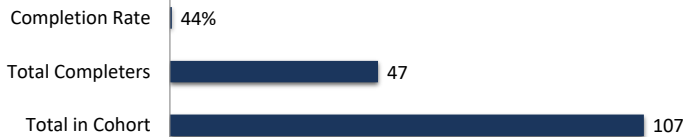


## Completion Rates

For all first-time, full-time students who started and completed their Bachelor's Degree during the 12-month period for which 150% for completion elapsed on August 31, 2021. (Fall 2015 Cohort)



## Disaggregated Completion Rates

By Gender	Total in Cohort	Total Completers	Completion Rate
Men	75	32	43%
Women	32	15	47%
<b>Total</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>44%</b>

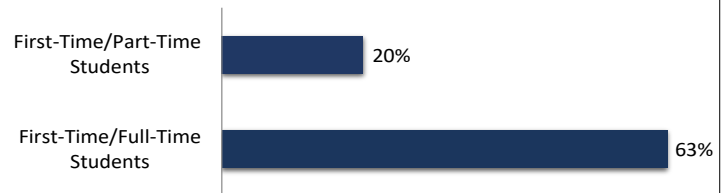
By Race/Ethnicity	Total in Cohort	Total Completers	Completion Rate
Nonresident Alien	1	0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	19	9	47%
American Indian or Alaska Native	3	2	67%
Asian	18	13	72%
Black or African American	9	3	33%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	1	0	0%
White	34	17	50%
Two or more races	11	2	18%
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	11	1	9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>44%</b>

Federal Student Aid Recipients	Total in Cohort	Total Completers	Completion Rate
Pell Grant	49	21	43%
Subsidized Loan / No Pell Grant	20	7	35%
No Pell Grant or Subsidized Loan	38	19	50%

## Retention Rates

Percentage of undergraduate students who started their training in the Fall of 2020 and returned in the Fall of 2021 (as reported to IPEDS).



## Student Body Diversity

### Fall 2021 Enrollment Data

Total Enrollment	434
Total Undergraduate Enrollment	425
Total Graduate Enrollment	9

	Total Students	% of Enrollment
<b>By Gender</b>		
Men	319	74%
Women	115	26%
<b>Total</b>	<b>434</b>	
<b>By Race/Ethnicity</b>		
Nonresident Alien	9	2%
Hispanic/Latino	99	23%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	0%
Asian	90	21%
Black or African American	39	9%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	2	0%
White	121	28%
Two or more races	34	8%
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	39	9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>434</b>	
<b>Federal Pell Grant Recipients</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>50%</b>

## On-Time Graduation (Completion) and Graduate Employment (Placement) Rates

For students who completed their degree program during the 12-month period of 1/1/2020 to 12/31/20 for which normal time for completion had elapsed and who attained employment in their field of study as outlined on our 2020 BPPE Annual Report Submission.

(Completion and Placement Rates were calculated using the BPPE reporting methodology.)

Program	Total Starts	On Time Grads	On Time Completion Rates	150% Grads	150% Completion Rates	Eligible Grads	Grads Placed	Placement Rates
BA in Digital Art and Animation	82	28	34%	36	44%	35	3	9%
BA in Game Design Art	41	9	22%	16	39%	16	2	13%
Bachelor of Business Administration	2	0	0%	0	0%	0	0	0%
BS in Computer Science	13	4	31%	5	38%	4	1	25%
BS in Digital Audio Technology	26	2	8%	2	8%	2	1	50%
BS in Game Design Engineering	43	12	28%	16	37%	16	3	19%
BS in Software Development	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	30%
Certificate in Cloud Computing	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	30%
Graduate Certificate in Project Management	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	30%
MA in Entrepreneurship and Innovation	13	11	85%	11	85%	10	3	30%
MS in Management and Leadership in Creative Technologies	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	30%

For more information on placement in employment and types of employment obtained by graduates of our programs, view our School Performance Fact Sheets at: <https://usv.edu/disclosures>

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WSCUC is an accrediting agency that is recognized by the United States Department of Education. For more information regarding WSCUC accreditation, visit: <https://www.wscuc.org/>.

The process to file a complaint with WSCUC can be found at: <https://www.wscuc.org/content/complaints-and-third-party-comments-policy>.

The University of Silicon Valley is a private institution and is approved to operate by the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE) in the State of California. Approval to operate means the institution is compliant with the minimum standards contained in the California Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009 (as amended) and Division 7.5 of Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations. For more information regarding BPPE approval, visit: <https://www.bppe.ca.gov/>. A student or any member of the public may file a complaint about this institution with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education by calling (888) 370-7589 or by completing a complaint form, which can be obtained on the bureau's internet website at:

[https://www.bppe.ca.gov/forms\\_pubs/complaint.pdf](https://www.bppe.ca.gov/forms_pubs/complaint.pdf).

Additional consumer information can be found on the College Navigator website at: <https://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator/?q=cogswell+college&s=all&id=112394>

For important regulatory information, please visit our website at: <https://usv.edu/disclosures/>.

## Financial Aid Information

The Financial Aid Office is available to assist students with developing a financial plan to pay for school. For those students needing financial assistance, federal student aid is financial help available to eligible students and assists with paying for educational expenses while attending school. There are many types of financial aid available for those qualifying applicants which includes grants that don't have to be paid back, as well as low-interest, government-backed loans that must be repaid. Federal Student Aid eligibility is based on individual student information and all students may not be eligible.

Basic eligibility requirements are that you must:

- Be US citizen or eligible non-citizen,
- Demonstrate financial need for certain programs,
- Have a HS Diploma or GED,
- Not be in default on a federal student loan or owe a repayment on a grant,
- Maintain Satisfactory Academic Progress,
- Have a valid Social Security Number, and
- Be working towards a degree or certificate in an eligible program.

To apply for federal student aid, students must first complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). This application form can be completed and submitted online at: [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). The Student Aid Report generated after the FAFSA is completed, in addition to institutional and other applications, will be used to determine your eligibility for aid. In addition to federal student aid, students may be eligible state and/or institutional aid. The Financial Aid Office has information on financial aid funding options.

## Return of Federal Student Aid

The Return of Federal Student Aid policy and the Refund Policy consists of two different calculations. All students who receive federal student aid while attending school will have any unearned funds returned to the federal student aid programs should they withdraw prior to completing more than 60% of the payment period from which they withdrew and is calculated based on the student's last date of attendance.

## Code of Conduct for Education Loans

The University of Silicon Valley has established a Code of Conduct for student loans that limits or restricts certain activities between employees of the institution and student loan lending institutions.

Our Code of Conduct may be found on our website at: [www.usv.edu/admission/financial-aid/code-of-conduct/](http://www.usv.edu/admission/financial-aid/code-of-conduct/)

## Contact Information

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Email: [finaid@usv.edu](mailto:finaid@usv.edu)

Additional financial aid information can be obtained from our website at:  
<https://usv.edu/admission/financial-aid/>

## Copyright Infringement

Copyright infringement is the act of exercising, without permission or legal authority, one or more of the exclusive rights granted to the copyright owner under section 106 of the Copyright Act (Title 17 of the United States Code). These rights include the right to reproduce or distribute a copyrighted work. In the file-sharing context, downloading or uploading substantial parts of a copyrighted work without authority constitutes an infringement. Penalties for copyright infringement include civil and criminal penalties. In general, anyone found liable for civil copyright infringement may be ordered to pay either actual damages or "statutory" damages affixed at not less than \$750 and not more than \$30,000 per work infringed. For "willful" infringement, a court may award up to \$150,000 per work infringed. A court can, in its discretion, also assess costs and attorneys' fees. For details, see Title 17, United States Code, Sections 504, 505. Willful copyright infringement can also result in criminal penalties, including imprisonment of up to five years and fines of up to \$250,000 per offense. For more information, please see the website of the U.S. Copyright Office at: <https://copyright.gov> <https://copyright.gov>.

## Student Conduct Code

While attending our institution, students are expected to display the highest degree of ethical and professional conduct at all times. The Student Conduct Code is outlined in the University of Silicon Valley Student Handbook and is provided to all enrolled students that outlines the standards of expected conduct, as well as the sanctions and penalties for failing to adhere to its requirements.

## Vaccinations Policy

Students attending USV are not required to have any pre-COVID vaccinations as a condition of enrollment or attendance. However, we encourage all students to get vaccinated.

## Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program

USV complies with the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act, the Drug-Free Workplace Act of 1988, the Government-Wide Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace, and the Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention regulations. Current and prospective students are provided information on preventing drug and alcohol abuse, standards of conduct, and sanctions and penalties for possession, use or distribution of controlled substances.

Our Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Program can be found on the Disclosures Page on our website at:

<https://usv.edu/disclosures>

## Campus Security and Fire Safety Report

The Campus Security Act of 1990 requires that all schools compile and distribute an annual campus security report each year. This report provides crime statistics for the last three years, as well as a description of our school's policies concerning campus security, fire safety, timely warnings, emergency notification and evacuation procedures.

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## Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) sets limits on the disclosure of personally identifiable information from school records and affords students certain rights with respect to reviewing and/or requesting a change to their educational records.

These rights give students the right to:

- Review their educational records,
- Seek to amend inaccurate information in their records, and
- Provide consent for the disclosure of their records.

For more information on FERPA, contact the Registrar's Office; or go to:

<https://usv.edu/student-gateway-3/student-life/ferpa>

## California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA)

The California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 (CCPA) gives consumers more control over the personal information that businesses collect about them. This law secures new privacy rights for California consumers including:

- The right to know about the personal information collected and how it is used and shared;
- The right to delete personal information collected ;
- The right to opt-out of the sale of their personal information; and
- The right to non-discrimination for exercising CCPA rights .

Our CCPA Privacy Policy

can be found on the Disclosures Page on our website at:

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## Students with Disabilities

USV complies with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. The College will make every effort to assist students pursue their academic goals. If a student is requesting accommodations, they must provide appropriate documentation verifying the disability to the Dean of Students. The Dean of Students will work directly with the student in providing accommodations in accordance with applicable laws. A student is not required to disclose their disability if they are not seeking accommodations.

For more information regarding access and disability services, contact the Student Services Department; or go to:

<https://usv.edu/student-gateway/student-life/student-services/disability-services/>

## Voter Registration Information

Students may visit their county elections office, library, Department of Motor Vehicles offices, or U.S. post office to obtain a paper Voter Registration form and necessary requirements outlined by their state. To request a paper voter registration application be mailed to you, please call (800) 345-VOTE (8683) or email [Elections.Division@usv.edu](mailto:Elections.Division@usv.edu).

Electronic versions of the Voter Registration Form are available on the CA Elections and Voter Information website at: <https://registertovote.ca.gov>