

# UC San Diego Skaggs School of Pharmacy & Pharmaceutical Sciences

## Quick Overview of 4-Year Curriculum

### Curriculum Details by Year & Term entered before Academic Year 2026-2027

#### First Year

##### P1 Fall

- Orientation
- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Pharmacy Practice
- Study Design & Biostatistics, Law & Ethics, Pharmaceutical Chemistry
- Electives

##### P1 Winter

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Pharmacy Practice
- Health Policy, Study Design & Biostatistics, Pharmaceutics, Pharmaceutical Chemistry
- Electives

##### P1 Spring

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Pharmacy Practice
- Anatomy, Informatics, Pharmaceutics
- Electives

##### P1 Summer

- IPPE Community
- Optional Exploratory Pursuits

## Second Year

### P2 Fall

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Cardiology
- Pulmonology
- GI and Nutrition
- Team-Based Learning
- Pharmacology & Physiology
- Electives

### P2 Winter

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Renal
- Team-Based Learning
- Laboratory Medicine
- Pharmacology & Physiology
- Electives

### P2 Spring

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Endocrinology, Reproduction & Metabolism
- Immunology & Hematology
- Microbiology
- Team-Based Learning
- Pharmacology & Physiology
- Electives

### P2/P3 Summer

- IPPE Institutional
- Optional Exploratory Pursuits (Summer Research Program, Fellowships, Internships, Career Exploration)

## Third Year

### P3 Fall

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Therapeutics, Advanced Professional Practice
- Pharmacogenomics
- Electives

### P3 Winter

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Therapeutics, Contemporary Topics in Pharmacology
- Electives

### P3 Spring

- Scientific Discovery Project
- Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPE)
- Leadership, Innovation/Entrepreneurship, Professionalism, Self-Awareness, Student Engagement
- Therapeutics, Contemporary Topics in Pharmacology, Advanced Professional Practice
- Pharmacoeconomics
- Electives
- Comprehensive Exam

### P4 Summer

- Scientific Discovery Project
- APPE #1
- APPE #2

## Fourth Year

### P4 Fall

- Scientific Discovery Project
- APPE #3
- APPE #4

### P4 Winter

- Scientific Discovery Project
- APPE #5

- APPE #6

## P4 Spring

- Scientific Discovery Project
- APPE #7
- Dissemination
- Co-curriculum
- **Graduation**

## Notes:

- Students complete 2 Elective and 5 Core APPE rotations. Core APPEs include Community, Health Systems, Acute Care, Ambulatory Care, and either Acute or Ambulatory Care.
- The curriculum is continuously being improved and is subject to change.

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