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Mahak Sharma
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Dear Mahak Sharma,

Congratulations! I am happy to inform you that you have been granted admission to California State University, Fresno. You have been admitted as a new **Freshman** student to the **Biology** program beginning in the **Fall 2025** Semester. We are confident you will be successful at Fresno State and will thrive in our diverse, upwardly mobile community of students and future leaders. **Important:** Required **New International Student Orientation** will take place on **Monday, August 18, 2025**, and the first day of Fall 2025 classes is **Wednesday, August 20th**.

Here are just a few things that make Fresno, and California State University, Fresno, distinctive:

- As the cost of living and overseas study continues to rise, California State University, **Fresno remains one of the most affordable public universities in California**
- In 2024, the U.S. publication Washington Monthly ranked California State University, Fresno **#22 among all national U.S. universities**
- U.S. News and World Report's Best College Rankings placed California State University, Fresno **#8 nationwide for student social mobility**
- **International student employment opportunities:** Fresno is the fifth largest city in California, so students can access a variety of internships, Curricular Practical Training (CPT), and Optional Practical Training (OPT) work opportunities. What's more, Los Angeles and San Francisco are within driving distance of Fresno, vastly expanding the range and diversity of employment options.
- **Fresno is one of the sunniest cities in the United States**, averaging about 300 days of sunshine each year

For detailed information regarding support and services for newly admitted students, please visit <https://cge.fresnostate.edu/international/admitted/checklist.html>.

Once again, hearty congratulations. We look forward to welcoming you to California State University, Fresno. Go 'Dogs!

Warm regards,



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