



Master of Advanced Studies in Climate Science and Policy

The Master of Advanced Studies in Climate Science and Policy is a unique interdisciplinary program that responds to the increasing global need for experts who can understand and act on central scientific issues and policy challenges concerning the future of our planet. The intensive one-year program combines learning the science behind the Earth's climate system with a comprehensive climate communication skill set and an understanding of the political, legal, and socio-economic challenges that underpin climate policy.

The MAS CSP program is geared towards professionals with scientific knowledge in government, industry, military and academia that aspire to be leaders for tomorrow.

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This MAS program is offered by Scripps Institution of Oceanography, an internationally top-ranked climate science institution, and by UC San Diego, the highest-ranked university in the US for Earth and Environmental Studies. The program provides professionals with an unparalleled opportunity to be trained amid a remarkable array of climate science research, set in a breathtaking location, and mentored by the prestigious faculty at Scripps, a faculty comprised of 3 Nobel Prize Winners, 18 National Academy of Sciences Members, and 2 National Academy of Engineering Members.

Scripps is training the next generation in climate science and policy -- if you want to join the Scripps team, apply today!

Criteria for admission to Scripps MAS CSP are: commitment to an intensive graduate program and a keen interest in climate science and policy (demonstrated in the statement of purpose and ideas for capstone independent research project), a bachelor's degree from an accredited university that includes college-level science and math course work, a minimum GPA of 3.0, and 3 strong letters of recommendation. Work experience in climate science, environmental policy, or a related field is recommended. For international applicants, the university requires a minimum TOEFL score of 550 (PBT), and 80 (iBT) for consideration for graduate admission. All applicants must complete the online application for graduate admission at <https://gradapply.ucsd.edu> and select Master of Advanced Studies (MAS) Climate Science and Policy (SI84).

Admission deadlines: The early consideration deadline is **December 10, 2016**, and the standard deadline is **January 18, 2017**. Late applications may be submitted with permission of the Executive Director.

For more information, visit <http://csp.ucsd.edu> or email mas-csp@sio.ucsd.edu

