

# FOCUS ON YOUR RESEARCH FROM DAY ONE.



## San José Gateway PhD Program

**SJSU** SAN JOSÉ STATE UNIVERSITY

As a student in the San José Gateway PhD program, you can reap the benefits of a European-model doctoral program and focus on your research studies from the very beginning. Unlike most North American programs, no course work is required in this unique doctoral program that spans two continents in a partnership between the San José State University School of Information and Queensland University of Technology, one of Australia's top research institutions.

In this international doctoral program, you'll receive one-on-one mentoring from faculty supervisors who are award-winning scholars, researchers and educators, representing two continents and a truly international perspective.

“ This is the ideal program for anyone who enjoys independent learning within the context of a supportive network. I would recommend the San José Gateway PhD program to anyone. ”

*Melissa Fraser-Arnott, PhD  
San José Gateway  
PhD Program Alumna*

*Dissertation Title:  
Personalizing Success:  
The Professional Identity  
Experiences of LIS Graduates in  
Non-Library Roles*

Read more doctoral student profiles at [ischool.sjsu.edu/phdprofiles](https://ischool.sjsu.edu/phdprofiles)

### PROGRAM SNAPSHOT

- **Part-time program**  
*6 years expected duration*
- **Primarily online**  
*Only one annual residency in San José, CA*
- **Degree granted from Queensland University of Technology** 
- **International group supervision model**

### RESEARCH AREAS

- Archives and Records Administration
- Information Retrieval
- Information Systems and Technologies
- Information Use
- Education for Library and Information Science
- Management and Leadership
- Youth Services

## TAKE YOUR LEARNING TO GO

The San José Gateway PhD program is primarily online, with only one one-week residency in San José, California each year.

- This part-time program provides the flexibility you need to continue working while engaging in your research.
- You don't have to relocate to earn your PhD.
- You can move through the program at your own pace, with six years expected duration.
- Most of your interactions with faculty and fellow students will take place in virtual learning environments via web conferencing, email, web-based documents, and other online tools.
- Assessment for the doctorate degree, awarded by Queensland University of Technology, is based on a final seminar and examination of the dissertation.

### Admission Requirements:

- A master's degree from a recognized institution with a minimum GPA of 3.5
- Demonstrated experience or engagement with research
- Endorsement by one of the faculty supervisors from the San José State University School of Information
- Approval from the San José Gateway PhD program coordinator

## Apply Now!

Applications to the San José Gateway PhD program are accepted once a year, and admitted students begin the program in August. See detailed instructions at [ischool.sjsu.edu/gateway-admissions](http://ischool.sjsu.edu/gateway-admissions)

### Tuition:

There is an initial application fee of AUS \$55. Annual fees for the San José Gateway PhD program are AUS \$16,400 (2017 academic year). Please check for current exchange rates. Fees are subject to review and change.

### Financial Assistance:

Doctoral students are eligible to receive research support funds from Queensland University of Technology. These funds support research presentations at high-profile conferences or cover costs to produce a survey or other research expenses as approved by the QUT faculty team. In addition, many doctoral students are sponsored by their employers, who provide them with financial support.

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