

Be part of the future in the tech capital of the world.



Do you want to make your mark on the digital life of millions around the globe? A Master of Science in Information Systems degree at Santa Clara University equips you with the knowledge and skills to design, build, and manage the information systems that drive the Silicon Valley. Renowned researchers and experienced Silicon Valley veterans teach you how to apply cutting-edge information technology to solve important challenges in business, technology, and society.

We constantly refresh our catalogue of electives at Silicon Valley speed to offer you both the fundamentals that you need for success and the latest technology such as machine learning, data science, or mobile programming that you need for a profile that excites your future employer. You crown your time at Santa Clara University with a capstone project that allows you to either solve an important problem for one of our Silicon Valley company partners or to pursue your own idea that may end up to be the nucleus of your own company. You choose; you excel.

## Contact Information

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### Program Details

- **Program duration:** Full-time and flexible part-time program
- **Time/schedule:** Evening and Saturday classes
- **Course delivery:** Cohort-style; elective courses are flexible.
- **Total units:** 48
- **Tuition per unit** = \$1,277 (2023-24)

### Class Profile

**Average age:** 27

**Average GPA:** 3.45

**Average GMAT:** 650 and **GRE:** 311

**Average TOEFL:** 97

**Average months of work experience:** 35

**Gender representation:** 90% F, 10% M

### Apply Online

- Personal Statement and Resume
- GMAT or GRE score
- Two letters of recommendation
- U.S. transcripts or NACES Evaluation showing U.S. bachelor's degree equivalent
- TOEFL, IELTS, or Duolingo exam required for applicants educated outside the U.S.
- Successful completion of a college-level programming course preferably at time of application, no later than start of program

### Deadlines

Scholarship consideration: **April 1**

Fall: **May 1**

Winter: **October 1**

# MSIS CURRICULUM



Earn your Masters in Information Systems through a program in and of Silicon Valley. Led by faculty recruited from top companies, Santa Clara's MSIS project-based curriculum draws from real-world challenges in the field. MSIS Curriculum falls within four broad clusters: Core IS coursework is comprised of 16 units, Business Core is 6 units, electives consist of 16 units and Integration consists of 10 units, totalling 48 units.

## Core Information Systems Knowledge

Gives students knowledge about the technical aspects of information system design and strategic issues around their use.

## Specialization

Electives offer you a variety of courses to develop capabilities in a specific area

## Core Business Knowledge

Courses provide students with an understanding of the "context" in which information systems operate. Students acquire a basic knowledge of strategic and financial aspects of design and operational IS.

## Integration

To complete your MSIS degree, you will apply your knowledge and skills on a real-world project.

## Masters in Information Services students work or intern at these Silicon Valley companies:

Okta, Siemens, Apple, Visa, Intuitive, Nutanix, ServiceNow, Google, Lockheed Martin Space System, Applied Materials, Telesence, Rivian, Eightfold AI, Cisco, NetApp, Tata Consultancy Services, KLA Tencor, Genentech

**Santa Clara University, with over 100,000 alumni, sits at the Heart of Silicon Valley on the doorstep of the biggest tech companies in the world.**

