

SCHOOL FOR PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

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Description

The School for Professional Studies offers globally accessible, academic, professional and continuing education programs for adult learners and working students in Saint Louis University's Jesuit tradition of excellence. The SLU faculty and staff promote a student-centered, innovative and enterprising environment built on a foundation of integrity, accountability and collaboration.

Features of SPS

- Online classes
- Flexible, accelerated schedule
- Affordable tuition
- Personalized, career-focused programs

Undergraduate Degrees

- Computer Information Systems, B.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/computer-information-systems-bs/>)
- General Studies, B.A. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/general-studies-ba/>)
- Leadership and Organizational Behavior, B.A. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/leadership-organizational-behavior-ba/>)
- Project Management, B.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/project-management-bs/>)
- Security and Strategic Intelligence, B.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/security-strategic-intelligence-bs/>)
- Technology and Leadership, B.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/technology-leadership-bs/>)

Certificates

- Computer Information Systems, Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/computer-information-systems-certificate/>)
- Project Management, Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/project-management-certificate/>)

Minors

- Computer Information Systems, Minor (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/computer-information-systems-minor/>)
- Leadership and Organizational Behavior, Minor (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/leadership-org-behavior-minor/>)
- Project Management, Minor (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/project-management-minor/>)

Accelerated Bachelor's to Master's Programs

- Bachelor's to Applied Artificial Intelligence and Decision Analytics, M.S. Accelerated Program (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/applied-ai-decision-analytics-abm/>)
- Bachelor's to Cybersecurity, M.S. Accelerated Program (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/accelerated-bachelors-ms-cybersecurity/>)
- Bachelor's to Information Systems and Emerging Technologies, M.S. Accelerated Program (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/info-systems-emerging-tech-abm/>)
- Bachelor's to Leadership and Organizational Development, M.A. Accelerated Program (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/accelerated-bachelors-ma-leadership-organizational-development/>)
- Bachelor's to Project Management, M.S. Accelerated Program (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/accelerated-bachelors-ms-project-management/>)
- Lincoln University Bachelor's to Cybersecurity, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/lincoln-cybersecurity-ms-accelerated/>)
- Lincoln University Bachelor's to Strategic Intelligence, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/lincoln-strategic-intelligence-ms-accelerated/>)
- Strategic Intelligence, Bachelor's to M.S. Accelerated Program (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/accelerated-bachelors-ms-strategic-intelligence/>)

Graduate Degrees

- Applied AI and Decision Analytics, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/applied-ai-decision-analytics-ms/>)
- Cybersecurity, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/cybersecurity-ms/>)
- Information Systems and Emerging Technologies, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/information-systems-emerging-tech-ms/>)
- Leadership and Organizational Development, M.A. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/leadership-organizational-development-ma/>)
- Project Management, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/project-management-ms/>)
- Strategic Intelligence, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/strategic-intelligence-ms/>)

- Technology Leadership, M.S. (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/technology-leadership-ms/>)

Certificates

- Advanced Analytics, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/advanced-analytics-pbc/>)
- AI for Cybersecurity, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/ai-cybersecurity-pbc/>)
- AI-Driven Software Development, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/ai-drive-software-development-pbc/>)
- Analytics, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/analytics-pbc/>)
- Applied AI and Decision Analytics, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/applied-ai-decision-analytics-pbc/>)
- Cloud Computing, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/cloud-computing-pbc/>)
- Cybersecurity, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/cybersecurity-pb-cert/>)
- Evidence-Based Decision Making, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/evidence-based-decision-making-pb-cert/>)
- Information Systems Consulting, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/information-systems-consulting-pbc/>)
- Information Systems, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/information-systems-pbc/>)
- Organizational Development, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/organizational-development-pb-cert/>)
- Organizational Leadership, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/organizational-leadership-pb-cert/>)
- Project Management, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/project-management-pbc/>)
- Strategic Intelligence, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/strategic-intelligence-pb-cert/>)
- Threat Intelligence, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (<https://catalog.slu.edu/colleges-schools/professional-studies/threat-intelligence-pbc/>)

Policies

Contract Major Option

This option is for the benefit of the student who wishes to develop an academic program that is unique and interdisciplinary in nature. Based on the student's educational and career goals, this option allows the student to create a program that is personalized.

Credit for Prior Learning

Students may receive credit for prior learning from the following areas:

- Transfer credits from other accredited institutions
- College Level Examination Program (CLEP) testing
- DSST testing (formerly DANTES testing)
- Industry certifications with an external accreditor (such as an association or agency) in which the certification is received upon successful completion of a test
- Credit that is approved by the American Council of Education (ACE)

The number of total transfer credits (across all forms of prior learning) cannot exceed those permitted by Saint Louis University, SPS or the specific program to which the credit will be counted.

Faculty

As a student in the School for Professional Studies at Saint Louis University, you'll learn from exceptional faculty who are leading experts in their fields. They bring real-world knowledge to the classroom and are dedicated to your professional success. Learn more on our faculty page (<https://www.slu.edu/professional-studies/contact-us/faculty/>).

Full-Time Faculty

- Craig Boyd, Ph.D.
- John P. Buerck, Ph.D.
- Kyle Crews, Ph.D.
- Tatiana Cardona, Ph.D.
- Katie Devany
- Jennifer Giancola, Ph.D.
- Juan Gonzalez-Espinosa, Ph.D.
- Matt Grawitch, Ph.D.
- Kamal Lamsal, Ph.D.
- Joe Lyons, Ph.D.
- Meegan McKeethen
- Srikanth Mudigonda, Ph.D.
- Dawn M. Newman, Ph.D.
- Falak Saffaf, Ph.D.
- Dhananjay Singh, Ph.D.
- Shawn Steadman
- Annamaria Szakonyi, Ph.D.
- Maria Weber
- Steve Winton, Ph.D.