



**Samuel Merritt  
University**

# Accelerated Bachelor of Science in Nursing

## 2022-2023

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants are considered for admission based upon the following criteria:

- Baccalaureate degree from a regionally accredited institution and all prerequisites completed with a grade of C or better by the deadline as stated on our website
- Recommended last 60 semester/90 quarter unit and science prerequisite GPA of 3.0 or above
- Scores on the HESI A2 or TEAS
- Letters of recommendation

### PREREQUISITES

Courses do not expire; however, we recommend science courses be taken within the past 5 years.

- English Composition
- English Literature
- Interpersonal Communication
- Introduction to Sociology or General Sociology or Cultural Anthropology
- Social Science Elective
- Life Span Developmental Psychology
- Nutrition
- Statistics
- Human Anatomy with lab\*
- Human Physiology with lab\*
- Microbiology with lab\*
- Chemistry with lab\* (4 semester/6 quarter units)
- Pharmacology\*\*
- Pathophysiology\*\*

*\*Counts towards science GPA \*\*Must be selected from approved list of courses*

Find prerequisites at local community college, UC, CSU and private universities using our prerequisite tool: <https://www.samuelmerritt.edu/admission/articulation>.

For a detailed description of admission requirements and the application process, please visit: <https://www.samuelmerritt.edu>.

### CLINIC LOCATIONS

Clinical coordinators will work with students to arrange clinical sites; however, students should be aware that clinical locations will be in the broad vicinity of the SMU campus they are attending. Travel will be required.

### CAMPUS LOCATIONS

Oakland | Sacramento  
San Mateo

### FORMAT

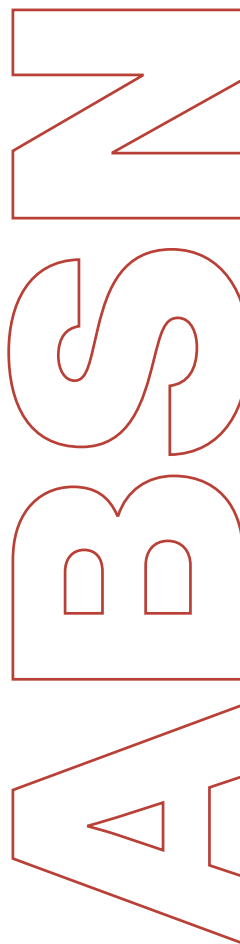
On-Campus

### APPLY BY

Multiple Deadlines; See Website

### PROGRAM DURATION

12 Months





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## HOW TO APPLY

<https://www.nursingcas.org>

## COSTS AND FINANCIAL AID

Your education at Samuel Merritt University is an investment in you and in your future. Not only will you have the opportunity to pursue a rewarding career in healthcare, but SMU graduates earn some of the highest salaries in the country (source: [collegescorecard.ed.gov](http://collegescorecard.ed.gov)). The Financial Aid staff will explain the options that make the cost of attending SMU manageable for you.



Visit our Affording SMU page to learn more:

<https://www.samuelmerritt.edu/admission/affording-smu>

or scan QR code with your phone's camera

## 2022-2023 TUITION

ABSN | **\$1,632/unit** (x52) | **\$84,884**

## FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA)

<https://studentaid.gov> | FAFSA Code: 007012



## **\$124,000**

**Average salary for  
registered nurses  
in California.**

*Source: US Bureau of Labor Statistics, May 2021*

### OFFICE OF ADMISSION

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### OAKLAND CAMPUS

3100 Telegraph Ave, Suite 1000  
Oakland, CA 94609  
510-879-9200

### SACRAMENTO CAMPUS

2710 Gateway Oaks Drive, Suite 300  
Sacramento, CA 95833  
916-646-2770

### SAN MATEO CAMPUS

1720 S. Amphlett Blvd, Suite 300  
San Mateo, CA 94402  
650-292-5565

### FRESNO CAMPUS

1791 E. Fir Avenue  
Fresno, CA 93720  
800-607-6377

### ACCREDITATION

Samuel Merritt University is regionally accredited by the WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC). The prelicensure nursing and family nurse practitioner programs are approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing. The College of Nursing, baccalaureate degree in nursing, master's degree in nursing, and doctor of nursing practice at Samuel Merritt University are accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE). For further information, please contact CCNE at:

#### **Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education**

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