Career Guide into the professional Beauty Industry
Careers in the Beauty Industry
The beauty industry is a great place to meet people, have fun and make money. The job market for this growing industry has never been better. It is difficult to find a single salon that isn't looking for qualified professionals. Your path begins at Salon Success Academy where we will help you achieve the training necessary to obtain your state license.

The Salon Success Mission
We are a family business with over 50 years experience. Our students are treated as important members of the family. Our goal is that each one of our students receive the training necessary to become a successful high-end professional. Salon Success Academy is a “people helping company.”

Cutting-edge Facilities
Salon Success Academy was the first school in the country to rethink beauty school design. The facilities are divided into spacious classrooms for lectures and hands on practice. The clinic labs are real Salon environments where students learn and practice on paying clients while developing professional customer service skills.

Caring and Friendly Staff
Educators make the Difference
Because we are a “people helping company,” our staff is provided ongoing training and testing to ensure they are among the best. This translates into an atmosphere where our students know we care about their professional success.

Wella Partnership
Salon Success Academy’s partnership with Wella enables students to receive an in-depth education in color theory, technique and style from one of the industry giants. Wella is an iconic brand with a worldwide reach and an unparalleled reputation for excellence among industry leaders, salons and stylists.

Starting Smart (orientation)
Our students first day is extremely important to us. All students gather at our Upland campus to meet their fellow classmates, key administrators, and special educators. Students receive an overview of campus life so they know what to expect and what to do. Lunch is provided and students receive and check out their equipment and books. Parents and/or significant others are welcome to attend.

Become an Ambassador
Salon Success Ambassadors represent their campus in various ways and receive unique opportunities. They are called on to be campus leaders in charge of special projects and outreach programs. Students selected for this volunteer program receive numerous benefits. You’ll meet these special people during orientation and they will provide you with an overview of their activities.

Elevation H Partnership
Elevation H is a global hair education company dedicated to the art, technique, and business of hair. Serving hair stylists at every level of their careers, Elevation H is at the cutting edge of the salon industry. It is led by renowned stylist and educator Cole Thompson and is passionate about providing students and professionals with the most contemporary tools and techniques to create any hairstyle. The beauty industry is constantly evolving. By partnering with Elevation H, Salon Success Academy has renewed its commitment to continuously provide our students with an exceptional education.

Completion Window
Enrollment That Works
Cosmetology is a 1600 clock hour course that requires a minimum of 40 weeks to complete. Most schools provide a 42 week enrollment window. Additional tuition will be owed if all hours have not been clocked. Salon Success enrollment window is 52 weeks and most students complete without any additional charges.
Accreditation and Professional Memberships

All Salon Success campuses are accredited by the National Accrediting Commission of Cosmetology Arts and Sciences (NACCAS). Accreditation ensures the highest standards in cosmetology education. All our campuses achieved the highest level of recognition.

American Association of Cosmetology Schools (AACS)

This national organization provides our people with the best practices in effective school management.

Professional Beauty Federation of California (PBFC)

Salon Success Academy is the co-founder of this state association. Visit the website at beautyfederation.org to learn about its accomplishments and why it is important to you.

Community Outreach

The Professional Beauty Industry is well known for the many charitable causes supported each year. Each Salon Success Academy Campus is actively involved in our local charity campaigns. Throughout the year our students experience the rewards first hand of being good citizens of their community.

The Owners Difference

Salon Success Academy was established in 1960 as Richard’s Beauty College. Family owned and operated by industry professionals for more than 50 years, Salon Success Academy has the experience that makes a difference. With 6 locations, we’re big enough to provide unique opportunities, while small enough to maintain personal service.

Call us today!

You’ll probably be surprised at how easy it is to get started at Salon Success

1-877-987-HAIR
(4247)
Choose the Right Beauty School

“You’re better served by finding a school that partners with the Beauty Industry and places emphasis on the real-world skills you need to earn a living, e.g., how to market yourself, customer service skills, exceeding your clients’ expectations, etc., in addition to the technical skills and knowledge you need.”

—Advice from Jerry Tyler, a 30-year veteran of the cosmetology industry, Education Director of Carlton Hair International and currently a Board Member of the California State Board of Cosmetology
Cosmetologist (Hairdresser)

With the advent of the salon and day spas, the cosmetology profession reaches its largest market ever. Cosmetologists can be found in every aspect of the beauty industry and are licensed to perform the entire menu of services. Your instruction will cover such subjects as: Hair Design, Chemical Services, Skin Care, Nail Care and Salon Management. The course length is 1,600 hours.

Esthetician (Skin Care Professional)

In an age of specialization, the esthetician plays a crucial role in the salon and day spa environment. As a licensed esthetician, your skills as a make-up artist and skin care specialist will serve you well in a rapidly expanding segment of the beauty industry. Salon Success Academy offers a carefully structured course of 680 clock hours for licensure as an esthetician. The curriculum emphasizes a “hands-on” approach and guides you through many types of facials, hair removal and, of course, make-up.

Nail Technician (Manicurist)

Nail technologists are a highly regarded group of individuals whose work is integral to the success of any salon. The staff of Salon Success Academy has devised a curriculum that will assist you in achieving your goals by preparing you, both practically and theoretically, in a professional environment. Everything from full sets of sculptured nails, fills, tips and wraps such as fiberglass nylon and silk to basic manicure, pedicure, sanitation and sterilization is carefully and methodically taught. The course length is 400 hours.

Barber

A barber shampoos, cuts, colors and styles hair, for mostly male clients. They also provide men's grooming services, such as facial shaving. Once you graduate from our barbering school and get your license, you could start an exciting career as a barber. The staff at Salon Success Academy teaches the basics of hair anatomy, physiology, and sanitation; provides hands-on instructions on the latest hair cutting, coloring, and grooming techniques. Students also learn real-world experience by practicing these techniques on clients at the school salon. The Barbering program is 1,500 hours and meets all California state standards for licensing.

MUD Makeup (Make-Up Designory)

Salon Success Academy will teach you the most current techniques and trends in makeup application. Founded by accomplished industry professionals in 1997, Make-up Designory (MUD) has expanded into a rigorous academic environment that fosters creativity and experimentation. Based on MUD’s highly successful curriculum and teaching style, MUD Studio Courses were developed to meet the growing demand for quality make-up education across the U.S. and abroad. The 80 Hour MUD Beauty Essentials Course offers training in makeup theory and application and can be completed in 10 days of classroom training.

Visit us online!
Learn more about Salon Success and how you can help start your career in the beauty industry
www.SalonSuccessAcademy.com
Since 1960, Salon Success Academy has prepared thousands of students for successful careers in the beauty industry. Here’s what some of them have to say:

“I have learned about the industry, about products, about procedures, and about people. This knowledge is invaluable and immeasurable, and will be a huge asset in my work with clients”. —B.C.

“I never expected to get so much out of such a short time. I am so glad that I have gone, not only for the knowledge that I have gained but also for the new-found love and excitement in finding a job that I will be happy to go to, and for the learning experience I have acquired from a family that I will always remember.” —G.B.

“Salon Success has been extremely helpful on my journey to getting my career up and running. Salon Success Academy, unlike other schools, did not treat me like another number.” —W.G.

“When I decided to make a career change, I wanted to make sure the school I chose was one where I felt I could get the best training. I was never disappointed. My decision was the right one.” —G.H.

“Not only was the learning experience wonderful, I had a feeling of being part of a family there.” —L.S.