

# Statement of Accreditation Status Golden Gate University

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**Student Achievement URL:** <https://ggu.edu/student-success-retention-graduation/>

**Current Accreditation Status:** Accredited with Notice of Concern

**Most Recent Commission Action:** September 23, 2025

**First Accredited:** 1959

**Undergraduate FTE:** 192

**Graduate FTE:** 2,575

**Financial Structure Type:** Non-Profit

**Sponsorship:** No Related Entity

**Academic Calendar:** Trimester

**Distributes Federal Financial Aid:** Yes

## Commission Actions

- \*Commission Action Letter, Reaffirmation, June 2025 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, Special Visit, February 2023 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, Special Visit, June 2021 action
- \*Commission Action Letter, Accreditation Visit, June 2019 action
- \*Team Report, Reaffirmation, June 2025 action
- \*Team Report, Special Visit, February 2023 action
- \*Team Report, Special Visit, June 2021 action
- \*Team Report, Accreditation Visit, June 2019 action

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## Locations

<b>OPEID</b>	<b>Location Name</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Location Type</b>	<b>Status</b>
00120500	Golden Gate University	San Francisco	Main Campus	active

## Degrees

<b>Degree</b>	<b>Degree Level</b>	<b>Year Implemented</b>	<b>Modality</b>
Accounting Data and Analytics Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
Accounting Data and Analytics Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	On-Site
Accounting Foundations Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2020	Distance Education
Accounting Foundations Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	On-Site
Advanced Analytics for Accountants Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
Advanced Analytics for Accountants Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	On-Site
Advanced Global Business Management Professional Certificate	Non-degree	2023	Distance Education
Analytics and Automation for Accountants Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2022	Distance Education
Analytics and Automation for Accountants Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2022	On-Site
Associate of Arts in Business Administration	Associate	2022	Distance Education
Associate of Arts in General Studies	Associate	2015	On-Site
Associate of Arts in General Studies	Associate	2015	Distance Education
Associate of Arts in Liberal Studies	Associate	2022	Distance Education
Associate of Science in Applied Computing	Associate	2022	Distance Education
Bachelor of Arts in Management	Bachelors	2005	On-Site
Bachelor of Arts in Management	Bachelors	2005	Distance Education
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology	Bachelors	2020	Distance Education

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Bachelor of Arts in Psychology	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Accounting	Bachelors	2019	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Accounting	Bachelors	2020	Distance Education
Bachelor of Science in Business	Bachelors	2010	On-Site
Bachelor of Science in Business	Bachelors	2010	Distance Education
Business Management Undergraduate Certificate	Non-degree	2024	On-Site
Business Management Undergraduate Certificate	Non-degree	2024	Distance Education
CPA Applied Accounting Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	On-Site
CPA Applied Accounting Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
California Governmental Accounting Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2023	Distance Education
California Governmental Accounting Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2023	On-Site
Computer Science Undergraduate Certificate	Non-degree	2024	Distance Education
Computer Science Undergraduate Certificate	Non-degree	2024	On-Site
DBA	Professional Doctorate	1987	On-Site
Digital Marketing Undergraduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
Doctor of Business Administration	Professional Doctorate	2022	Distance Education
Doctor of Business Administration in Digital Leadership	Professional Doctorate	2024	Distance Education
Doctor of Business Administration in Emerging Technologies	Professional Doctorate	2024	Distance Education
Doctor of Juridical Sciences	Professional Doctorate	2023	Distance Education
Executive MBA	Masters	2008	On-Site
GR Certificate Analytics for Competitive Advantage	Non-degree	2017	On-Site
GR Certificate Advanced Studies in Taxation	Non-degree	1990	On-Site
GR Certificate Advanced Studies in Taxation	Non-degree	1990	Distance Education
GR Certificate Analytics for Competitive Advantage	Non-degree	2017	Distance Education
GR Certificate Conflict Resolution and Coaching	Non-degree	1996	Distance Education
GR Certificate Conflict Resolution and Coaching	Non-degree	1996	On-Site
GR Certificate Counseling Skills	Non-degree	2015	Distance Education

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GR Certificate Counseling Skills	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
GR Certificate Estate Planning	Non-degree	1996	On-Site
GR Certificate Estate Planning	Non-degree	1996	Distance Education
GR Certificate Financial Life Planning	Non-degree	2018	On-Site
GR Certificate Financial Life Planning	Non-degree	2018	Distance Education
GR Certificate Financial Planning	Non-degree	1996	Distance Education
GR Certificate Financial Planning	Non-degree	1996	On-Site
GR Certificate Human Resource Management	Non-degree	1990	Distance Education
GR Certificate Human Resource Management	Non-degree	1990	On-Site
GR Certificate Industrial-Organizational Psychology	Non-degree	2015	Distance Education
GR Certificate Industrial-Organizational Psychology	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
GR Certificate Information Technology Management	Non-degree	1994	Distance Education
GR Certificate Information Technology Management	Non-degree	1994	On-Site
GR Certificate Public Administration Leadership	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
GR Certificate Public Administration Leadership	Non-degree	2015	Distance Education
GR Certificate Taxation	Non-degree	1997	Distance Education
GR Certificate Taxation	Non-degree	1997	On-Site
GR Certificate in Urban Innovations	Non-degree	2020	Distance Education
GR Certificate in Urban Innovations	Non-degree	2020	On-Site
Global Business Analytics Professional Certificate	Non-degree	2023	Distance Education
Global Business Management Professional Certificate	Non-degree	2023	Distance Education
Global Doctor of Business Administration	Professional Doctorate	2023	Distance Education
Global Master of Arts in Psychology	Masters	2024	Distance Education
Global Master of Business Administration	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Global Master of Management	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Global Master of Science in Finance	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Global Master of Science in Leadership	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Global Master of Science in Marketing	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Global Master of Science in Project Management	Masters	2024	Distance Education

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Global Project Management Professional Certificate	Non-degree	2023	Distance Education
Juris Doctor	Professional Doctorate	2025	Distance Education
LLM Taxation	Masters	1978	On-Site
LLM US Legal Studies	Masters	1998	On-Site
LLM in International Business and Finance Law	Masters	2022	Distance Education
LLM in Taxation	Masters	2020	Distance Education
Law Enforcement and Security Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2023	Distance Education
Law Enforcement and Security Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2023	On-Site
MA in Counseling Psychology	Masters	2020	Distance Education
MS Financial Analytics	Masters	2020	Distance Education
MS in Financial Analytics	Masters	2022	On-Site
Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology	Masters	1999	On-Site
Master of Arts in Industrial-Organizational Psychology	Masters	2015	On-Site
Master of Arts in Industrial-Organizational Psychology	Masters	2015	Distance Education
Master of Business Administration	Masters	2000	Distance Education
Master of Business Administration	Masters	2000	On-Site
Master of Law Studies	Masters	2022	On-Site
Master of Law Studies	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Master of Public Administration	Masters	2011	On-Site
Master of Public Administration	Masters	2003	Distance Education
Master of Science in Accounting Data & Analytics	Masters	2013	Distance Education
Master of Science in Accounting Data & Analytics	Masters	2013	On-Site
Master of Science in Advanced Financial Planning	Masters	2008	Distance Education
Master of Science in Advanced Financial Planning	Masters	2008	On-Site
Master of Science in Artificial Intelligence	Masters	2022	Distance Education
Master of Science in Business Analytics	Masters	2017	On-Site
Master of Science in Business Analytics	Masters	2017	Distance Education
Master of Science in Digital Technology and Security	Masters	2023	On-Site
Master of Science in Digital Technology and Security	Masters	2023	Distance Education

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Master of Science in Finance	Masters	1983	On-Site
Master of Science in Finance	Masters	2000	Distance Education
Master of Science in Financial Planning	Masters	2000	On-Site
Master of Science in Financial Planning	Masters	2001	Distance Education
Master of Science in Human Resource Management	Masters	2004	Distance Education
Master of Science in Human Resource Management	Masters	1979	On-Site
Master of Science in Information Technology Management	Masters	2005	Distance Education
Master of Science in Information Technology Management	Masters	2004	On-Site
Master of Science in Marketing	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Master of Science in Marketing	Masters	2025	On-Site
Master of Science in Project Management	Masters	2011	On-Site
Master of Science in Project Management	Masters	2011	Distance Education
Master of Science in Taxation	Masters	1999	Distance Education
Master of Science in Taxation	Masters	2000	On-Site
Mater of Science in Artificial Intelligence	Masters	2023	On-Site
Professional Master of Business Administration	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Professional Master of Business Administration	Masters	2023	On-Site
Professional Master of Science in Computer Science	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Professional Master of Science in Computer Science	Masters	2023	On-Site
Professional Master of Science in Data Science	Masters	2023	On-Site
Professional Master of Science in Data Science	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Professional Master of Science in Engineering Management	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Professional Master of Science in Engineering Management	Masters	2023	On-Site
Professional Master of Science in Information Technology Management	Masters	2023	Distance Education
Professional Master of Science in Information Technology Management	Masters	2023	On-Site
Project Management Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	1992	Distance Education

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Project Management Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	1992	On-Site
Project Management Undergraduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
PsyD in Applied Counseling Psychology	Professional Doctorate	2025	Distance Education
SJD International Legal Studies	Professional Doctorate	1997	On-Site
Salesforce for Business Undergraduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
Security in Computer Systems Management Graduate Certificate	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
UG Certificate Finance	Non-degree	1990	Distance Education
UG Certificate Finance	Non-degree	1990	On-Site
UG Certificate Information Technology Management	Non-degree	1990	On-Site
UG Certificate Information Technology Management	Non-degree	1990	Distance Education
UG Certificate International Business	Non-degree	1992	On-Site
UG Certificate International Business	Non-degree	1992	Distance Education
UG Certificate Management	Non-degree	1992	On-Site
UG Certificate Management	Non-degree	1992	Distance Education
UG Certificate Operations and Supply Chain Management	Non-degree	1996	On-Site
UG Certificate Operations and Supply Chain Management	Non-degree	1996	Distance Education
UG Certificate Public Administration Leadership	Non-degree	2015	Distance Education
UG Certificate Public Administration Leadership	Non-degree	2015	On-Site
UG Certificate in Leading and Managing through Change and Disruption	Non-degree	2021	Distance Education
UG Certificate: UG Leading and Managing through Change and Disruption	Non-degree	2021	On-Site

## Upcoming Reviews

<b>Season</b>	<b>Year Level</b>	<b>Review Type</b>
Spring	2027	Special Visit
Fall	2030	Offsite Review
Spring	2031	Accreditation Visit