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Serve with Purpose.
Dream with Confidence...

AT SOUTHERN NAZARENE UNIVERSITY, WE DON'T JUST BELIEVE IN YOUR DREAMS. WE EQUIP YOU WITH THE BEST EDUCATION WHICH GIVES YOU THE CONFIDENCE TO MAKE YOUR DREAMS A REALITY.

We know you are selecting a college for more than just its location or school colors. You want to go somewhere that will prepare you for the future. Your future.

At Southern Nazarene University, we want that for you too. That is why we work hard to make sure our degrees are supported by some of the top curriculum available.

We hire highly-qualified faculty who not only know the ins and outs of the profession you seek, but who truly wish to see you succeed individually. And we make sure you leave SNU prepared for a great job in cultural communication studies. That's why we can encourage you to not just dream, but to dream with confidence.

WITH UNIQUE PROGRAMS
At SNU, we have built a strong Cultural and Communication Studies program by implementing a rigorous major core of writing, reading and research that emphasizes critical thinking. As a Cultural and Communication Studies major you can choose a concentration that best suits your career goals.

Because of the unique curriculum available in our Cultural and Communication Studies program, you may earn additional certifications while staying on track to graduate with your degree. Pick up your creative writing minor, which is not available at any other Nazarene school. Work on certification preparation for public school teaching. Even gain training in English Language Learning (TESL) and get the opportunity to intern in the ELL center on campus.

While a student at SNU, you will be encouraged to take advantage of yearly literary travel experiences both in the United States and around the world. British Isles. Italy. France. Boston. And more. Or build your resume and expertise through a summer internship at Nazarene Publishing House or WJC Internships. Many Cultural and Communication Studies students also choose to join one of the campus clubs. Sigma Tau Delta National English Honor Society. Oklahoma Collegiate Press Association.

WITH HIGHLY-QUALIFIED FACULTY
Your classes at SNU are taught by more than just professors, they are experts highly-qualified to give you the best
knowledge available. Our four full-time professors have a combined 100+ years of teaching experience and have been awarded Excellence in Teaching and Excellence in Faculty Performance. Eighty percent of our English faculty has Ph.D. degrees. They hold a variety of leadership positions around campus including publications advisor, director of the honors program, honors faculty, a grant writing specialist and more.

In addition to their work of teaching, our faculty has been widely published. Learn from Jim Wilcox whose practical experience as a writer and editor includes being a writing consultant for Oklahoma Writing Project, 8 published books, contributor to 7 and editor of 15. Not to mention the 10 periodicals he edits or the nearly 300 articles he has published. Take a class from Pam Bracken, the co-owner of the 46th Star Press Publishing Company or from Gwen Hackler, former Oxford University Professor, who is responsible for grants totaling more than 10 million dollars!

WITH PREPARATION FOR AFTER GRADUATION
At SNU, you are not the only one concerned with your post graduation plans. We make your success after graduation our top priority. Because we train you to read difficult materials, research, write and think critically, you will be prepared for a variety of jobs.

Brad Crofford is a Cultural and Communications Studies major at SNU. While studying at SNU Crofford has interned with the US Department of State, Strategic Applications International in DC, and volunteered at the Oklahoma House of representatives. On campus, Crofford has been the editor-in-chief for the newspaper, as well as a member of several honor societies. All on top of a staggering 4.0 GPA.

After a summer travelling the country doing missionary services, Crofford plans to attend graduate school for either international studies or political science.

“I hope to pursue a career in the Foreign Service. As a missionary kid, I spent many of my childhood years in Africa, and I still have a heart for the continent. My time at SNU has allowed me to prepare for this career. I was able to study for a semester in DC through a CCCU program, and I spent a summer in Benin with the State Department. SNU has been so incredibly helpful through all these internships and programs. Also, I have had fantastic professors in both of my areas of study who have encouraged me. It’s thanks to them that I have been able to pursue such a wide range of interests and activities, which will benefit me in my future career,” says Crofford.

Whether you plan to jumpstart your career or pursue furthering education, we won’t just cheer you on, we will empower you to reach your goal.

If a dream is a blueprint of a goal not yet achieved, at SNU we partner with you to focus your efforts to attain whatever it is you hope to accomplish. Thus, we say DREAM WITH CONFIDENCE.