

The Campaign For UC San Diego

At the University of California San Diego, challenging convention is our most cherished tradition. The Campaign for UC San Diego is a university-wide comprehensive fundraising effort to transform the student experience, our campus, and ultimately the way humanity approaches problems and develops solutions.



UC San Diego Health Medical Education

Empowering the Next Generation of Health Care Leaders

UC San Diego is home to two schools dedicated to advancing health care education: UC San Diego School of Medicine and Skaggs School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences at UC San Diego. Even in their relatively short history, these extraordinary schools have had an indelible effect by transforming the world's medical students into health care innovators.

We are part of the region's only academic health system.

Teaching and training is woven into our campus, clinical care facilities, and laboratories. For example, the new Jacobs Medical Center at UC San Diego Health supports academic initiatives and connects students with diverse training opportunities. At the UC San Diego Student-Run Free Clinic, up-and-coming physicians work with patients from underserved communities to gain real-world experience with compassionate clinical care. Our campus leaders have created a think tank to build and execute UC San Diego's vision of progressive medical education.

The T. Denny Sanford Medical Education and Telemedicine Center, which includes the UC San Diego Center for the Future of Surgery, connects new physicians with hands-on, sophisticated simulation training. To broaden their concept of what is possible for the future of care, students have access to the bioengineering technology pioneered each day at the UC San Diego Jacobs School of Engineering and the Institute of Engineering in Medicine, and to the change-makers working toward a healthier world within the Division of Global Public Health. And, through clinical care and research fellowships, young experts work side-by-side with faculty to grow and contribute to our ability to better serve our patients and make a difference in how we approach global health care.

6 top-ranked
residencies

Renowned faculty

27 National Academy of Medicine members and 8 Nobel laureates

1st in southern CA

UC San Diego Skaggs School of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences was the first public school of pharmacy in the region

Youngest top-20 medical school

National research-intensive medical schools
(U.S. News & World Report)

Continue the nontradition.

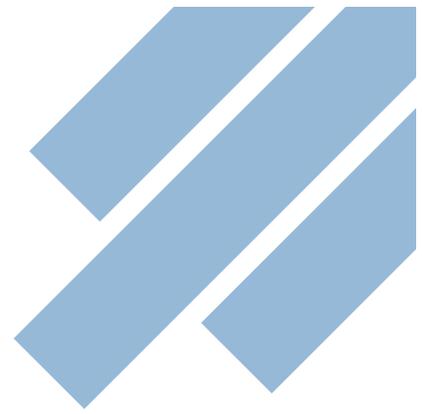
Priorities for Progressive Education and Training

Supporting future health care leaders

You can help us attract, teach and retain some of the brightest young minds in medicine and science. As they hone their skills within a rich, diverse educational environment, students and emerging leaders inspire our faculty, drive innovation, and continue the tradition of excellence UC San Diego is known for.

The following represent just a few of the many ways you can help support forward-thinking, sustainable health care education:

- » Create **international training opportunities** that support the development of compassionate, dedicated health care experts and the adoption of key health care paradigms here at home and around the world. This ensures UC San Diego's ability to enact positive change on a global scale for generations to come.
- » Enhance existing **fellowship programs** and develop new ones, which span clinical and research areas, from cancer to healthy aging. These funds will enrich educational activities, increase access, and drive new training experiences as fellows solidify critical skills, fuel their passions, and gain world-class experience in exceptional research and patient care.
- » Build a new **institutional infrastructure** that supports graduates' ability to continue their medical education or enter medical practice with **much less student debt**. This will enable students to focus on what is really important — delivering high-caliber patient-centered care — rather than worrying about paying off loans.
- » Forge **new partnerships** with schools and departments across campus, such as the UC San Diego Jacobs School of Engineering, to **design joint degree programs**. Students will have a deep understanding of both areas of study to inform the development of new equipment and therapies that close the gap between medicine and technology.



Help us continue the nontradition.

With your help, we can inspire generations of brilliant doctors, physician-scientists, and innovators to create a healthier world — one life at a time — through new science, new medicine and new cures. We're already making great strides and are on the cusp of life-changing breakthroughs to revolutionize medical education. Together with your philanthropic support of the **Campaign for UC San Diego**, we can provide a sustainable and constantly evolving model of comprehensive, leading-edge, globally relevant health care training for the greater good.

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