

ACCREDITATION

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA 2015-2016 UNDERGRADUATE CATALOG

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DEGREES* OFFERED BY THE UNIVERSITY

Undergraduate Degrees

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| Bachelor of Arts | B.A. |
| Bachelor of Fine Arts | B.F.A. |
| Bachelor of General Studies | B.G.S. |
| Bachelor of Music | B.M. |
| Bachelor of Science | B.S. |
| Bachelor of Science in Applied Science | B.S.A.S. |
| Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering | B.S.C.H. |
| Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering | B.S.C.E. |
| Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering | B.S.C.P. |
| Bachelor of Science in Computer Science | B.S.C.S. |
| Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering | B.S.E.E. |
| Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering | B.S.I.E. |
| Bachelor of Science in Information Studies | B.S.I.S. |
| Bachelor of Science in Information Technology | B.S.I.T. |
| Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering | B.S.M.E. |
| Bachelor of Social Work | B.S.W. |

Graduate Degrees

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| Master of Accountancy | M.Acc. |
| Master of Architecture | M.Arc. |
| Master of Arts | M.A. |
| Master of Arts in Teaching | M.A.T. |
| Master of Business Administration | M.B.A. |
| Master of Civil Engineering | M.C.E. |
| Master of Education | M.Ed. |
| Master of Environmental Engineering | M.E.V.E. |
| Master of Fine Arts | M.F.A. |
| Master of Health Administration | M.H.A. |
| Master of Mechanical Engineering | M.M.E. |
| Master of Music | M.M. |
| Master of Physician Assistant Studies | M.P.A.S. |
| Master of Public Administration | M.P.A. |
| Master of Public Health | M.P.H. |
| Master of Science | M.S. |
| Master of Science in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology | M.S.B.C.B. |
| Master of Science in Biomedical Engineering | M.S.B.E. |
| Master of Science in Biotechnology | M.S.B. |
| Master of Science in Chemical Engineering | M.S.C.H. |
| Master of Science in Civil Engineering | M.S.C.E. |
| Master of Science in Computer Engineering | M.S.C.P. |
| Master of Science in Computer Science | M.S.C.S. |
| Master of Science in Electrical Engineering | M.S.E.E. |
| Master of Science in Engineering Management | M.S.E.M. |
| Master of Science in Engineering Science | M.S.E.S. |
| Master of Science in Environmental Engineering | M.S.E.V. |
| Master of Science in Health Informatics | M.S.H.I. |
| Master of Science in Industrial Engineering | M.S.I.E. |
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| Master of Science in Marketing | M.S.M. |

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| Master of Science in Materials Science and Engineering | M.S.M.S.E. |
| Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering | M.S.M.E. |
| Master of Science in Medical Sciences | M.S.M.S. |
| Master of Science in Public Health | M.S.P.H. |
| Master of Science in Real Estate | M.S.R.E. |
| Master of Social Work | M.S.W. |
| Master of Urban and Community Design | M.U.C.D. |
| Master of Urban and Regional Planning | M.U.R.P. |

Advanced Graduate Degrees

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| Education Specialist | Ed.S. |
| Doctor of Audiology | Au.D. |
| Doctor of Business Administration | D.B.A. |
| Doctor of Education | Ed.D. |
| Doctor of Philosophy | Ph.D. |
| Doctor of Public Health | Dr.P.H. |
| Doctor of Nursing Practice | D.N.P. |

Professional Degrees

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| Doctor of Medicine | M.D. |
| Doctor of Pharmacy | Pharm.D. |
| Doctor of Physical Therapy | D.P.T. |

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