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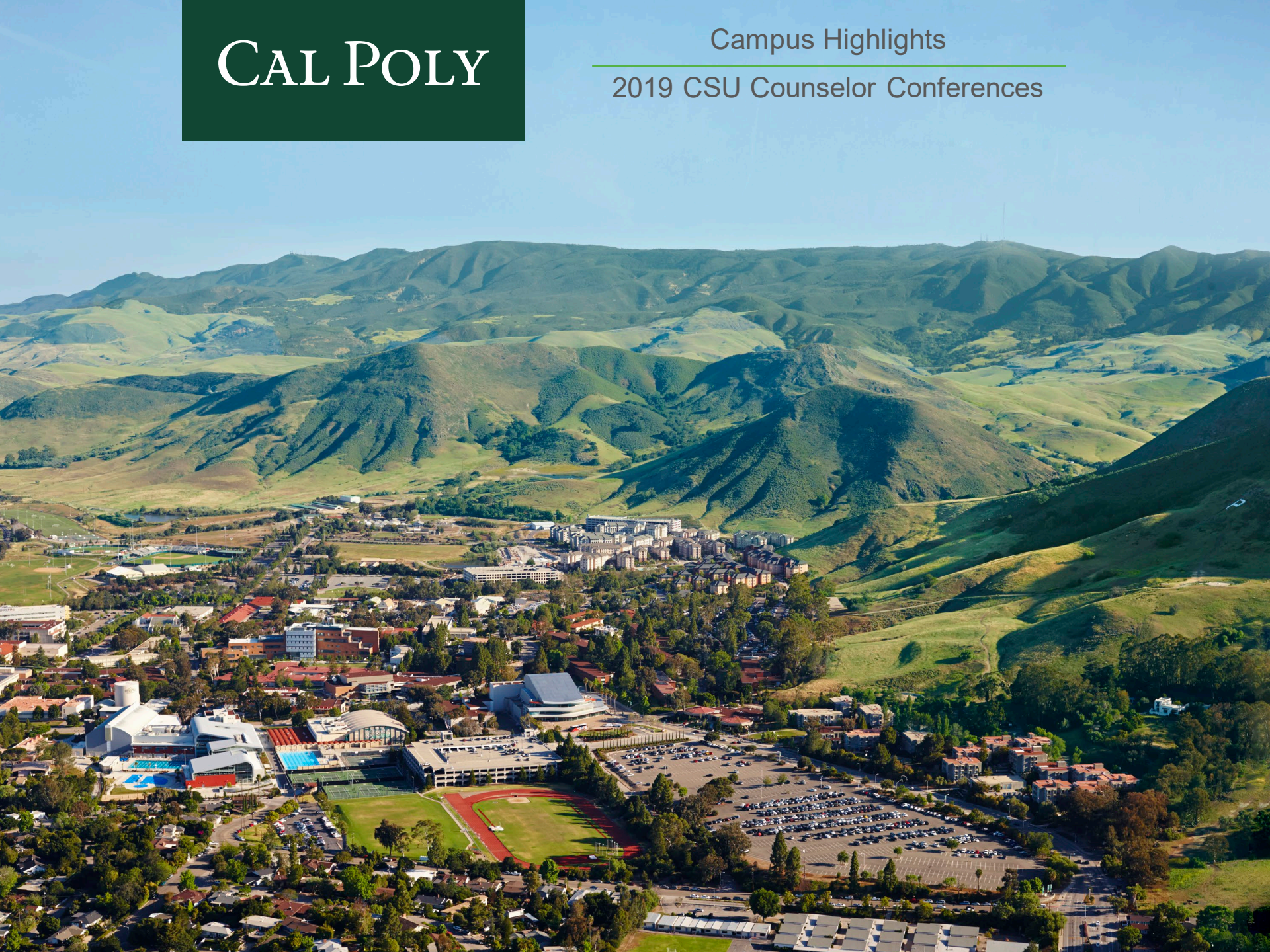
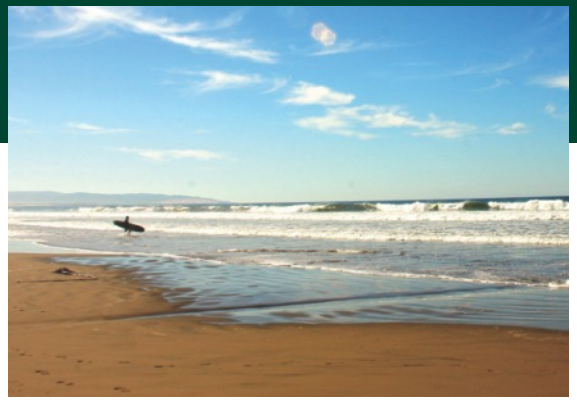
Campus Highlights

2019 CSU Counselor Conferences



At a Glance



- Central Coast and College Town Location
- Small class sizes (average of 35)
- 63 majors, 84 minors
- Learn by Doing
- Best in the West Public Master's-Level University

Cal Poly Campus Life

- 400+ Clubs and Organizations
- Top Rated Orientation & New Student Programs
- Division I Athletics
- First-Time Freshmen On-Campus Housing Required

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Freshman Selection Criteria

COURSE	CSU SEMESTERS (MINIMUM)	CAL POLY SEMESTERS (MAXIMUM)
English	8	10
Math	6	10
Language Other than English	4	8
Lab Science	4	8
Social Science	4	4
Visual/Performing Arts	2	4
Elective	2	2

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- **Coursework**
- **GPA**
- **ACT and/or SAT**
- **Non-cognitive variables that are important to the campus**
  - i.e. Extracurricular Activities and Work Experience
- Audition for Music
- Portfolio for Art and Design
- Learn more here

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Transfer Selection Criteria

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Transfer Selection Criteria

The following is a list of majors at Cal Poly and their associated college. Use the links to learn more about the selection criteria for each major.

Term of Entry:

Fall 2019

Major:

Select Your Major

Submit

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- **GE coursework**
- **Major specific coursework**
- **GPA**
- **Non-cognitive variables that are important to the campus**
  - i.e. Extracurricular Activities and Work Experience
- Audition for Music Applicants
- Portfolio for Art and Design
- Portfolio for Architecture
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Cal Poly Student Profile 2019

2019 PRELIMINARY NEWLY SELECTED FRESHMAN PROFILE

COLLEGE	APPLIED	SELECTED	TARGET	GPA	ACT	SAT
Agriculture, Food & Env. Sciences	4,944	2,373	1,052	3.98	28	1316
Architecture & Env. Design	2,563	891	400	4.03	30	1373
Business	7,106	2,046	600	4.09	31	1416
Engineering	18,308	3,984	1,110	4.17	33	1469
Liberal Arts	9,350	2,674	703	4.04	29	1357
Science & Mathematics	11,801	3,396	628	4.15	31	1418
TOTAL	**54,072**	**15,364**	**4,493**	**4.09**	**31**	**1402**

selected averages

2019 PRELIMINARY NEWLY SELECTED TRANSFER PROFILE

COLLEGE	APPLIED	SELECTED	TARGET	GPA
Agriculture, Food & Env. Sciences	948	275	174	3.31
Architecture & Env. Design	453	80	56	3.38
Business	2,370	237	116	3.57
Engineering	2,940	387	190	3.50
Liberal Arts	2,928	407	175	3.43
Science & Mathematics	1,509	229	126	3.44
TOTAL	**11,148**	**1,615**	**837**	**3.44**

selected averages

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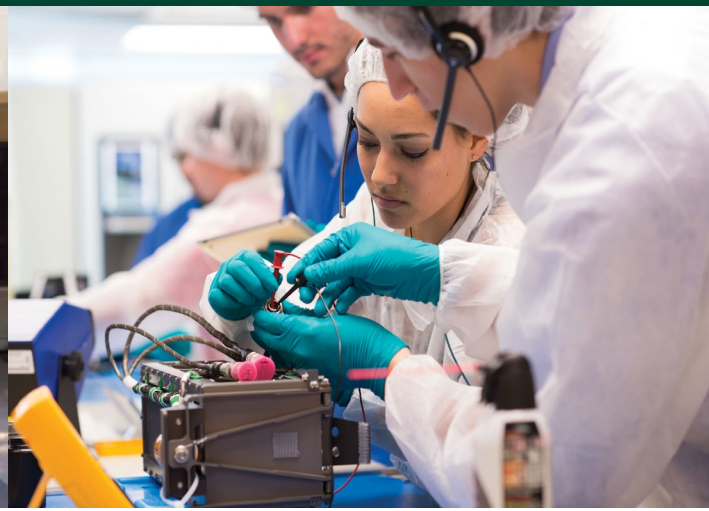
Campus Resources



- Mustang Success Center
- Career Services
- Student Academic Services
- College Advising Centers
- Study Abroad
- Cross Cultural Centers
- Dream Center
- Counseling Services
- Food Pantry
- Honors Program

Financial Aid

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- Apply at **FAFSA.ED.GOV** or **Cal Dream Act Application**
  - Application filing period: October 1 – March 2
  - Federal School Code: 001143

- **Special Programs**: TEACH Program, Summer Program, Emergency Loans, Institutional Loans, Study Abroad, Frost Scholarships

- **Scholarships**: Learn more about Cal Poly scholarships here

- **Financial Aid Award packages** available on your MyCalPoly Portal
  - Notification: April 1
  - May include different kinds of aid including grants, loans, scholarships and work- study.

Application Timeline and Next Steps

October 1 – November 30: Application filing period

December: Set up MyCalPoly university portal account

January: Submit Transfer Supplemental on your MyCalPoly portal

January 15: SAT/ACT scores must be received. Supplemental applications due*

April 1: Admission decisions available on MyCalPoly portal

April 16-18: Cal Poly Open House

May 1: Student Intent to Register due

July 15: Deadline to submit all final transcripts and test scores

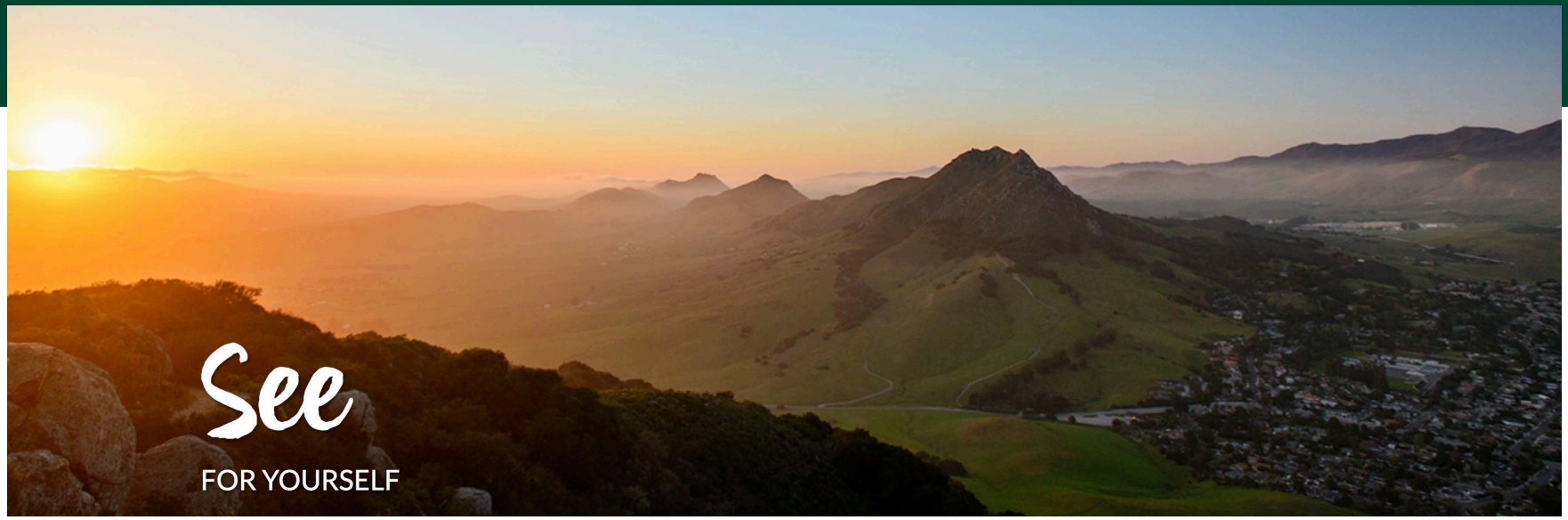
July-September: Student Life Orientation (SLO) Days & Week of Welcome (WOW)

September 17: Fall term classes begin

**Art and Design or Music applicant test scores must be received by January 1*

**Applicants to Art and Music (freshman and transfer) and Architecture (transfer) majors will need to submit the supplemental application by January 15, 2020.*

Counselor Resources



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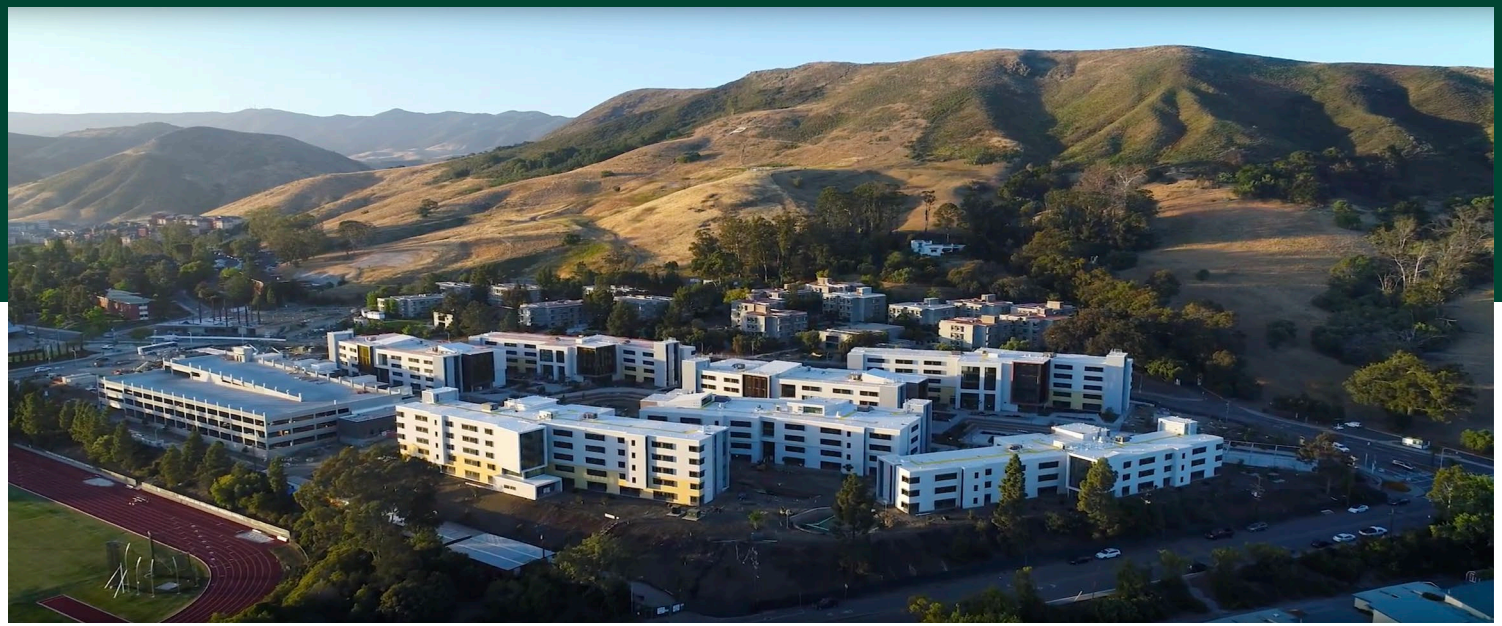

- General Campus, College Specific, & Group Tours
- Housing Tour
- CAFES Preview Day on Oct. 11th
- Recreation Center Tour
- Virtual Tour Cal Poly App

- **New:**
  - Welcome Center
  - Equine Center
  - Housing and Dining complexes
  - Justin & J Lohr Center for Wine and Viticulture
  - Mustang Beach Volleyball Complex

Cal Poly Contact Information

- Admissions Office
- Financial Aid Office
- Housing Office
- Campus Dining
- New Student & Transition Programs (Orientation)
- Athletics
- International Center