Shenzhen University was founded in 1983 in China's first special economic zone, Shenzhen. SZU’s vision from beginning is to serve the development of the city and to lead the progress of society through innovative education and research. Growing with this legendary city, SZU has achieved amazingly rapid development in the past decades and now is one of the high-level universities in China.

3700 Faculty Members

35000 Full-time Students

2.72 km²

5 Billion RMB

General Budgeted Revenues (2019)

DISTINCTIONS & RANKING

- U.S. News & World Report 2018 ranks SZU
  - 46th among the nation's universities
  - 689th among the world's universities

- According to Times Higher Education Ranking 2019 Asia-Pacific
  - 28th in China

- According to the URAP Ranking 2018-2019
  - 437th in the world
  - 51st in China

- According to the ARWU Ranking 2018
  - 521th in the world
  - 53th in China

- National Model University of Innovation and Entrepreneurship Education
- Top 20 universities with the most promising career prospects in China
- No.1 University in China for the total fortune of alumni
- No.1 University in China at PCT registrations
- Top 10 Most Beautiful Campus in China
SZU is a comprehensive university offering bachelor, master and PhD programs of a very wide range. We constantly innovate ideas and methods to provide high quality and effective education to meet the challenge of fast changes both in knowledge and learning. SZU students are encouraged to start innovation and entrepreneurship here, to pursue extraordinary careers and to lead social progress and development.

The number of joined universities on the online platform, which includes 125 universities in 28 provinces and 68 cities.

3 million teachers and

309 courses are already online

In 2018, undergraduates won 614 competition awards at various levels.

295 provincial and ministerial awards

131 international awards

269 national awards

More than 150 master and doctoral programs

27 degree-granting colleges

78 undergraduate programs
RESEARCH

SZU conducts leading researches in various fields and actively cooperates with high-tech enterprises in Shenzhen for technology transform. SZU scholars dedicate themselves to interdisciplinary and cross-cultural thinking, to serving the improvement of society, to seeking solutions to the challenges facing humanity, and to promoting cultural innovation and to leading the future.

Total research expenditures totaled 1.1 billion RMB in 2018 over 3293 SCI papers, 238 SSCI papers, 302 projects from The National Natural Science Foundation of China, ranking the 23rd in China.
33 projects from The National Social Science Foundation of China, ranking the 36th in China.

6 ESI TOP 1% Fields
- Computer Science
- Materials Science
- Engineering
- Biology & Biochemistry
- Chemistry
- Clinical Medicine

National Laboratories and Platforms
- National Engineering Laboratory of Big Data System Computing Technology
- Local Joint Laboratory for Engineering of National Key Technology of Medical Ultrasound
- Research Center for National Biochemical Engineering Technology
- Local Joint Engineering of Laboratory for Key Technologies in the Application of Medical Synthetic Biology
- International Collaborative Laboratory of 2D Materials for Optoelectronics Science and Technology

Key Research Center and Think
- Research Center for China’s Special Economic Zone
- Research Center for Basic Law of Hong Kong and Macao
- Institute of Cultural Industries
- Institute of Urban Governance
- Institute of Jao Tsung-I Cultural Studies
- Institute of Aesthetics and Literary Criticism
SZU is accelerating its pace toward internationalization. By cooperating with top universities in the world, SZU offers students opportunities to study abroad. And it hosts students from over 90 countries. Here, they explore the most attractive parts of modern and opening up China, pursue their passion and develop their interests, perspectives and abilities.

Established International Collaboration Institutes
- Optoelectronics Co-Creation Center with the National University of Singapore
- International Nantes Business School in cooperation with the Nantes Business School in France
- Silicon Valley Center of the United States
- Carson International Tumor Center in cooperation with University of Southern California, US

More than
300 International Institutional Partners around the world
120 Education Abroad Programs in 25 Countries on 5 Continents
1200 International students from 80 countries each year
263 Foreign Teachers

Since 1987, Shenzhen University has hosted nearly 20,000 international students from more than 90 countries and regions, with an average enrollment of 1,200 international students each year.

International students can apply Chinese language and culture courses to study, or they can pursue a full-time bachelor (four years), master (three years), or doctoral (three years) degrees at the University.

Shenzhen University offers three different levels of scholarship to international students to apply which is Province-level, City-level and university level scholarship. It also provides international students with the support and assistance necessary for them to achieve excellence.
Career placement rate for SZU graduates is 93.2%. More than 88% graduates stay in Shenzhen where they build careers and contribute to our country and the world.

Thousands of companies are founded by Shenzhen University alumni. The best known are Tencent, Cedar Holdings, Geely Holding Group and Lens Technology etc.

Entrepreneurship Park of Shenzhen University

Shenzhen University has set up innovation and entrepreneurship education, research and support system. A fund of over 19.2 million RMB Yuan has been provided for students to set up business in past 10 years. By December 2018, SZU Entrepreneurship Park has incubated 271 students’ business, in which 5 companies’ market value reached over 100 million RMB Yuan.

Greater Bay Area International Institute for Innovation was co-founded by Shenzhen University and Hong Kong Polytechnic University in July, 2018.

CAMPUS LIFE

In this city with both urban vitality and natural beauty, SZU’s beautiful campuses are located in the community surrounded by high-tech companies, businesses and cultural places, which makes learning and living so wonderful here. Everyone can benefit from the plenty of resources and facilities of Shenzhen and SZU, challenge themselves and find their own opportunities in a fast changing era.

Sports Facilities

- Basketball court
- Fitness centre
- Table tennis hall
- Tennis Court
- Football pitch
- Golf Course
- Outdoor track
- Swimming pool
- Squash court
- Bowling alley
- Fencing hall

Athletics

- Women’s Sailboard World Champion in 2015
- World’s No. 1 Women’s Singles Table Tennis Player
- Champion of 2015 China Amateur Open Men’s Team
- Youngest Champion of Volvo China Open in 2016 World Women’s Go Champion
- Champion in 2005 China Professionals Mixed Doubles
- Youngest challenger and Runner up of the 20th Tianyuan China Go Competition
- Champion of Bailing Aitou Cup Go Open in 2013