



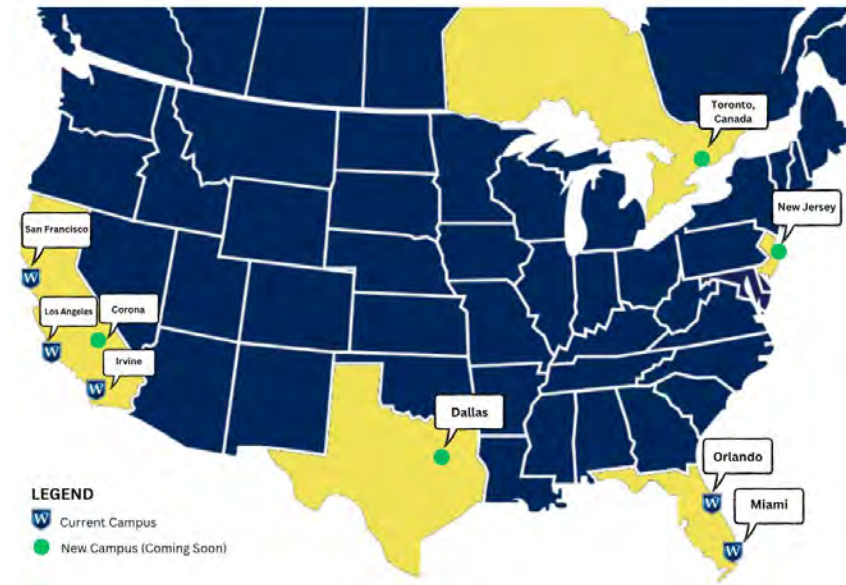
Welcome to Westcliff University!
2024 - 2025



Westcliff University's mission is to **educate, inspire, and empower** students from around the world to acquire the competencies to excel personally and professionally through practical, innovative, high-quality distance and campus programs.

Our Campuses & Accreditations

- **Main Campus:**
 - Irvine, California - 73 F (23C) ☀
- **Additional Campuses:**
 - Los Angeles, California
 - San Francisco, California
 - Miami, Florida
 - Orlando, Florida



WASC

Senior College and
University Commission



*Westcliff University is approved by the California BPPE since 1993

California Dreaming



Irvine - #1
Safest City
in America



Southern California



MIAMI VIBES



Miami, Florida



5,380
Enrolled
for 2024

88%
job placement
after graduation

103
different
nationalities



Fast Facts

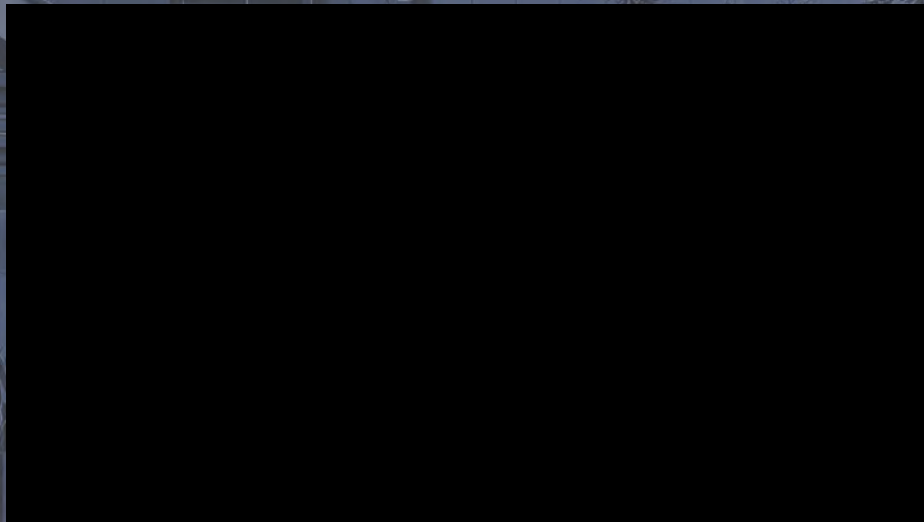
94%
Student
Satisfaction Rate

10:1
Student /
Faculty Ratio

92%
Graduation Rate
*~60% national average

* 18:1 national average

Irvine Campus





Bachelor Programs @WU

College of Business

Bachelor of Business Administration

- Finance
- Human Resources
- Sports Management
- Entrepreneurship
- Web Development (S)
- Digital Marketing (S)
- Information Technology (S)
- Cybersecurity (S)
- AR/VR Mobile Game Development (S)

College of Technology & Engineering

BS in Information Technology (S)

- Web Development
- Cybersecurity
- IT Project Management
- Cloud Computing
- AR/VR Mobile Game Development
- Advanced Programming
- Data Analytics

BS in Computer Science (S)

- Web Development
- Cybersecurity
- IT Project Management
- Cloud Computing
- AR/VR Mobile Game Development
- Advanced Programming
- Data Analytics

College of Education

BA in Education

- Educational Technology (S)
- Coding for Education (S)
- Early Childhood Education - Administration
- Early Childhood Education - Teaching Preparation
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages

***STEM
Programs
denoted with
(S)**



Master & Doctorate Programs @WU

College of Business

Master of Business Administration

Strategic and Innovative Leadership
Financial Management
Global Business
Organizational Management
Entrepreneurship
Health Care Administration
Hospitality and Tourism Management
Applied AI in Business (S)
Digital and Strategic Marketing (S)
Business Analytics (S)
Information Technology Management (S)
Information Technology Project Management (S)
Web Development (S)
Cybersecurity (S)

Doctor of Business Administration

Strategic Leadership in 21st Century
Business Intelligence and Data Analytics (S)
Information Technology Management (S)
Cybersecurity (S)
Applied Computer Science (S)
Web Development and Design (S)

College of Technology & Engineering

Master of Science Information Technology

Operations Management
Information Technology Management (S)
Emerging Technologies (S)
Cloud Computing (S)
Cybersecurity (S)
Information Technology Project Management (S)

Master of Science Computer Science (S)

AR/VR Mobile Game Development
Data Analytics
Health Informatics
Software Development
Web Development

Master of Science Engineering Management (S)

Technology Engineering Management

College of Education

Master of Arts in TESOL

Educational Technology (S)

Doctor of Education

Leadership
Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

College of Law

Juris Doctor Degree
Master of Law in U.S. Legal Studies

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Certificates @WU

College of Business

Undergraduate Certificates - 6 months

- Business Administration *
- Leadership *
- Digital Marketing
- Entrepreneurship
- Finance
- Human Resources
- Sports Management

Graduate Certificates - 8 months

- Marketing *
- Executive Management *
- Business Administration
- Organizational Leadership
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Doctoral Certificates - 8 months

- Business Administration / 1 year
- Strategic Leadership for the 21st Century
- Applied Computer Science
- Business Intelligence & Data Analytics
- IT Management

Students are eligible for OPT after completing at least 8 months (1 academic year) of graduate certificate courses

College of Technology & Engineering

Undergraduate Certificates - 6 months

- Full stack coding *
- Cybersecurity
- Data Analytics
- Information Technology
- Computer Science
- Educational Technology

Graduate Certificates - 10 months

- Full stack coding / 6 months
- Cybersecurity
- Data Analytics

College of Education

Undergraduate Certificates - 6 months

- TESOL *
- Early Childhood Education - Administration
- Early Childhood Education - Teaching Prep

Graduate Certificates - 8 months

- TESOL*
- EdTech

REAL Intensive English Certificates

*Approved for International F1 on campus



Off-Campus Internships

CPT

Curricular Practical Training

- Full time (40 hrs) – Limit to 1 year to remain eligible for OPT
- Part time (20 hrs) – No duration limit
- Bachelor's, master's, doctorate eligible. Undergraduate students must complete 1 academic year first
- Register for an additional 1-credit course each semester

OPT

Optional Practical Training

- If eligible, OPT is for 1 year after the student graduates
- STEM students can apply to extend OPT for 2 additional years (3 years total)
- OPT can be taken once per degree level
- Full time or part time



Live Online Programs at WU

All programs
available **100%**
live online, since
2011.

High-quality U.S. education with equal degree recognition

- **Live virtual interactive** classroom participation and recordings available for extra review
- **Save on tuition**, travel, and living expenses
- **Flexible** schedule
- Large **online library** database and dedicated tech support
- Transition from **online to on-campus** anytime



Academic Leadership



Dr. Bill Lightfoot

College of Business,
Dean



Tony R. Lyons

College of Technology and
Engineering
Dean



Jodi Consten

College of Education,
Associate Dean



Dr. Marisa Cianciarulo

College of Law. Dean

STRONG UNIVERSITY LEADERSHIP

- Program Advisory Council
- Board of Trustees

Experienced faculty mentors (**20+ years avg**)

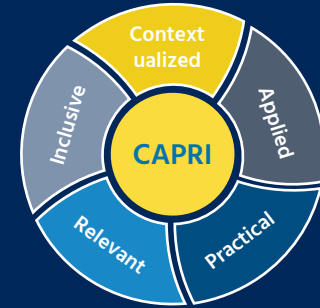


WESTCLIFF ENTREPRENEURSHIP CENTER

- SMART Capstone
- Business Center for Women Entrepreneurs
- WAVE - Student club for Bus. leaders
- IGNITE - Incubator Program

QUALITY EDUCATION

- Experienced faculty mentors (20+ years avg)
- CAPRI Model- Contextualized, Applied, Practical, Relevant, and Inclusive.



EMPLOYER PARTNERSHIPS

- Siemens, Harvey & Company LLC, Bank of Montreal, California Bank & Trust, and Target
- Our students have interned at companies in the U.S. like EF International Language, Tech Coast Angels, Sony, Citizens Business Bank and many more...

STUDENT SUPPORT



STUDENT SERVICES

- Academic Advising and Counseling
- Student Ambassador
- Peer Mentorship
- Alumni Mentorship

STUDENT CLUBS

- Coding Club
- Beach Yoga Club
- Warrior Book Club
- Acclimation Club & Many More...

CAMPUS CELEBRATIONS

- Ramadan
- Holi
- Christmas
- Lunar New Year
- Halloween
- Catalina Island Tour
- San Diego & LA Day Trip



Transitional
Support

Diversity &
Inclusion

Prayer
Rooms

Mental Health
Support
IMPACT



CAREER SERVICES

“WORK WITH CAREER SERVICES FROM DAY ONE;
DO NOT WAIT!”

- 1-on-1 Guidance
- Professional Workshops
- Career Fairs
- Alumni Network
- Job and Internship Search
- Mitras AI for Resume and Templates
 - Real-Time Data
- Cover Letters
- Personal Branding
- Interview Preparation
- LinkedIn Optimization





Accommodation

Housing costs in Irvine:
\$1,500-\$2,500/month

Homestays

- Meals and transportation optional

Off-campus Apartments

- Furnished or unfurnished
- Single or shared

WARRIOR



ATHLETICS



Westcliff University Champions of Character Program (5 C's)

- Find great athletes with superior "CHARACTER"
- Who can establish an exceptional "CULTURE"
- That will make a tremendous impact in the "COMMUNITY"
- By being fully "COMMITTED" to excellence
- Which will translate into a "CHAMPIONSHIP" mindset.

Choose from 13 different sports:

Cheer
Baseball
Basketball

Soccer
Softball
Surfing

Volleyball
Water Polo
Wrestling



2023-2024 Athletics Highlights:

- 31 championships
- Surf team ranked 3rd in the nation
- Tennis program earned the GSAC regular season award and the GSAC Tennis Tournament title
- Awarded the NAIA Champions of Character of 5-Star Institution Gold Status



Admissions Requirements

- ❑ Application Portal: connect.westcliff.edu/portal/ec_portal
- ❑ Diploma and transcripts (2.0 UG and 2.5 Grad/PG)
 - ❑ [Undergraduate Foreign Degree Requirements](#)
 - ❑ [Graduate Foreign Degree Requirements](#)

* 3-year bachelor's degree accepted
- ❑ English Proficiency: Exam Scores, MOI Letter, or REAL Pathway Program ([all accepted EPs](#))
- ❑ *No GMAT, GRE, SAT required*
- ❑ [Incoming F1 Student Checklist](#)

Program	TOEFL	IELTS	Duolingo
Bachelor's	60	5.5	95
Master's & Doctorate	79	6.0	105

Note: These are general requirements. Please refer to our website for detailed program requirements.

REAL Program

25% Online
Scholarship
through Fall
2025!

- Professors with 20+ years of teaching experience in over 18 countries
- Earn degree credits while completing REAL

Program Name	REAL Levels	Minimum Duration	Onsite	Online
Undergraduate Communications Pathway	300	4 months	\$9,370	\$4,850
Graduate Communications Pathway	400	4 months	\$9,970	\$6,590
REAL Certificate	100, 200, 300, 400	4 months	\$5,200	\$2,000

- Apply online: connect.westcliff.edu/portal/ec_portal
- No minimum English proficiency needed
- Placement test is conducted after enrollment

CEFR Level*	Courses (1.5-credit courses)
A1 Beginner	REAL 98
A2 - A2+ Elementary	REAL 100
B1 Lower Intermediate	REAL 200
B1+ Intermediate (IELTS 5 / TOEFL 35-45 / DET 80-94)*	REAL 300
B2 Upper Intermediate (IELTS 5.5 / TOEFL 46-59 / DET 95-104)	REAL 400

* Approximate entrance test scores correspond to the current equivalent CEFR levels. For more accuracy, please refer to the CEFR conversion located on the official website of the respective English Proficiency exam.



Degree Program Tuition

		Bachelor's	Master's	Doctorate
Duration of Program		4 years*	2 years*	3 years
Average Annual Cost	International (F1)	\$17,520	\$14,742	\$15,858
	Live Online	\$14,250	\$13,770	\$14,040

*Accelerated program options available

- Housing/Living Expenses/Transportation ~\$20,000 per year
- Tuition paid semesterly

Monthly payment plans available

Open Enrollment – 6 Starts Per Year



WESTCLIFF
UNIVERSITY
Educate. Inspire. Empower.

Important Dates Academic Schedule 2024 - 2025

- Session 1
- Session 2
- Session 3
- Session 4
- Session 5
- Session 6

	Session Start	Session End	F1 Students Living In Another Country	F1 Students Living in US	
			Application Deadline*	Application Deadline	Registration Deadline
Fall 1	September 3, 2024	October 27, 2024	June 10, 2024	July 22, 2024	July 29, 2024
Fall 2	October 28, 2024	December 22, 2024	August 5, 2024	September 16, 2024	September 23, 2024
Spring 3	January 6, 2025	March 2, 2025	October 14, 2024	November 25, 2024	December 2, 2024
Spring 4	March 3, 2025	April 27, 2025	December 9, 2024	January 20, 2025	January 27, 2025
Summer 5	May 5, 2025	June 29, 2025	February 10, 2025	March 24, 2025	March 31, 2025
Summer 6	June 30, 2025	August 24, 2025	April 7, 2025	May 19, 2025	May 26, 2025

Scholarships and Grants

How to apply



Scholarships awarded up to \$10,000 per year!

Giving Opportunities for Achievement and Learning (GOAL)

Founder's Scholarship for Business (Doctoral) +

Founder's Scholarship for Business (Graduate) -

Established for high-performing students who demonstrate a commitment to excellence in pursuit of a master's degree in business administration at Westcliff.

Scholarship Criteria:

- Awarded 3 times per year (prior to each semester)
- Eligibility open to new and continuing students
- Minimum 3.5 GPA from a qualifying degree (or credits completed)
- Award amount up to \$5,000 distributed over one year with continuous enrollment
- Multiple awards may be given
- Maintaining eligibility for the year requires a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25

Visit our scholarships page [HERE](#).

- Distinguished Scholarships
- Giving Opportunities for Achievement and Learning (GOAL) Scholarships
- Building Leaders for Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity (BLEND) Scholarships
- Financial Hardship Grant
- Humanitarian Scholarships
- Athletic Scholarships

Check eligibility: click on each scholarship

See award amounts and GPA criteria →
- \$500-\$10,000 available
- ~2.5-3.75 GPA

Why Choose Westcliff University



Affordable Tuition

- Payment plan per semester
- Scholarships for international students

Attractive Location

- #1 Safest City in America (based on FBI crime statistics)
- #1 Best Place to Live in California (Time.com)
- Multiple Campus Options

REAL Pathway

- REAL Communications Pathway: for students who do not have sufficient English proficiency (Concurrent Degree Enrollment)

Experiential Learning

- Practical, hands-on curriculum
- CPT - Work off-campus during the program
- OPT - Work after graduation for up to 36 months

Flexibility

- 6 start dates per year
- Accelerated programs for bachelor's & master's students
- On-campus or live 100% online
- No GRE, GMAT or SAT



Educational Consultant Support

General Support

- Marketing and admissions training
- Dedicated admissions adviser
- Priority application processing
- [Recruiter Resources Page](#) - access to digital marketing and admissions information
- [Social Media Kit](#) - pre-designed posts and captions for social media

Collaboration Opportunities

- Student webinars
- In-person staff trainings or seminars



Communication

- University updates in monthly newsletter and emails
- Under 24hrs response time via email, Whatsapp
- Communicate with your admissions advisor
- Schedule an online training with us

We appreciate when you

- ask questions
- give us feedback for improvement - [Partner Feedback Form](#)
- add us on social media
- keep us up to date with your contact information
- inform us of any changes to students' plans





Thank you from the #WestcliffFamily



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UNIVERSITY
Presentation of the Class of 2019
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