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Choosing Hope is not just about the education; you can get a good education in both public and private universities. The difference at HIU is built right into our name: Hope. Education changes your life. Hope changes your world.

—Michael Mulryan, Vice President for Institutional Advancement





# We Are Hope

Hope International University (HIU) is a dynamic, close-knit community dedicated to the success of each student: academically, personally, spiritually, and professionally. We firmly believe that optimal learning occurs not only through increased knowledge, but also through spiritual, social, and emotional growth. HIU provides students with a challenging and rewarding educational experience that prepares and equips them to make a significant contribution to the world.

Since 1928, HIU has been committed to the integration of faith, service, and learning, inside and outside the classroom. Our mission is to empower students through Christian higher education to serve the Church and impact the world for Christ.







Through intense study, debate, and examination, our students connect with a faculty who cares deeply about them and who work diligently to make the HIU experience truly transformational, first inwardly, then outwardly.

*—Dr. Paul Alexander, President*



# What is it about HOPE?

Hope. It is a word filled with power, promise and peace.

The power of the word rests in a forward focus that guides us out of dark and turbulent times. At HIU, Hope is central to who we are and keeps us focused on our mission. Simply put, we exist to equip and empower you to bring hope to the world. Our mission is to prepare each student to serve the church and impact the world for Christ.

Hope is a promise, reminding us that because of Christ we all can have hope. There is more to life than just career or hobbies; our purpose and significance is much deeper and much more profound. We are called to make a difference in the world, and to let others know there is hope for them. Our students and alumni bring hope to churches, classrooms, therapy offices, businesses, and not-for-profit organizations every day around the globe.

Hope also brings peace, as a constant reminder that no matter how much stress or pain we may feel, we can look forward, and we can look up. At HIU, we help students to focus forward and upward. We partner with you to become all you can be, so that in turn, you can help others do the same.

Since 1928, we have been much more than just another college. We are truly a close-knit community where you feel connected, cared for, and valued. I look forward to you becoming a vital part of this amazing university.

Welcome to the Royals family. Welcome to Hope!

**Dr. Paul H. Alexander**  
President







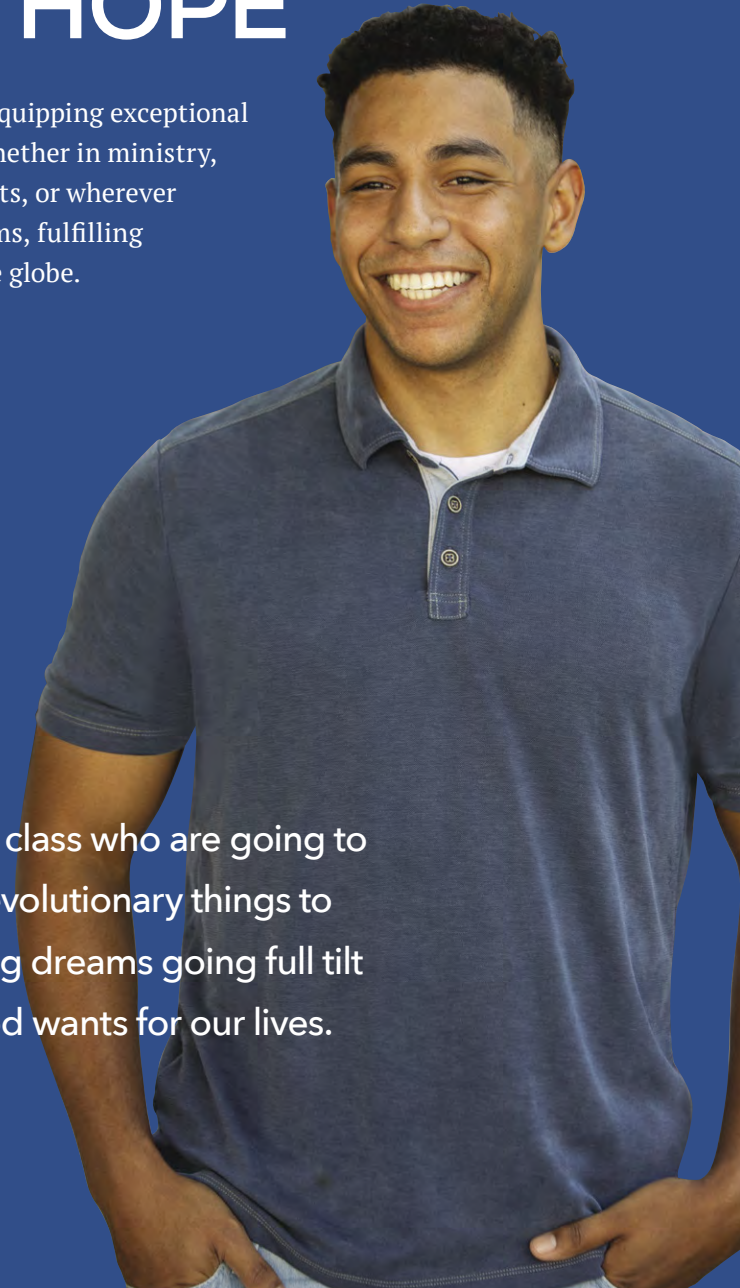
# The Impact of HOPE

For more than 90 years, HIU has been training and equipping exceptional Christian leaders to impact every level of society. Whether in ministry, business, government, education, health care, the arts, or wherever God leads them, our alumni are pursuing their dreams, fulfilling their callings, and planting seeds of hope around the globe.



There are so many people from our class who are going to do incredible, mind blowing, and revolutionary things to change lives. We are people with big dreams going full tilt towards what we really truly feel God wants for our lives.

—Nathan McWherter '11,  
*B.A. English Literature*







# Rankings and Recognition

HIU is widely recognized and regularly ranked as one of the most dynamic urban Christian universities in the country. HIU's highly talented and diverse students learn how to think, explore, and imagine as they prepare to make a positive impact with their lives. We offer programs for recent high school graduates or students transferring from community college, programs that fit conveniently into the schedules of students with full-time careers and families, and graduate programs that will help individuals move up or dig deeper in their chosen fields.







My experience at HIU transformed my teaching beliefs and practices, bringing forth new ideas and enhancing the classroom dynamic in my career as an educator.

—Nancy Gill '98,  
M.Ed., Principal,  
Venice Lutheran School





# The Hope Experience

Inevitably, college is a time of growth, transition, and new challenges as students develop, shape, and adopt a vision for their future. At HIU, students learn to evaluate information critically, grow in their faith, discover new interests and gain fresh insights about your role in our global society. HIU is an ideal environment in which to explore, learn, evaluate, and prepare!

HIU offers a practical academic curriculum that prepares people to succeed in the real world. Faculty members love to mentor and inspire their students to greatness. The intimate community fosters academic and spiritual growth among peers, faculty and staff.

Advisors meet one-on-one with students regularly to mentor them, help them achieve their academic and personal goals, and prepare for life beyond college.



We encourage our students to pursue their calling, experience vibrant community, and be immersed in practical ministry, to supplement the excellent classroom instruction they receive.

*—Dr. Joe Grana, Special Assistant to the President*









# Exceptional Faculty

HIU professors genuinely care about each student's success, both in and out of the classroom. It is common to see students and faculty conversing in the halls, dining together in the cafeteria, meeting over coffee, or enjoying informal social gatherings.

Many of our alumni stay in touch with their professors, and graduates regularly comment that the personal connections with faculty is one of their most treasured outcomes of their time at Hope.

Our stellar faculty embodies a wealth of real-life experience. As successful leaders in their respective fields, HIU professors share invaluable insights that will help HIU graduates thrive in their careers.

Small class sizes and expert instructors contribute to each student's academic success, personal growth and preparation for life after college. HIU's low student-to-faculty ratio of 14:1 allows professors to lead discussion-based classes to connect with each student personally.



*Hope provided me with the opportunity to pursue spiritual and academic growth through scholarly analysis, critical thinking, and open discussion with professors who genuinely cared about helping me reach my full potential."*

*—Tyler Patterson '11,  
B.A. Psychology*





College is the time in life when students are figuring out who they are and who God is. What better place to do that than a loving, encouraging, and supportive environment like Hope?

—Dr. Mark Comeaux, Vice President for Student Affairs



# Faith, Hope, and Spiritual Formation

The integration of faith and learning is at the heart of what makes us Hope! Faith and learning intersect in the classroom and through countless opportunities to serve the campus, the community and the church. Many of our students serve on local and international outreach teams.

Through weekly chapels, peer-led small groups, campus community gatherings, local service and global outreach, HIU students are able to connect and engage spiritually with the larger body of Christ.





# Champions with Character

The HIU Royals Athletics program reflects Hope's commitment to excellence, teamwork, leadership, and individual growth. Our coaching staff is dedicated to developing "Champions of Character" who value and embody the five core values of integrity, respect, responsibility, sportsmanship, and servant leadership. HIU student athletes often serve in the local community, volunteering as coaches and tutors in local schools and youth organizations.

## Women's Sports

- ▲ Basketball
- ▲ Competitive Dance
- ▲ Cross Country
- ▲ Golf
- ▲ Soccer
- ▲ Softball
- ▲ STUNT
- ▲ Tennis
- ▲ Track & Field
- ▲ Volleyball: Beach & Indoor

## Men's Sports

- ▲ Baseball
- ▲ Basketball
- ▲ Cross country
- ▲ Golf
- ▲ Soccer
- ▲ Tennis
- ▲ Track & field
- ▲ Volleyball



**Learn more:**  
[hiuroyals.com](http://hiuroyals.com)







Our exciting HIU Royals teams successfully compete in the Golden State Athletic Conference (GSAC), National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA DIVISION 1), and the National Christian College Athletic Association (NCCAA). Our teams regularly earn invitations to their respective Conference and National Championship tournaments, and each year several of our student athletes earn All-Conference and All-American honors for excellence on the field, as well as awards for academic achievement and community service.

HIU's beautiful 2,500-seat Hugh & Hazel Darling Pavilion provides home court pride for our Royals. Outdoor sports utilize top facilities throughout Orange County, including Duane Winters Field in Fullerton (baseball), and the OC Great Park Championship Stadium (soccer).



At Hope we believe character counts. We play by the rules, treat our athletes and opponents fairly, and react graciously, whether it be in victory or defeat. No athletic program or sport is more important than the student athletes themselves, and no victory is more important than the integrity of the game.

*—John Turek, Athletic Director*







# Living on Campus

Students don't get lost in the crowd at HIU. We are intentional about providing opportunities for involvement for all class levels. Both resident and commuter students have opportunities to actively participate in a variety of activities that cultivate the sense that Hope is their home. HIU students form lifelong friendships through special events, dorm life, outreach and service projects, chapel, small groups, on-campus jobs, and more

## Residence Life

Living on campus is a blast and fosters social and spiritual growth. Events such as worship nights, athletic events, "Clash-n-Bowl," formals, and service projects help create a close-knit community. Residence Life Coordinators and Residence Assistants who live in the dorms oversee on-campus living, facilitate hall events and student interaction, and are on call as needed. Living with students from different backgrounds and cultures builds crucial interpersonal skills, fosters global friendships, and prepares students for life in a diverse, multi-cultural society.





## Commuting

HIU strives to welcome and integrate commuter students into the campus community. Campus-wide high-speed WiFi and dedicated study spaces like our library, student lounges, and The Hub cafe make studying on campus convenient and enjoyable. And the student government association includes a Senator who represents non-residential students to make sure their unique needs are addressed.

## Transfer Students

Hope is very transfer-friendly! We accept Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) and California State University (CSU) certification coursework as well as coursework from all regionally-accredited public and private colleges. We make it easy to apply the experiences and credits you've earned at prior college(s) to your new degree program at HIU.







# A Global Community

HIU's global student body provides an ideal setting for students to broaden their worldview. The International Student Programs (ISP) office provides a wealth of services to our international students, as well as educational experiences for our domestic students including diversity training, intercultural communication, and service projects, helping them become informed global citizens and servant leaders.

## Study Abroad

Academic study abroad is highly encouraged as it expands a student's mind and heart like few experiences. The blending of cultural learning with academic learning is truly life changing. Options include countries such as Australia, China, Costa Rica, Egypt, England, India, Israel, Korea, Uganda, and many others.

## International Student Programs

The ISP Office of HIU is dedicated to helping international students adjust to Southern California culture. We provide conversation partners and regular opportunities to connect with the fellow international students as well as the entire student body. The ISP office leads students on memorable field trips to popular amusement parks, museums, local attractions and events. Because of our Southern California location in the heart of Orange County, we are able to offer extraordinary extra-curricular activities that are uniquely SoCal. We also advise students on applying for social security numbers and driver's licenses, opening bank accounts, navigating the transportation system, and more so they can get the most out of their study abroad experience.



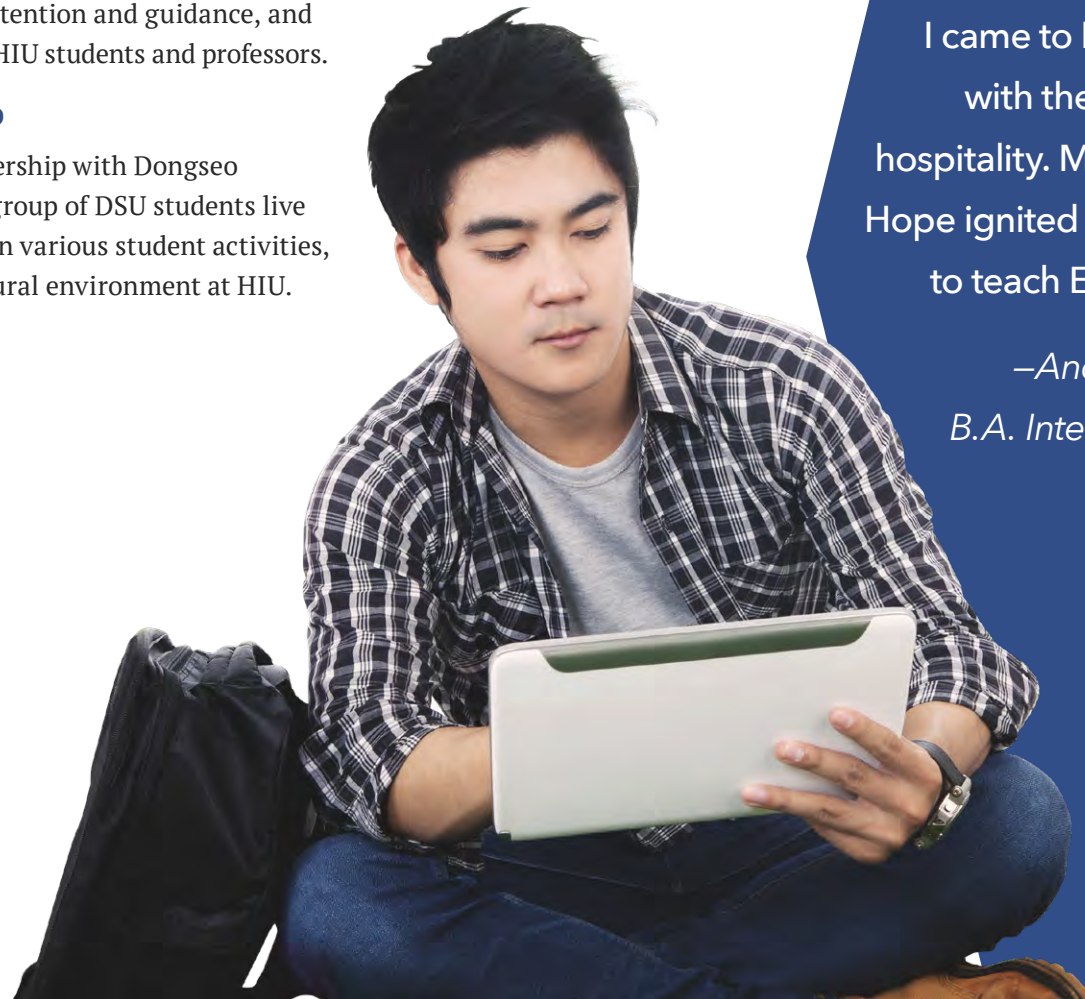


## English As a Second Language (ESL)

HIU's College of Education provides English language training for international students seeking a study abroad experience in America, preparing them to pass the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) and enter an American university. International students received highly personalized attention and guidance, and they often form lasting friendships with HIU students and professors.

## Dongseo University Partnership

HIU has a longstanding exchange partnership with Dongseo University (DSU) in Korea. Each year, a group of DSU students live on campus, attend chapel, get involved in various student activities, and contribute greatly to the multi-cultural environment at HIU.



I was not exposed to Korean culture until I came to HIU. I fell in love with their kindness and hospitality. My experience at Hope ignited in me a passion to teach English in Korea.

—Andi Berryman '10,  
B.A. Intercultural Studies





# College On Demand

## HIU's Online Degree Programs

HIU's online programs are designed to meet the needs of working adults and accommodate their busy schedules. Our innovative online format provides a rich learning environment where professors and students can interact through discussion forums, conversation streams, and real time chats. It truly is a unique and efficient way to earn a college degree.

Our 8-week online courses offer start dates throughout the year, and are accessible any time of day using any internet-connected computer or mobile device. HIU's online programs are offered through Canvas™, an industry leader in online education that provides state-of-the-art, user-friendly online learning platforms.





HIU's online degree programs blend the flexibility of online learning with the feel of a classroom experience. Students watch lectures and complete individual assignments on their own schedules, but also spend a considerable amount of time interacting with other students, largely through online discussions. This interaction creates consistency, accountability, and builds community. HIU students enjoy building relationships with their peers and receiving personal attention from experienced faculty. HIU's online programs maintain small class sizes, allowing for personal attention and individualized instruction that creates optimal learning.

Navigating through college can be complicated at times. That's why we assign each HIU online student an Academic Coach to assist with paperwork, course selection and scheduling, provide advice on graduate school or career planning, and any other assistance a student may need along the way.

Through FAST TRACK, undergraduate students are able to take up to nine units of graduate coursework, called "transitional courses," that will apply toward a bachelor's degree as well as a future master's degree. Depending on the program, these nine units may equal a quarter of the graduate degree requirements, saving you precious time and money!



HIU's online classes gave me the flexible schedule that I needed to complete my degree. The professors combine rigorous scholarship and passion for the kingdom of God, and my classes have been very challenging and transformative. I wouldn't want to complete my undergraduate ministry degree anywhere else.

—Joey Aszterbaum '16,  
Online Christian  
Ministry Major







# Graduate Degree Programs

Our Graduate Degree Programs provide students with the skills to advance in their profession through a variety of convenient options, making it possible for busy people to earn an advanced degree.

## Individualized Programs to Meet Your Unique Needs

We know you are busy and require flexibility in your graduate program. All of HIU's graduate programs can be customized with timelines that will fit into your schedule. In addition to providing a flexible timeline, many of HIU's programs can be completed entirely online or onsite, allowing you to control your own schedule. Whether you prefer working in the morning, afternoon, or evening, you choose when you want to log in. HIU's onsite classes are conveniently offered throughout the day.

## Personal Attention to Keep You on the Right Track

Graduate school is a big commitment, and you deserve one-on-one advising to help you maximize your education. Each HIU grad student is assigned an Academic Coach to assist them from your date of admission through graduation. Your Academic Coach will help you create an academic plan that fits your schedule and provide advice on selecting courses that fit your career goals, helping you make decisions that will lead to success during the program and beyond.







# Career Development

The Office of Career Development is a valuable resource for our students, providing assistance and resources to ensure students succeed professionally, both during each student's program and after graduation. Students have access to resources that will aid in personal and professional development, career-search assistance, and more. The staff is with you every step of the way, intent on helping you fulfill your potential, through:

- ▲ Assessment of strengths, interests and skills
- ▲ Exploring occupations
- ▲ Selecting the right major
- ▲ Job search training
- ▲ Interview training
- ▲ Resume workshops and resources
- ▲ Graduate School options
- ▲ Internship fairs and connection



HIU connected me with an internship where I gained valuable first-hand experience that prepared me to jump right into the business world.

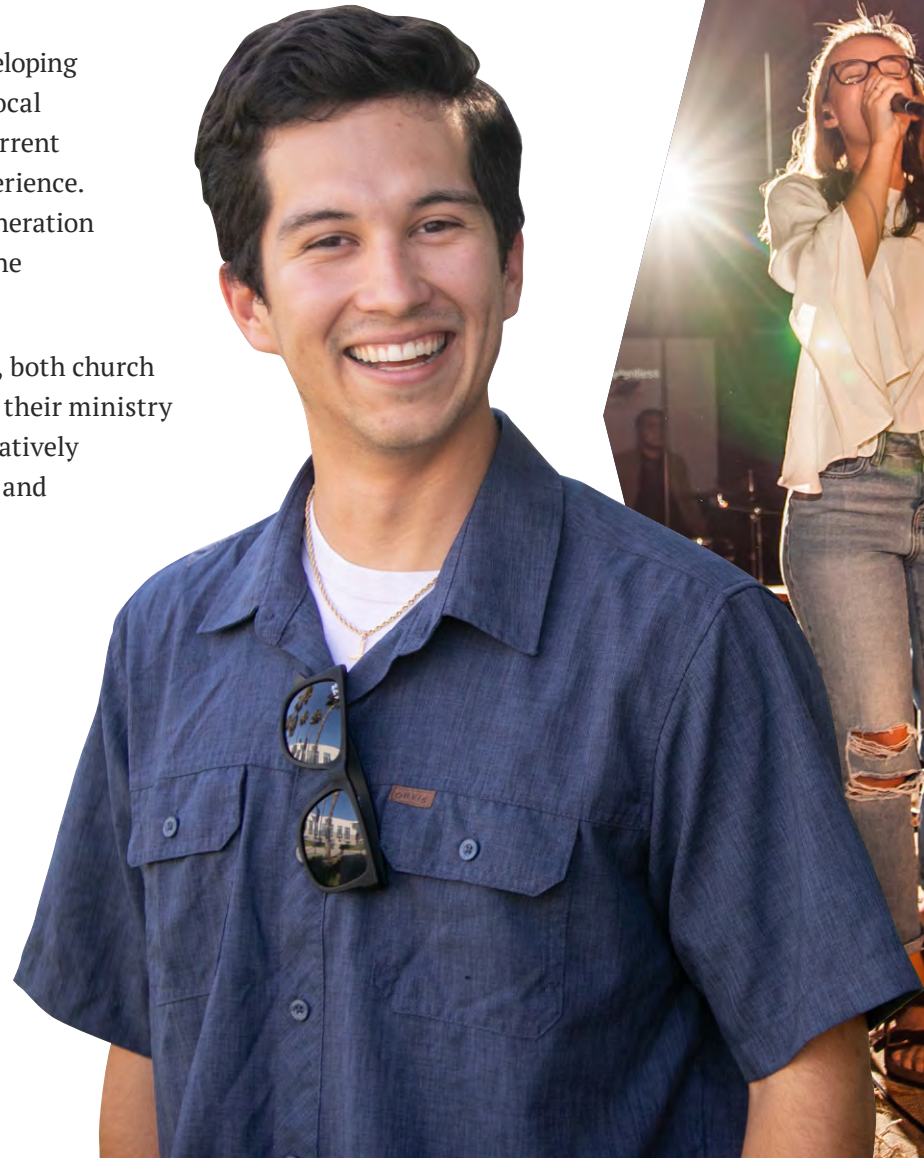
*—Lauren McKinney '11, B.A. Business & Management*



# Local Church Partnerships and Residency

Since our founding in 1928, we have been committed to developing innovative ways to serve and support the Church. Many local churches apply to become a “Residency Church” where current students get practical, hands on, real-world ministry experience. This program is a vital element in developing the next generation of ministers, mutually benefiting the host churches and the students in residence.

Through HIU’s educational ministry training in churches, both church leaders and church members are better equipped to fulfill their ministry callings. We are intent on working collaboratively and creatively with churches to develop quality educational experiences and instruction to prepare leaders to meet the needs of their congregations and communities.







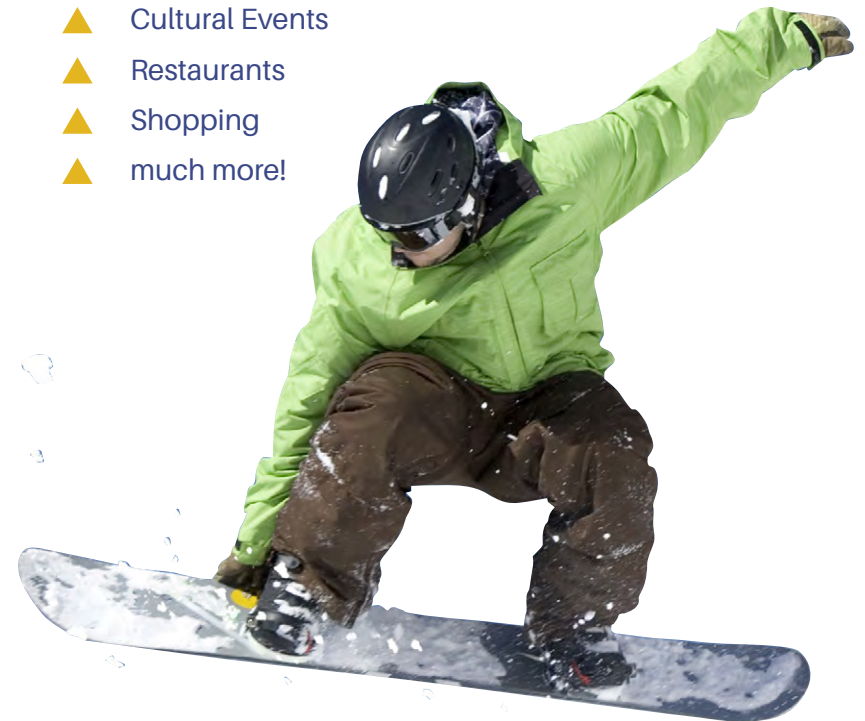
# There's No Place Like SoCal!

Nestled within one of the most dynamic areas of California, Orange County (OC) has so much to offer, including world class beaches, amusement parks, mountain ranges, shopping, dining, performing arts, sports and concert arenas, and outdoors activities for the nature-lover. We are approximately 30 minutes away from the beach and 45 minutes away from the mountains. Our students have been known to take the challenge of surfing in the morning and snowboarding in the afternoon.

The city of Fullerton is right in the heart of OC. With a charming downtown area that features vintage and boutique shopping, and plenty of dining options, coffee shops and jazz clubs, you won't have any trouble finding something to do. There's a lot to love in Orange County!

## SoCal attractions and activities include:

- ▲ Beaches
- ▲ Mountains
- ▲ Deserts
- ▲ World-class Theme Parks
- ▲ Professional Sports Teams
- ▲ Performing Arts Venues
- ▲ Museums
- ▲ Cultural Events
- ▲ Restaurants
- ▲ Shopping
- ▲ much more!











# Our Mission, Vision, & Values

Although much has changed over the last century, HIU's enduring mission has remained intact: empowering students through Christian Higher Education to serve the Church and impact the world for Christ. Our driving vision is to be globally known as a Christ-centered university where students experience life-changing education and community.

## **As an overtly Christian university, we are committed:**

- ▲ To remain Christ-centered, biblically based and focused on serving the Church while maintaining the values of the Restoration Movement.
- ▲ To create a Christian environment in which students are strengthened in their faith.
- ▲ To equip servant leaders in their chosen professions to change the world for Christ in contextually appropriate ways.
- ▲ To provide academic programs and both organizational and physical infrastructure that are excellent in every way.
- ▲ To conduct research that underscores and informs our effectiveness as change agents in communicating the relevance of the Gospel.
- ▲ To be responsible stewards of the resources entrusted to us.

HIU is affiliated with the non-denominational independent Christian Churches/Churches of Christ. As part of the Restoration Movement of the early nineteenth century, Christian Churches seek to restore New Testament ideals in the church. The churches are locally autonomous, sharing a common global concern to fulfill the Great Commission.



# Calling All Future Royals!

## Let's Connect

If you or someone you know would like to know more about enrolling, Admissions Counselors and current students are available to answer any questions you have about HIU: the admissions process, the financial aid process, degree programs, and more. Call 888 352-HOPE or send an email to [hiuadmissions@hiu.edu](mailto:hiuadmissions@hiu.edu).

## Visit Campus

There is no better way to find out if HIU is the university for you than to come and experience it first hand. Customized campus visits and guided tours are available.

To schedule yours, [call \(714\) 879-3901 x2212](tel:7148793901) or go to [hiu.edu/campusvisit](https://hiu.edu/campusvisit).

## Preview Events

We host several fun, informative events for prospective students (and parents) throughout the year, including Preview Days in November and March, as well as evening events such as Hope After Hours and Major Spotlight Night.

Visit [hiu.edu/events](https://hiu.edu/events) for view and RSVP to upcoming events.

## Financial Aid

Our friendly Financial Aid team is here to help you identify and apply for the best options that are available to help you pay for your HIU education, including scholarships, grants, and loans. Representatives are available to meet with you by phone, Zoom, or in person. To schedule a time, call (714) 879-3901, x2202, or email [financial-aid@hiu.edu](mailto:financial-aid@hiu.edu).

## Apply Today

Don't wait! Early applicants generally receive the best financial aid awards. To start the process, go online to [hiu.edu/apply](https://hiu.edu/apply) or call 888-352-HOPE. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or need any assistance.





# Undergraduate Programs

\*Offered Online Only   †Offered Online & On Campus   \*\*Contract Program with Cal State Fullerton

## ▲ ARTS & SCIENCES

Bachelor of Arts in:

- Criminal Justice†
- English Literature
- Interdisciplinary Studies
- Social Science
  - » Human Services
  - » History
  - » Political Science
- Liberal Arts Contract Programs with CSUF\*\*
  - » Communication
  - » Pre-Physical Therapy

Bachelor of Science in:

- Kinesiology



## ▲ BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT

Bachelor of Arts in:

- Business & Management
  - » Accounting
  - » Marketing
  - » Organizational Psychology
  - » Financial Planning
  - » Sport Business Management
- Cross-Cultural Business Administration
- Business Administration\*
  - » Entrepreneurship\*
  - » Sport Business Management\*

## ▲ EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts in:

- Liberal Studies/Teacher Preparation†
  - » Early Childhood Education†
  - » Elementary Education†
  - » Special Education†
  - » Secondary Education †
    - English†
    - Social Science†
    - Foundational Mathematics
    - Coaching & Health†

## ▲ MINISTRY & BIBLICAL STUDIES

Bachelor of Arts in:

- Biblical Studies
- Church Ministry
- Children & Family Ministry
- Intercultural Studies
- Youth & Family Ministry
- Christian Ministry\*

Bachelor of Music in:

- Worship Arts

## ▲ PSYCHOLOGY & COUNSELING

Bachelor of Arts in:

- Psychology
  - » Behavioral Psychology
  - » Organizational Psychology
  - » Child & Adolescent Development
  - » Child Life Specialist
  - » Infant & Toddler Mental Health
  - » Media Psychology
  - » Sports Psychology
- Human Development\*



# Graduate Programs

\* Offered On Campus Only

## ▲ BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT

### Master of Business Administration:

- Customized
- Marketing Management
- General Management
- Non-Profit Management
- MBA/MA in Ministry Dual Degree

### Master of Science in Management:

- Customized
- Marketing Management
- General Management
- Non-Profit Management
- MBA/MA in Ministry Dual Degree

## ▲ EDUCATION

### Master of Arts:

- Educational Administration

### Master of Education:

- Elementary Education
  - » Multiple Subject Concentration
- Secondary Education
  - Single Subject Concentration

### Combined Programs:

- M.A. in Educational Administration & Preliminary Administrative Services Credential
- M.Ed with Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential
- M.Ed with Preliminary Single Subject Teaching Credential

### Credential Programs for CA:

- Preliminary Administrative Services Credential
- Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential
- Preliminary Single Subject Teaching Credential

## ▲ MINISTRY & BIBLICAL STUDIES

### Master of Arts:

- Ministry - Single Concentration
- Ministry - Dual Concentration
- MA in Ministry/MBA Dual Degree

### Master of Divinity:

- Ministry

## ▲ PSYCHOLOGY & COUNSELING

### Master of Arts:

- Marriage & Family Therapy\*

### Master of Science:

- Counseling





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