

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY LONG BEACH

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College of Professional & International Education 2020-2021

CSU Long Beach (CSULB) is a university of talented and diverse students that consistently ranks among the top public universities in the West (*U.S. News & World Report*) and is one of the “Best Value” public universities in the nation (*The Princeton Review’s “America’s Best Value Colleges”*). CSULB’s College of Continuing & Professional Education (CCPE) offers students access to nationally renowned academic programs on a campus that is student-centered, service-oriented and globally engaged.

Prominent Rankings & Awards

The College of Professional & International Education (CPIE), in collaboration with CSULB’s other colleges and departments, offers master’s and bachelor’s degrees, certificates and individual courses for professionals, corporate clients and students. These programs help students improve their lives and career opportunities.

CPIE offers many university courses as a part of its Special Sessions programs, including Winter, May, Summer and Open University Sessions. Programs are conducted both on- and off-campus, as well as online to meet the specialized educational needs of specific student populations.

CPIE will have a \$30 million building that gives the college a central location for its students, faculty and staff. The building has a courtyard for additional learning and zero waste bins as well as high-tech classrooms. CPIE contributes to student achievement by offering access to special programs and services. CPIE partnered with the Associated Students, Incorporated (ASI) to premier the ASI-CSULB Study Abroad Scholarship, which provides a combined \$100,000 in yearly study abroad funding to promote global education and scholarly work in international studies abroad and at home.

CPIE partners with community organizations to provide students with professional development and career placement. Certain CPIE programs offer quality preparation for required exams and opportunities to earn industry credentials. Through the college, students receive necessary training for success in local, state, national and global workforces.

CPIE was honored with a Boeing Performance Excellence Award (BPEA) which recognizes high performance standards in meeting customer expectations and remaining competitive in the global economy.

For over 25 years, the American Language Institute has brought hundreds of international students to Long Beach for intensive English-language training each year. As a global institution, CSULB welcomes nearly 1,600 degree-seeking students from around the world. Almost another 550 arrive for study abroad and exchange opportunities.

CPIE’s Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Program prepares students for the National Registry Exam. Students in the EMT program are taught by hospital emergency room personnel, paramedics and professional EMTs during their 160 hours of in-class instruction, 12 hours of hospital emergency room training and 12 hours of ambulance ride-along experience.