More than one-third of first-year and over half of transfer students who enroll at UC San Diego will be the first generation in their family to graduate from college.

46% of newly enrolled California resident undergraduates were Pell recipients.

70% of UC San Diego’s undergraduates receive some form of financial aid.

Since 2013, more than 2,200 students have received a life-changing scholarship created by Chancellor Pradeep K. Khosla to improve social mobility.
ADVANCING SOCIETY THROUGH INNOVATION

According to the latest overview of inventions arising from the University of California system, our research program generated more than 400 new invention disclosures and over 90 new U.S. patents.

UC San Diego seeks to empower a diverse entrepreneurial culture on campus, uniting unique perspectives to develop solutions that positively impact society. The latest developments from the campus community include a free mobile app that helps users administer CPR and a startup that develops 3D-printed, custom-made prostheses.

At the Design and Innovation Building on campus, disruptive ideas come together to spark learning, technology, collaboration and new ventures. Each floor is designed to help the campus community explore their ideas, such as The Basement — a student-focused incubation space where students can participate in startup incubators, entrepreneurial workshops and more.

GIVING BACK

Thanks to the support of more than 163,000 donors, the university raised more than $3 billion over the course of the recently concluded 10-year Campaign for UC San Diego, becoming the youngest university in the nation to surpass a multibillion-dollar fundraising goal.

More than 45,600 alumni donors gave $257 million in gifts, representing an increase of 1,300% over the last campaign.

The UC San Diego community contributes more than 3 million hours of public service per year.

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