# Public Information

The Planning Accreditation Board requires this information be posted for *the Bachelor of Science of Urban & Regional Planning at Cal Poly Pomona* program.

**Student Achievement**

In the final year of the BSURP program, students complete a senior project under the guidance of a faculty supervisor. Additionally, the students must present their senior project research in the form of a poster. Members of the Board of Directors of the Inland, Orange, and Los Angeles sections of the American Planning Association, as well as local planning professionals are invited to the poster session, and asked to score the posters using a rubric comprised of five criteria: 1) problem definition, 2) planning knowledge, 3) research design, 4) communication skills, 5) ethical reasoning.

34 senior project posters were presented to local APA chapter board members and planning professionals on May 16, 2024. Overall, the average rating scale was "exceeds expectations." Criterion by criterion:

**Problem Definition**  --exceeds expectations
**Planning Knowledge**
   Literature  --exceeds expectations
   Subfield --exceeds expectations
**Research Design**
   Explained & Appropriate --meets expectations
   Application --exceeds expectations
   Conclusions Appropriately Drawn --meets expectations
**Communication Skills**
   Clarity & Conciseness of Poster --exceeds expectations
   Oral presentation --exceeds expectations
   Replied to Questions & Participated in Discussion --exceeds expectations
**Ethical Reasoning**
   Recognition of Ethical Issues --exceeds expectations
   Issues such as Public Interest, Governance & Justice  --exceeds expectations

**2024-2025 Tuition and Fees**

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| In State Residents, per full-time academic year | $7,780 |
| Out of State Residents, per full-time academic year | $20,380 |

**Student Retention Rate**

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| Percentage of students who began studies in fall 2023 and continued into fall 2024 | 98.5% |

**Student Graduation Rate**

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| Percentage of students graduating within 4 years, entering class of 2020 | 65.7% |
| Percentage of students graduating within 6 years, entering class of 2018 (for accredited undergrad) | 81.4% |

**Number of Degrees Awarded**

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| Number of degrees awarded for 2023-2024 Academic Year | 43 |

**AICP Pass Rate**

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| Percentage of bachelor's graduates taking the AICP exam within 5 years who passed, graduating class of 2018 (for accredited undergrad) | 100% |

**Employment**

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| Percentage of all graduates obtaining professional planning, planning-related, or other positions within 12 months of graduation, graduating class of 2023 | 66.7% |