

## 2014-2015 APPLICATION FOR UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSION CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

**Instructions:** Complete this application for undergraduate admission as your first step to enrolling at Cal U.

### FRESHMEN

If you are seeking to enroll in undergraduate studies, you must provide the following:

- Application for admission (either hard copy or electronically at [www.calu.edu](http://www.calu.edu))
- A nonrefundable \$25 application fee payable to California University of Pennsylvania
- An official high school transcript and, if applicable, a copy of a GED certificate and scores
- Official SAT or ACT score(s) from an official testing source or on an official high school transcript
- Letter(s) of recommendation (optional)
- A personal essay (optional)

You will be considered for admission to Cal U after careful review of your high school record, class rank, academic coursework and SAT/ACT scores. Attention is given to your personal essay, extracurricular activities and letters of recommendation, if submitted.

### TRANSFER STUDENTS

Your application for transfer admission consideration must be accompanied by the following:

- Application for admission (either hard copy or electronically at [www.calu.edu](http://www.calu.edu))
- A nonrefundable \$25 application fee payable to California University of Pennsylvania
- An official high school transcript and, if applicable, GED certificate and scores (this requirement is waived for students who hold associate or higher degrees)
- Official copy of your SAT or ACT scores (this requirement may be waived for those two years out of high school)
- Students must declare on the application and request that official transcripts be submitted to the Office of Admissions from all post-secondary institutions attended at the time of acceptance. Students will not be granted transfer credits from other institutions after acceptance.
- Letter(s) of recommendation (optional)
- A personal essay (optional)

Transfer student admission decisions are made primarily on the basis of college-level academic performance.

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

If you are an international student, please do not complete this form. Instead, contact Admissions for an international student application or apply online at [www.calu.edu](http://www.calu.edu).

### Additional departmental requirements:

Some departments require additional information beyond that described above.

- **Commercial Music Technology:** Students must test and audition for admission into the Commercial Music Technology program.
- **Education and Nursing:** These majors have higher GPA requirements for program admission. Students who do not meet these requirements may still be considered for admission to another major, and this will be communicated to you by an Admissions counselor.
- **Education:** Transfer students must meet the GPA for Education Admissions Matrix.
- **Nursing:** All nursing applicants must begin the program during the fall semester. Due to limited capacity and the high interest in the nursing major, this program is highly selective. We encourage students to apply early in order to maximize consideration for admission.



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**Return to:** California University of Pennsylvania  
Office of Admissions  
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California, PA 15419

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### ANNUAL SECURITY REPORT AND FIRE SAFETY REPORT NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY:

California University is committed to assisting all members of the community in providing for their own safety and security. The annual crime statistics security report and the fire safety and on-campus student housing report are available at [www.calu.edu/clery](http://www.calu.edu/clery).

The annual safety and security report includes statistics for the previous three years concerning reported crimes that occurred on campus, in certain off-campus buildings or property owned or controlled by California University, and on public property within, or immediately adjacent to and accessible from, the campus. These reports also include institutional policies concerning campus security and fire safety awareness, inclusive of policies concerning sexual assault. To obtain a copy of the annual crime statistics security report and the fire safety and on-campus student housing report, please contact:

**California University Police**  
250 University Ave  
California, PA 15419  
p: 724-938-4299/f: 724-938-5704  
[publicsafety@calu.edu](mailto:publicsafety@calu.edu)

### INTEGRITY, CIVILITY, RESPONSIBILITY

California University of Pennsylvania is an academic community dedicated to the ideals of justice, fairness and equal opportunity for all. In compliance with federal and state laws, the University is committed to providing equal educational and employment opportunities for all persons without regard to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, age, disability, ancestry, sexual orientation or status as a disabled or Vietnam era veteran. The University will not tolerate racial, ethnic or sexual discrimination. Sexual harassment is considered by law to be a form of sexual discrimination and is, therefore, unacceptable. Direct equal opportunity and affirmative action inquiries or complaints to the Special Assistant to the President for Equal Employment and Educational Opportunity (EEEE), Office of Social Equity, South Hall 112, 724-938-4014. Direct inquiries regarding services or facilities accessibility to the ADA/504, Compliance Officer, Office of Student Development and Services, G 52 Carter Hall, 724-938-4056. Direct Title IX inquiries to the Senior Women's Administrator/Title IX Coordinator, Department of Athletics, Harner Hall 248, 724-938-4351.

## SCHEDULE OF FEES

### 2014-2015 Undergraduate Tuition and Fees

#### UNDERGRADUATE TUITION

##### PENNSYLVANIA RESIDENTS

<b>Full-time:</b> For 12-18 SCH	<b>\$3,410</b>
(STUDENT CREDIT HOURS)	
Each additional SCH	<b>\$284</b>
<b>Part-time:</b> For each SCH (less than 12)	<b>\$284</b>
<b>Summer/Special Sessions:</b> For each SCH	<b>\$284</b>

##### NON-PENNSYLVANIA RESIDENTS

<b>Full-time:</b> For 12-18 SCH	<b>\$5,115</b>
Each additional SCH	<b>\$426</b>
<b>Part-time:</b> For each SCH (less than 12)	<b>\$426</b>
<b>Summer/Special Sessions:</b> For each SCH	<b>\$426</b>

##### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

<b>Full-time:</b> For 12-18 SCH	<b>\$6,650</b>
Each additional SCH	<b>\$554</b>
<b>Part-time:</b> For each SCH (less than 12)	<b>\$554</b>

##### DISTANCE EDUCATION COURSES

<b>Non Resident: Minimum</b> For each SCH (less than 12)	<b>\$290</b>
<b>Non Resident: Maximum</b> For each SCH (less than 12)	<b>n/a</b>

#### ON-CAMPUS HOUSING (per semester)

<b>On-campus housing</b> (apartment style):	
Single	<b>\$3,840–\$4,448</b>
Double	<b>\$3,049–\$3,550</b>

#### BOARD (per semester) includes Dine Dollars

<b>On and off-campus</b>	
19 Meals/week	<b>\$1,823</b>
14 Meals/week	<b>\$1,747</b>
10 Meals/week	<b>\$1,671</b>

<b>On-campus only</b>	
125 Block	<b>\$1,337</b>
<b>Off-campus only</b>	
100 Block	<b>\$985</b>
75 Block	<b>\$681</b>

#### OTHER FEES (per semester)

##### PA State System of Higher Education

<b>Tuition Technology Fee</b>	
Full-time resident	<b>\$211</b>
Part-time resident (1-11 SCH)	<b>\$18 per credit</b>
Full-time nonresident	<b>\$321</b>
Part-time nonresident (1-11 SCH)	<b>\$27 per credit</b>

<b>University Service Fee</b>	
12 or more SCH	<b>\$85</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$7.09 per credit</b>

<b>Student Association Fee</b>	
Full-time (12 or more SCH)	<b>\$270</b>
Part-time (1-11 SCH)	<b>\$22.50 per credit</b>

#### Student Union Building Fee

12 or more SCH	<b>\$148</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$12.34 per credit</b>

#### Student Center Operations & Maintenance Fees

12 or more SCH	<b>\$84</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$7 per credit</b>

#### Academic Support Fee Fall/Spring:

<b>Resident:</b>	
12 or more SCH	<b>\$362.10</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$30.20 per credit</b>
<b>Non-Resident:</b>	
12 or more SCH	<b>\$543.60</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$45.30 per credit</b>
<b>International:</b>	
12 or more SCH	<b>\$697.10</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$58.10 per credit</b>

#### Herron Recreation & Fitness Center Fee

12 or more SCH	<b>\$158</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$13.18 per credit</b>

#### Transportation Fee

12 or more SCH	<b>\$50</b>
1-11 SCH	<b>\$4.17 per credit</b>

The part-time rates per SCH shall pertain to all Summer Session and Interim Session course offerings.

Per student per semester for all students who have regular access to campus, including all students enrolled in at least one class on campus.

Books and parking fees not included.

## CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

### 2014-2015 Majors and Concentrations

#### FOUR-YEAR DEGREE PROGRAMS AND CONCENTRATIONS

##### Anthropology 5010

Forensic Anthropology 5011  
Archaeology 5012

##### Arabic Language & Cultures 5850

##### Art 5020

##### Art Studio 5025

##### Athletic Training 9500

##### Biology 7160

Pre-Medicine 7561  
Pre-Chiropractic Medicine 7531  
Pre-Dentistry 7592  
Pre-Osteopathic Medicine 7565  
Mortuary Science (co-op program) 7566  
Pre-Optometry 7564  
Pre-Podiatric Medicine 7563  
Pre-Pharmacy 7591  
Pre-Veterinary Medicine 7562

##### Business Administration 7010

Human Resource Management 7009  
Accounting 7015  
Business Economics 7016  
Finance 7017  
Marketing 7018  
Management 7019  
Information Technology Management 7026

##### Chemistry 7190

##### Commercial Music Technology 5100

##### Communication Disorders 9003

##### Communication Studies 5870

Public Relations 5876  
Radio & TV 5873  
Speech Communication 5877

##### Computer Engineering Technology 7041

##### Computer Information Systems 7489

##### Computer Science 7488

##### Criminal Justice 5821

Homeland & International Security 5827  
Criminology 5823  
Law & Justice 5824  
Forensic Science 5825

##### Earth Science 5363

Meteorology 5364  
Environmental 5351  
Environmental Hazards 5358

##### Education

Certification for Secondary Schools  
- Art 2021  
- Biology 2060  
- Chemistry 2090  
- Communication 2325  
- Earth & Space Science 2363  
- English 2300  
- Mathematics 2480  
- Physics 2630  
- Social Studies 2781  
- Spanish 2840

##### Technology Education K-12 4001

##### Childhood Education PreK-4 1500

##### Childhood Education PreK-4/ Special Ed 1520

##### Middle Level Education Grades 4-8 1600

- Language Arts/Reading 1601  
- Mathematics 1602  
- Science 1603  
- Social Studies 1604  
- Math & Language Arts/Reading 1605  
- Math & Science 1606  
- Math & Social Studies 1607  
- Science & Language Arts/Reading 1608  
- Science & Social Studies 1609

##### Middle Level Education Grades 4-8/ Special Ed 1620

- Language Arts/Reading 1621  
- Mathematics 1622  
- Science 1623  
- Social Studies 1624

##### Electrical Engineering Technology 7300

##### English 5300

Creative Writing 5313  
Journalism 5310  
Language & Literacy 5316  
Literature 5315

##### Environmental Studies 7150

Conservation Ecology 7154  
Fisheries & Wildlife Biology 7171  
Environmental Science 7175  
Leadership and Management 7153  
Natural Resource Management  
and Policy 7155

##### Geography 5360

Climatology 5345  
GIS & Emergency Management 5344  
Tourism Studies 5367

##### Geology 5362

##### Gerontology 9812

##### Graphic Design 5022

##### Graphics & Multimedia 7027

##### History 5420

##### International Studies 5200

##### Jurisprudence (7136)

with concentration in

##### Legal Studies (7137)

##### Land Management (7138)

##### Liberal Studies 5005

##### Mathematics 7480

Statistics 7481

##### Mechatronics Engineering

##### Technology 7350

##### Nursing (BSN) for RNs 7501

##### Nursing (BSN) for RNs 7505 Online

##### Parks & Recreation Management 5582

##### Philosophy 5600

##### Physics 7630

##### Political Science 5660

Pre-Law 5661

##### Psychology 5690

##### Social Science 5800

##### Social Work 9815

##### Sociology 5810

Applied Sociology 5815

##### Science and Technology Multidisciplinary Studies 7131

##### Spanish 5840

##### Sport Management Studies 9530

Professional Golf Management 9531  
Wellness & Fitness (online) 9532

##### Technology Management 7121

##### Theatre 5871

##### Undecided in Education 9999

##### Undecided in Liberal Arts 5999

##### Undecided in Science & Technology 7999

#### ASSOCIATE DEGREES

##### Accounting 7700

##### Computer Engineering Technology 7702

##### Computer Science Technology 7701

Computer Information Systems 7705

##### Early Childhood 1100

##### Electrical Engineering Technology 7742

##### Graphics & Multimedia 7410

##### Industrial Technology 7051

##### Liberal Studies 5001

##### Nursing (RN) co-op with CCAC

Degree issued by CCAC 7082

##### Physical Therapist Assistant 9601

##### Radiologic Technology 7086

##### Robotics Engineering Technology 7726

##### Technical Studies 7725

#### CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS

##### Land Management 7139

#### LETTERS OF COMPLETION

##### Spanish for Business 5949

##### Spanish for Law Enforcement 5948

##### Sex Crimes Involving Online Predators 5826

##### Industrial Safety 7751

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PLEASE PRINT IN UPPERCASE LETTERS WITH BLACK INK.

Term applying for (term, year) ☐ Fall 20 ☐ Spring 20 ☐ Summer 20 ☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time

Entering Cal U status: ☐ Freshman ☐ Transfer ☐ Certification ☐ Visiting Student ☐ Re-admit

Major (See degree program choices)

CODE NUMBER

PROGRAM NAME

☐ Mr.

☐ Ms.

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE NAME

SUFFIX

LAST NAME

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

PREVIOUS LAST NAME

Permanent Address:

NUMBER AND STREET

STATE

ZIP



CITY

COUNTY

COUNTRY

PERMANENT ADDRESS FROM/TO DATES (MM/YYYY)

Home Phone:

AREA CODE

NUMBER

Cell Phone

AREA CODE

NUMBER

E-mail Address:

**Ethnicity/Race:** This information is intended for statistical purposes only and will not be used as a factor in determining your admission to the University.

What is your ethnicity?

☐ Hispanic or Latino

☐ Not Hispanic or Latino

What is your race? Mark one or more races to indicate what you consider yourself to be.

☐ White

☐ Black or African American

☐ Asian

☐ American Indian or Alaska native

☐ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Date of Birth: (MM/DD/YYYY)

Gender:

☐ Male

☐ Female

Religion (Optional)

Are you a U.S. Citizen? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If no: ☐ Permanent Resident

☐ Other (specify visa type)

Are you a Pennsylvania resident? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how long (yrs?)

If no, in which state or country do you reside?

Residential status: ☐ Resident (living on campus) ☐ Commuter (living off campus)

Have you ever been convicted of a felony offense? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please state the felony offense, the date of conviction and provide relevant information concerning the felony conviction:

A conviction is an adjudication of guilt and includes pleas of nolo contendere (no contest). Please disregard: minor traffic violations, misdemeanors, offenses committed before your 18th birthday which were adjudicated in juvenile court under a Youth Offender Law, and any charges which have been expunged by a court or for which you successfully completed an Accelerated Rehabilitative Disposition Program.

A "yes" answer will be reported to the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) if the applicant receives PHEAA aid. A "yes" answer will not necessarily bar admission to the University, but it may limit the ability to enroll in or complete certain academic majors/programs and may affect approval to live in University-owned or University-affiliated housing.

DATE \_\_\_\_\_