



UC San Diego



Global Leadership Institute

San Diego, California



Life in San Diego





Facts of Note UC San Diego



UC San Diego's Geisel Library

One of the world's best universities

- The internationally renowned journal "Foreign Policy" ranked UC San Diego among the top 10 schools for international relations and public policy
- The Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU), ranks UC San Diego as the 15th best university in the world

About our campus

- 1,200 acres (4.9 sq. kilometers) and growing
- 38,798 students and #1 employer in San Diego County (34,448 staff and faculty)
- Over 189,000+ UC San Diego alumni live across the globe



Facts of Note

School of Global Policy and Strategy



GPS Courtyard

<http://gps.ucsd.edu/>

- Dynamic curriculum focuses on management, public policy, economics, security, and international relations
- Exceptional Faculty – top academicians with world class experience
- Outstanding alumni are in leadership positions in business, government, and nonprofit organizations throughout the world



Global Leadership Institute

GPS's executive education unit and study abroad destination for researchers and students

- **Executive Degree** (one year)
Master of Advanced Studies in International Affairs (MAS-IA)
- **Certificate Programs** (one quarter ~ 2 years)
Follows the GPS academic calendar with access to its graduate courses and English language studies
- **Customized Group Certificate Programs**
Professional Development or Educational Enrichment in a variety of disciplines



GLI Executive Degree Overview

Master of Advanced Studies in International Affairs

Key Points

- 9 Months
- 3 Quarters
- 4 Courses/quarter
- 48 units

Choose One Career Track

- International Relations
- International Political Economy
- International Public Policy
- Environmental Policy and Sustainability
- Security of the Asia-Pacific

Curriculum

- 2 Core courses taken in Fall
- 1 Capstone course taken in Spring
- 3 Career Track courses
- 2 Regional courses
- 4 Elective courses

Regional Specializations

- Korea
- China
- Japan
- Southeast Asia
- Latin America



GLI Executive Degree Admissions

Master of Advanced Studies in International Affairs

English Language Proficiency

- TOEFL iBT > 85
- IELTS > 7.0
- PTE > 65

Statement of Purpose

- Your background
- How does the MAS-IA fit into your current career?
- What do you want to do with the MAS-IA degree?

Bachelor's Degree

- Accredited Institution
- Minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale or equivalent

3 Letters of Recommendation

- Written by direct supervisors and/or instructors
- Encourage recommenders to upload letters directly online

Professional Experience

- Minimum of 5 years of work experience
 - (Includes military experience)

Additional Items

- Resume
- Transcripts from previous study
- \$125 Application Fee
- Submit by April 15th



GLI Non-degree Study Overview

Quarterly Certificate Program

Program of Study

Classroom: enroll in a minimum of 12 units each quarter

- GPS content courses: Graduate-level courses, study alongside degree-seeking students (4 units)
- ESL courses: Focus on development of professional English skills (2 units)
- GLI content courses: Graduate-level courses designed for non-native English speakers (4 units)

Professional seminars: San Diego, San Francisco & Silicon Valley, and Washington, D.C.



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Quarterly Certificate Program

Classroom Study:

Sample GLI ESL Courses

- Academic Writing
- Essential Presentation Skills
- Cross-Cultural Business Communication
- Advanced Business Communication

Sample GLI Content Courses

- International Project Analysis
- International Business Management
- U.S. Government & Politics
- Global Leadership
- Sustainable Development

Sample GPS Courses

- Globalization
- International Business Strategy
- Policy Making Processes
- Fiscal & Monetary Policy
- Asian Regional Security





GLI Non-degree Study Overview

Quarterly Certificate Program

Professional Seminars:

Local Professional Seminars

- TaylorMade Golf
- KPBS (local news station)
- SEMPRA Energy
- San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG)
- San Diego County Supervisor Offices
- San Diego County Water Authority



TaylorMade Golf

San Francisco/Silicon Valley

- Federal Reserve Bank of SF
- Google
- CA Public Utilities Commission
- San Francisco Mayor's Office
- ORACLE
- Cisco
- Intel



Intel

Washington, D.C.

- U.S. Department of State
- Center for Strategic and International Studies
- Korea Economic Institute of America
- Information Technology and Innovation Foundation
- House of Representatives Financial Services Committee



U.S. House of Representatives



GLI Non-degree Study Overview

Quarterly Certificate Program



KPBS Studios



San Francisco Mayor's Office



Brookings Institution



GLI Non-degree Study Admissions

Quarterly Certificate Program

- English language proficiency: TOEFL (iBT-68), or IELTS (6.5 band), or TOEIC (620)
- Bachelor's degree from an accredited university (including transcripts and evidence of completion)

"I was lucky to find the GLI program offered at UC San Diego that satisfied all of my needs. I had the great opportunity to study in GPS graduate courses taught by world-renowned professors. There is a variety of people from many countries: managers, directors, executives from central or local governments, public agencies, and private companies.

The people, communication skills and knowledge earned here were reinforced and enriched by the surroundings in San Diego. I am sure that what I experienced and learned here will help me see farther, think more wisely and arrive at better solutions."

Sangjin Ju (주상진)
Deputy Director
The Export-Import Bank of Korea
GLI Professional



More Opportunities

Quarterly Certificate and MAS-IA Programs

Beyond the classroom for you and your family:

ESL Conversation

10:00am – 12:00pm

This discussion table is a wonderful way for you to **practice your English and learn about the world from the participants**. The conversation is led by several Americans, and there is usually a predetermined topic to be discussed. There are participants whom you can ask about traditions, holidays, manners, etc., and you will learn about these same subjects from other world visitors.

Mommy/Daddy & Me

2:30pm – 3:30pm

Class for moms/dads and their children. Children: 0 – 5 years old

International Café

12:00pm – 1:15pm

Finish the week off right at the International Friday Café! **Meet people from around the world, enjoy international music**, and explore world cultures all while **enjoying a delicious meal from featured countries** around the world

Wednesday Coffee

10:00am – 1:00pm

There is an English conversation table to **practice speaking English and discuss a wide variety of topics** including current affairs plus craft tables to learn knitting, beading, making friendship bracelets, and much more!

Friday Chat Group

10:00am – 12:00pm

Different topics of conversation introduced every week or **share your own topic for discussion!**



Visa Processing

- **Non-degree** student's documentation will be processed directly through GLI and the UC San Diego International Center.
- **Degree** student's documentation will be processed directly through the UC San Diego Graduate Division and the UC San Diego International Center. More information will be provided after your application has been submitted.

Housing - General

Estimated monthly housing expenses in neighborhoods near the University (e.g., La Jolla, UTC, and University City):

- 1-bedroom apartment: US \$1,500.00 - \$1,900.00
- 2-bedroom apartment: US \$1,600.00 - \$2,300.00

Though the cost to rent an apartment will be higher than some other cities, the benefits of living in San Diego are priceless

Professionals can reduce expenses by living in adjacent neighborhoods and by utilizing public transportation

Housing Options

1. Homestay
2. Roommate
3. Executive Housing
4. Rent your own apartment





MAS-IA Graduate Student Housing

***Apply IMMEDIATELY after receiving your admissions decision!**
Spaces fill quickly!



One Miramar Street Apartments

- 7 Communities
- Average Rent: \$1,134-\$1,323/month
- Quiet and residential
- Family Friendly
- Studio, 1 Bedroom, 2 Bedroom, and 3 Bedroom Apartments offered

- Less than 2 Miles away from GPS
- Free shuttles to and from campus every 20 minutes
- Early Childhood Center
- Online application & more information <https://hdh.ucsd.edu/arch/pages/>



Mesa Apartments



UC Student Health Insurance Plan (UCSHIP) GLI MAS-IA Degree Professionals



***Please note that all international students are required to undergo Tuberculosis Screening prior to arrival**

- Health insurance is required for all students
- Enrollment is automatic for registered students
- \$1,203 per academic quarter
- Can utilize the on-campus Student Health Center
- UC San Diego has world-renowned medical facilities
- Waiver application is also available for those with comparable private insurance



Health Insurance

GLI Certificate Professionals

- The U.S. Department of State requires that all J-1/F-1 visa holders and J-2/F-2 dependent family members are covered by insurance for the duration of their stay in the U.S.
- **Health insurance may be purchased in home country as long as it meets the required minimum coverage amounts**
- GLI professionals in the Certificate Program are not eligible for UCSHIP (UC Student Health Insurance Plan)



Schools for Children

Students, Professionals, and scholars at UC San Diego may enroll their children (ages 5-18) at no cost in San Diego's outstanding public schools. The location of your home in San Diego determines which public elementary, middle, or high school the child may attend.

Below are steps to finding a school for your child:

Step 1

- Find a home that you like, then find out the exact address of the home. Enter address into school finder: <https://www.sandiegounified.org/schoolfinder>

Step 2

- Find out details about the school by entering name of school here: <http://www.greatschools.org/about/ratings.page>

Step 3

- Decide if you like the school. If not, look for housing in a different school boundary. Or you can find a different school that you do like, then look for housing based on the following boundary map: <http://www.sandi.net/page/1179>



Students from Doyle Elementary enjoy a school field trip to the San Diego County Fair



GLI Social Events

GLI brings together professionals and their families from all of our programs each quarter to socialize and celebrate!



GLI Summer Social



Fall End of Quarter
Celebration



Winter Celebration



Thank you for your interest in the Global Leadership Institute!

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Mr. Lee at the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation Professional Seminar

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Ms. Moon at the House of Representatives Financial Services Committee Professional Seminar

“This GLI program really is helping me to gain knowledge and broaden my horizons in policies of the world as well as the policies of the United States. Professors are very talented and experienced. They exactly understand what we need, so we not only gain technical skills like reading, writing, grammar, but we also practice actual English which is needed in the process of policy making. The school’s staff and professors are all understanding. They all know that we have to take care of our families here in San Diego. The workload is not as heavy as a degree course. I think it is definitely manageable for everybody. The best thing about GLI is the balance between work and life. After school, we can just spend 30 or 40 minutes a day for our assignments or projects and then we can go out and spend the rest of the day for myself and my family. Most of all, San Diego is the best place, not just for you, but for your family. We don’t have to go through the long freezing winter season. We can enjoy all kinds of outdoor activities all year-round here in San Diego. I am really happy here and I would like to see you soon here at UC San Diego.”

-PARK Sehun
GLI Professional, Quarterly Certificate Program
KDI-GMP Student
Deputy Director, Korea Trade Insurance Corp

