

GGU'S NEW DIRECTION

The World's First **AI-Native**, Global, Multilingual University

Powering economic mobility through higher education.

WHAT SETS GGU APART

OUR IDENTITY



Built for Working Adults

Consistently top-ranked for adult and continuing learners.



AI Ready for Your Career

Graduates fluent in AI and their discipline.



Global Reach, Local Impact

60+ countries, rooted in San Francisco.



Heart of the AI Economy

Based in San Francisco, alongside AI leaders and 700+ AI startups.

GGU CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE

AI & Emerging Technology

AI-Integrated Across All Programs

Tax

Premier Tax programs for working adults

Psychology

Focused on Human Systems in the Age of AI

Business

"Start-up University" for global entrepreneurs

Law

AI-focused legal education

GGU BY THE NUMBERS

#1

Consistently Top-Ranked University for Working Adults

89%

Student retention rate

5,000+

Worldwide students

8,500

Total students

#1

World's Largest DBA, Emerging Technology

#2

Forbes-Ranked MA in I-O Psychology

#4

Forbes-Ranked MS in Taxation

#21

Highest-Paid Graduates, Tied with Duke & Columbia

DISTINGUISHED FACULTY



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PROFESSOR,
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JD, LL.M., CPA.
Braden School of Taxation faculty since 1983; former Dean and WSCUC Commissioner.



Dr. Sreerama Murthy
AI FACULTY

PhD in Machine Learning, Johns Hopkins. CEO of Quadratix; 30+ years in AI; 21 patent applications.



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PhD in Finance, U. of South Carolina. Sharpe Professor; published in the Journal of Risk & Financial Management.



Dr. Manish Gupta
AI FACULTY

PhD, UIUC. Principal Applied Scientist, Microsoft Research; 200+ papers, 10,400+ citations.



Dr. Wenliang He
AI FACULTY

EdD & MS in Statistics, UC Irvine. Leads LLM and multimodal AI initiatives; teaches Global MSAI.



Dr. Jay Gonzalez
VP, GLOBAL EDUCATION

PhD, Utah. GGU faculty since 2000; 20+ books (NYU & Duke); 5-time Research Excellence awardee.



Dr. Anbo Yang
PSYCHOLOGY FACULTY

Psychology, Peking University. GGU Outstanding Adjunct (2025); China MOE "National Outstanding MAP Advisor."

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CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Former CFO at New York University and the University of Florida.



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GENERAL COUNSEL & CHIEF OF STAFF

15 yrs in higher-ed law; former chief of staff, Northeastern.



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CHIEF ADVANCEMENT OFFICER

CFRE. 27+ years in nonprofit leadership and fundraising; senior development roles at Carnegie Hall and WNET.



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VP, STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS

Led the U. of Arizona's China expansion — six MOE-approved programs, 2,400+ dual-degree enrollments.



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INCOMING DEAN, SCHOOL OF LAW

Former GC, State Bar of California; ex-Deputy President, NYU; former ABA Chair, Legal Education.



Dr. Tom Wooldridge
FOUNDING DEAN, SCHOOL OF PSYCHOLOGY

PsyD, ABPP. Board-certified clinical psychologist; author of six books; 13+ years on the GGU faculty.

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May 7, 2026

Mayor Daniel Lurie Celebrates the Class of 2026 at GGU's Commencement Ceremony

San Francisco Mayor Daniel Lurie delivered the keynote at GGU's May 6 Commencement Ceremony.



May 17, 2026

GGU Shortens the Bachelor's Degree by a Year



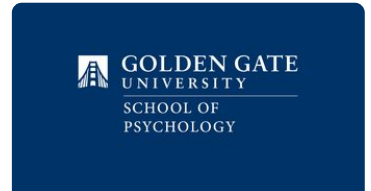
May 15, 2026

University Business: How GGU's Big AI Bet Will Energize Change



Apr 13, 2026

GGU Announces GGU Digital, an AI Global Education Platform



Apr 8, 2026

Golden Gate University Launches School of Psychology

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