

CSPM



MISSION

The California School of Podiatric Medicine is committed to provide excellent podiatric medical education across the spectrum of healthcare delivery, meaningful community service, and innovative research.

To achieve this mission we will treat everyone with compassion and respect, work cooperatively and inter-professionally, hold ourselves to the highest levels of ethical conduct, continuously strive to improve our performance, and manage our resources prudently.

HISTORY

DATE FOUNDED
1914

ANNUAL CLASS SIZE
48

TYPE OF INSTITUTION
PRIVATE
NON-PROFIT

TERM TYPE
SEMESTER

CAMPUS SETTING
URBAN

HOUSING
SELF-SELECTED

CONTACT INFORMATION

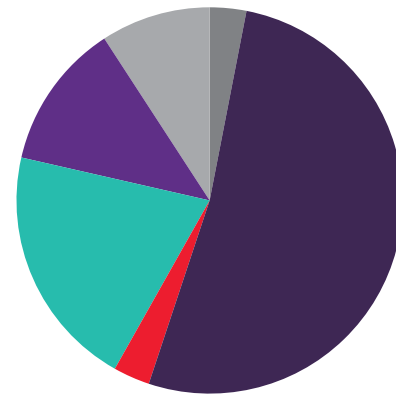
OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS
3100 TELEGRAPH AVENUE
SUITE 1000
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UNIQUE FACTS

- **GRADUATING STUDENTS CITE THE OVERALL EDUCATION, AS WELL AS FACULTY, AS THE TOP REASONS FOR RECOMMENDING CSPM TO OTHERS.**
- **OUR HEALTH SCIENCES SIMULATION CENTER (HSSC) IS ONE OF ONLY THREE CENTERS WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI TO RECEIVE NATIONAL ACCREDITATION.**

ENTERING CLASS DEMOGRAPHICS



20% WHITE

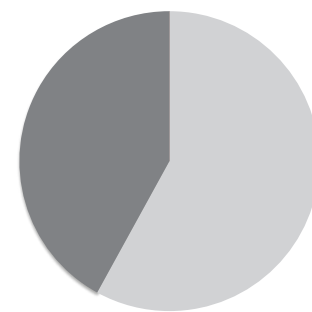
3% BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN

12% SPANISH/HISPANIC/LATINA

9% N/R

51% ASIAN

3% MULTI RACE



MALE 55%

FEMALE 45%

AGE RANGE 22-40

AVERAGE AGE 26



**CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF
PODIATRIC MEDICINE**
Dean: Eric D. Stamps, DPM

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2021 MCAT RESULTS

RANGE 477-522

AVERAGE 496

2021 GPA RESULTS

SCIENCE RANGE 2.86-3.37

AVERAGE 3.12

OVERALL RANGE 3.12-3.53

AVERAGE 3.33



APPLICATION PROCESS

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION REQUIRED: NO

RECOMMENDATION LETTERS: YES

1. ONE LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A PRACTICING PODIATRIC PHYSICIAN.
2. TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION FROM COLLEGE FACULTY OR A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION FROM A PRE-PROFESSIONAL ADVISORY BOARD.

SEND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION BY:

LETTERS BY LIAISON: YES INTERFOLIO: YES
PAPER: YES

SEND PAPER LETTERS TO:

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MANDATORY ON-CAMPUS OR VIRTUAL INTERVIEW: YES

SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

PRE-PODIATRY:

- THE CSPM PODIATRY EXPERIENCE: SUMMER IMMERSION PROGRAM
- WWW.SAMUELMERRITT.EDU/CSPMEXPERIENCE

CURRENT STUDENT SERVICES:

- COUNSELING AND WELLNESS SERVICES
- PEER TUTORING
- ACADEMIC SUPPORT (STUDY SKILLS, TEST TAKING, TIME MANAGEMENT)
- WRITING SUPPORT
- DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES
- PROFESSIONAL AND CAREER GUIDANCE/SUPPORT

ACTIVE STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS:

- ALUMNI & ASSOCIATES, STUDENT CHAPTER
- AMERICAN PODIATRIC MEDICAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION (APMSA)
- BIOMECHANICS CLUB

TUITION

FIRST YEAR

TUITION (RESIDENT & NON-RESIDENT) \$45,753

FEES (APPLICATION FEE, STUDENT BODY FEE, CPMSA ASSOCIATION FEE, AND LAB FEE) \$620

BOOKS/SUPPLIES/INSTRUMENTS \$4,820

ESTIMATED LIVING EXPENSES \$27,000

STUDENTS CAN PLAN FOR A RATE OF INCREASE OF 5% PER YEAR. EACH PODIATRIC MEDICAL COLLEGE MAKES EVERY EFFORT TO PROVIDE ACCURATE, CURRENT INFORMATION. TUITION AND FEES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. FOR THE MOST UP TO DATE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT THE COLLEGE'S FINANCIAL AID WEBSITE.