over spring break



Studying peace communication in Costa Rica (and hanging out with some of the local canine residents)



“I WILL FOREVER BE GRATEFUL FOR THIS EXPERIENCE THAT PROVED I AM CAPABLE OF DOING THE THINGS I ALWAYS DREAMED ABOUT, EVEN AT 19 YEARS OLD.”

—**MARISSA KELLY '21** (Television Writing and Production major), who traveled to Sydney, Australia, to produce a short film for SikhLens, a program focusing on expanding the perception of Sikhism through profiles of Sikhs.



EXPLORE ENDLESSLY

as every experience at Chapman leads to more and more experiences beyond it. In locations throughout our region and around the world, you'll find exactly what it takes to contribute to a global community that needs thinkers like you more than ever. How far you go is up to you.



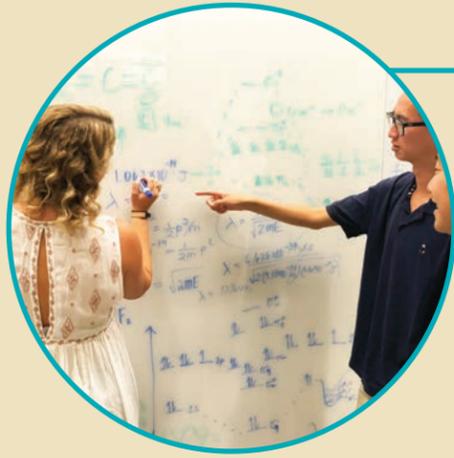
Go further than you've ever been in semester-long programs, in 40 countries all over the world.



Go beyond the expected in one- to five-week travel courses over the winter and summer breaks.



Go overboard (metaphorically) for Semester at Sea, a 108-day voyage around the world.



To take a class in the new Keck Science Center, where you get to literally write on the walls.

HANNA MARCUS



To perform at the Musco Center for the Arts.

NICOLE KARRMANN



WHAT'S ON YOUR CHAPMAN BUCKET LIST?



Choreograph for the Musco stage my senior year.

BRANDON MAXWELL



To jump off the high board at the pool.

KIANA SIMPSON



Being on one of the big murals with my friends and fellow Panthers.

NICO SCORDAKIS

You'll come here to do something amazing. We're here to help you make it possible.

Applying for and getting financial aid doesn't have to be complicated. Chapman will guide you through every step of the process.

- Complete and submit the FAFSA online. Our title code is 001164.
- Submit your FAFSA starting October 1, but before the March 2 deadline. (For Early Decision, submit by November 15.)
- If you live in California, you might be eligible for a Cal Grant, so submit your verified GPA to the California Student Aid Commission.

That's basically it. But if you have any questions, visit Chapman.edu/financialaid or come talk to us at the Financial Aid Office any time.



A counselor in high school said Chapman might not be available for me, but the work-study program and a Chapman grant made it realistic for my family.

Delaynie Voortman

17%

of students were awarded a Pell Grant.



82%

of students qualify for financial aid.



If you put in the extra effort and look, you can find a lot of different scholarships and financial help out there. You can make your dreams a reality if you work at it.

Nicole Karrmann



It's important to take advantage of the opportunities that interest you in high school. I took AP classes in my favorite subjects and started a United Way chapter, which helped me get the support I needed to pay for Chapman.

Cristina Uribe

Don't be afraid to advocate for yourself. Always ask questions and reach out to the resources that are available to you.

Isabella Basche

HOW TO APPLY

Here to START SOMETHING BIG.

We want to get to know you. And you probably want to get to know us. So let's get that part started. All that getting-to-know-each-other stuff begins with the application process.

When we look at your application, we take a holistic approach, focusing on the areas where we know Chapman students thrive: academics, involvement and interest in Chapman. We take what you tell us about yourself and compare it to what we know about Chapman students.

We look at your academics because we want to understand how prepared you'll be for our curriculum. And since not all schools are alike, we consider the context of your schooling environment.

We want to see how involved you are in your community, and we want to hear about the impact you're making.

And finally, we want to know why you want to go to Chapman. Show us why you're interested in our classes, organizations, student life or whatever part of the Chapman experience that inspires you.

It's all because we want to get to know you. For real. So the more context and understanding you can give us, the better.

Any questions about anything? Just ask your admission counselor.



SUBMIT

A Common Application along with the Chapman Questions.

The Creative Supplement, if you are applying to a talent-based major.

One letter of recommendation is required. But we'll review up to two.

For all first-year and transfer admission requirements, visit Chapman.edu/application.

ADMISSION DEADLINES

SPRING SEMESTER

OCTOBER 15

First-Year and Transfer Applicants

FALL SEMESTER

NOVEMBER 1

First-Year Applicants

- Early Action (non-binding)
- Early Decision (binding)
- Film Production
- Dance (priority)
- Pre-Pharmacy (priority)
- Screen Acting (priority)
- Theatre Performance (priority)

JANUARY 15

Regular Decision for First-Year Applicants

FEBRUARY 15

Transfer Applicants

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



Chapman Achieves R2 Status

Chapman has been elevated to R2 status by the Carnegie Classifications of Higher Education. This puts us in the top 10% of research universities in the country. More importantly, it means even more research opportunities for students across all disciplines.

This elevation is a reflection of continuing research expansion at Chapman; our research expenditures have more than doubled from 2016 to 2018. And we're still growing. This promotion will help us:

- Attract (even more) great faculty and industry partnerships
- Pave the way for ambitious and exciting faculty research, which means you'll be taught by professors who are on the cutting-edge of their field
- Provide additional internships and opportunities to join faculty-led research projects



Learn more at Chapman.edu Plan a visit at Chapman.edu/campus Apply at Chapman.edu/application