

# CANNABIS SCIENCE AND OPERATIONS, MINOR

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Thousands of jobs are being created because of the rising legalization of cannabis across the country. Legalized cannabis is expected to be an estimated \$150 billion industry by 2025 and will need educated employees to sustain the industry.

To produce quality employees to meet this demand, Saint Louis University offers an online certificate in cannabis science and operations. This certificate program addresses all aspects of the cannabis industry, including cultivating, growing and producing. You will learn about dispensing and the pharmacological properties of cannabis. Graduates of this certificate program can pursue positions in sales and marketing, dispensary management, quality assurance and laboratory technology, among other areas.

## Careers

The list of possible jobs in the cannabis industry is quite extensive. With a minor in cannabis science and operations, you will be prepared to pursue various in-demand positions in the following broad categories:

- Cultivation
- Laboratory technology
- Distribution logistics
- Dispensary management
- Regulatory compliance
- Sales and marketing
- Quality assurance
- Wellness specialist
- Edible development

## Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
CSO 1000	Cannabis Fundamentals: Growing, Manufacturing & Dispensing	3
CSO 1500	Cannabis Plant Science & Cultivation	3
CSO 1600	Cannabis Extraction & Product Production	3
CSO 1700	Cannabis Compliance & Dispensing	3
CSO 2000	Pharmacological Properties of Cannabis	3
CSO 2960	Cannabis Operations and Science Capstone	1
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>16</b>

## Continuation Standards

Students must maintain a minimum 2.00 GPA.

## Contact Us

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