

# THE SCU JOURNEY TOWARD BECOMING AN SVP

## Get to Know the Steps Ahead

At Santa Clara University, we know the value of foresight and preparation. Not only do students in our Online MBA program gain access to Silicon Valley, they receive the additional support of the Silicon Valley Professional (SVP) dashboard, an integrative portfolio with numerous advantages in the program and after.

Among these benefits, the SVP dashboard helps students to:

- Plan their electives and co-curriculars around their particular professional needs
- Engage with their faculty, peers, mentors, and alumni, networking smoothly online
- Captures feedback from others, self-reflections, and badges in one spot
- Implement an impactful path of leadership and disruption far beyond SCU

To help our Online MBA students better understand how to reach their prestigious end goal of becoming a disruptive and in-demand Silicon Valley Professional, we've outlined what steps they will achieve along their transformative journey below.



### PRIOR TO YEAR 1

Once accepted to the program, students complete the mandatory **New Student Success Seminar**, which acclimates them to the online learning management system (LMS).

In the LMS, they receive access to the digital dashboard that tracks their progress towards becoming an SVP.



### DURING YEAR 1

At the start of the program, students submit their first reflection along with their three completed co-curriculars from the first intensive.

During their studies, students will utilize the SVP dashboard to track their progress in the program, earn badges for professional achievements, and set a clear career path.

Before completing their first academic year, students submit their second reflection on the progress they've made in the program so far.



### DURING YEAR 2

In the second half of the program, students complete the **“Challenges in” elective**.

As they continue to earn badges, students also work toward building their professional network with lasting connections as they explore various new career opportunities.

At the end of the program, students submit their third and final reflection and attend their final intensive, allowing them to graduate with the SVP distinction.



### AFTER GRADUATION

As **alumni and SVPs**, graduates are invited to **become a mentor** for current students in the program, helping others become Silicon Valley Professionals and seeing their professional development from a new perspective.

Are you ready to become an SVP and disrupt your career and the industry at large?

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