Tuition
Tuition is $500 per credit hour, plus any additional costs such as course materials, delivery fees, and travel. The typical cost for a full-time, resident student is $32,000 per year.

Application Process
All required forms, instructions, and an example of an application package can be found at www.nps.edu/admissions/contractors. Application packages should include:

1. Application form containing candidate’s statement.
2. Certified transcripts from all undergraduate and graduate institutions attended.
3. Two (2) letters of recommendation.
4. Letter from employer stating their willingness to pay the tuition for the program and supply salary and benefits during your time as a student.

Applications should be sent to:
Director of Admissions
Code 01C3, He-022
Naval Postgraduate School
1 University Circle Monterey, CA 93943

If you have questions about available programs or admission procedures please visit our web site at:
www.nps.edu/admissions/contractors
or
email: grad-ed@nps.edu.
Phone: (831) 656-3093

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OVERVIEW

The Naval Postgraduate School accepts a limited number of employees of corporations that are contractors for the Department of Defense (DoD) in programs related to systems engineering and defense-product development.

AVAILABLE PROGRAMS

The following master’s degree programs are open to employees of DoD contractors.

DISTRIBUTED LEARNING PROGRAMS

- Product Development for the 21st Century
- Systems Engineering
- Defense Systems Program Management
- Defense Systems Contract Management

RESIDENT PROGRAMS

- Systems Engineering and Analysis
- Systems Engineering
- Missile Systems Engineering (Mechanical Engineering)
- Electronic Systems Engineering
- Space Systems and Satellite Engineering
- Software Engineering
- Total Ship Systems Engineering with degree in Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, or Physics
- Acquisition & Contract Management
- Systems Acquisition Management

ADVANCE YOUR CAREER

The Naval Postgraduate School is the leading university in the nation offering defense-focused graduate programs for a joint service, international and DoD contractor audience. Military and civilian leaders of tomorrow work side-by-side at NPS today.

Innovation is a byword at NPS. Ideas are transformed into military platforms while the results of faculty and student research have saved lives and money. No other university can compare.

NPS FACULTY

The NPS faculty is comprised of accomplished scholars and professionals, predominately civilian and almost all with doctorates. About 10 percent of the faculty members are senior military officers who, along with the students, infuse important operational and combat experience into the education and research programs. Several Federal agencies and defense organizations, such as NASA, NRO, National Security Agency as well as defense contractors, sponsor academic chair professorships which further strengthen the institution’s relevance.

RESEARCH FACILITIES

Education and research activities at NPS advance the combat effectiveness of the military services and are catalysts for defense innovation. Specialized laboratories and facilities support a broad cross-section of programs and provide hands-on opportunities to design and develop future military technologies.

ABOUT THE MONTEREY PENINSULA

The magnificent Monterey Peninsula has been called the greatest meeting of land, sea and sky. This beautiful seaside community combines all the charm of small town America with an endless variety of recreational and cultural activities. Monterey’s rich history, historic Fisherman’s Wharf and Cannery Row, 17 world-class golf courses, the world’s best aquarium, a unique variety of shops and galleries and a spectacular assortment of parks and natural areas combine to provide a truly unrivaled place to live.

HOUSING

The Parks at Monterey Bay has housing available for DoD contractors. Homes are safe, affordable and well-maintained. They are also convenient to many amenities including fitness trails, recreation centers, ball fields, movie theaters and, of course, scenic Monterey Bay.