EXTENDED EDUCATION

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Cal Poly Extended Education is a self-support unit that works closely
with its university, business, community, and international partners to
provide access to Cal Poly's unique academic programs and educational
resources. We offer a diverse range of degrees, professional development
certificates, non-credit courses, youth programs and international
education programs. Our primary international education program for
incoming short term students is VISIT, visit.calpoly.edu.

Information on programs and current courses is listed on our website at
extended.calpoly.edu where online registration is available. An Extended
Education catalog of course offerings is mailed periodically to community
members.

Academic Credit

These programs are offered on a self-support, special session basis in
cooperation with colleges on campus.

Graduate Degrees

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Graduate Certificates

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Fire Protection Engineering – Graduate Certificates

The College of Engineering offers graduate certificate programs in
Fire Protection Engineering Science and Fire Protection Engineering
Applications through Extended Education. Both graduate certificates
provide students with the knowledge, skills and tools needed to solve
FPE problems and develop fire safety design solutions in a variety of
professional settings. The FPE Science certificate [http://fpe.calpoly.edu/grad_certificates/fpe-science-cert.html](http://fpe.calpoly.edu/grad_certificates/fpe-science-cert.html) highlights the science and engineering principles of fire protection engineering. Alternatively, the FPE Applications certificate [http://fpe.calpoly.edu/grad_certificates/fpe-applications-cert.html](http://fpe.calpoly.edu/grad_certificates/fpe-applications-cert.html) emphasizes the fire service aspect of the industry, including courses that identify fire safety codes and regulations, understanding evacuation models, and information about fire detection
and alarm systems.

Open University

Open University provides an opportunity for individuals, not currently
matriculated in state-supported programs, to enroll in courses at the
university on a space available basis. A maximum of 36 units of Open
University credit and other extension credit may be applied towards a Cal
Poly bachelor's degree.

Enrollment forms, guidelines, deadlines, and other information about
Open University is available online at openuniversity.calpoly.edu.
Enrollment in Open University is available year round.

Summer Term

Cal Poly Extended Education manages a self-support Summer Term
which provides over 400 academic classes to matriculated Cal Poly
students and community members. Summer Term is typically scheduled
in four sessions: 5-week (2), 8-week, and 10-week.

Quarter Plus

The Quarter Plus is an intensive academic program for incoming
Cal Poly freshmen, domestic and international, that allows incoming
students to take courses and experience the campus before the
beginning of fall quarter. More information on Quarter Plus is available on
quarterplus.calpoly.edu.

Professional Advancement

For those desiring to upgrade their skills or knowledge, Extended
Education offers a wide range of educational opportunities ranging from
professional certificate programs to one-day seminars. These courses
may offer academic credit, continuing education units (CEUs), or be
offered on a non-credit basis.

Current Professional Certificates

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Distance Learning

Challenges of time and distance often make it impractical for individuals
to travel to campus for classroom-based education opportunities. To
address this problem, Extended Education offers various online education programs.

These programs cover a wide range of subjects including wine business, teacher education and professional training. Some of these programs offer continuing education credits (CEUs). A complete listing of programs and courses is available at extended.calpoly.edu.

**Corporate and Organizational Training**

Extended Education will customize training to meet the specific needs of a business, corporation, or organization. This process starts with a needs assessment and continues through design, implementation and evaluation. Past clients include PG&E, the State of California, and the U.S. Forest Service.

**Community Programs**

Extended Education offers a variety of Life and Culture non-credit programs throughout the year, from painting to writing, languages to brewing. During the year, Extended Education periodically offers day camps for 5-8 grade students.

**GS Courses**

**GS 597. Continued Graduate Study.** 1-15 units

CR/NC

Term Typically Offered:
Prerequisite: Must be in good standing in a graduate program at Cal Poly.

Activities other than regular coursework that are needed to complete the requirements for the degree. Analysis of data, thesis and project report writing, oral defense of the thesis/project, preparation for the comprehensive exam, and other activities related to the culminating experience for the student's program. Can be used to fulfill the continuous enrollment requirement for graduate students. Units earned in this course may not be used toward degree completion. Credit/No Credit grading only. Total credit limited to 15 units; repeatable in same term.