

9TH ANNUAL USC GAMES EXPO RETURNS MAY 13, 2025

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WHAT:

USC's campus will transform into a hub of creativity and innovation with the return of the **9th annual** USC Games Expo on Tuesday, May 13, 2025, hosted by USC Games, the country's top-ranked collegiate game design program. This year's Expo invites students, families, industry pros, and media to experience the next wave of game design talent, featuring over 50 student-made games, including eight games that will be showcased during the **Advanced Games Projects (AGP) Spotlight Show**.



WHERE:

USC Campus, School of Cinematic Arts, 900 West 34th Street, Los Angeles, CA 90007

If you can't attend the Expo in person, tune in from **4:00 to 5:00 PM PST** on Tuesday, May 13, to watch the **Advanced Games Project (AGP) Spotlight Show** live from Norris Theater on <u>Twitch</u>, <u>YouTube</u>, and the <u>USC Games Expo website</u>.

WHEN:

Tuesday, May 13

- 3:00–10:00 PM PST | USC Esports Showcase Pickford Lobby
 - NEW FOR 2025 Marvel Rivals competition between Occidental, CSU Fresno State, SDSU, and USC.
 - Valorant and Super Smash Bros. matches with UCI, UCLA, Cal Poly Pomona, LACC, UCL, CSULB, and USC, the Valorant CVAL West Champions.
- 4:00–5:00 PM PST | Advanced Games Project (AGP) Spotlight Show Norris Theater and live on Twitch and the USC Games Expo website:
 - NEW FOR 2025 Keynote Speaker: Ramone Russell Director of Product Development, Communications and Brand Strategy, San Diego Studio.
- 5:00–10:00 PM PST | Expo Showcase & Reception Cinematic Arts Complex
 - O NEW FOR 2025 –SEGA Super Hang-On Machine (VAMP), a classic arcade cabinet that's been hacked to be used as an input device for an original VR game. Sit on the motorcycle and put on your headset to control your experience!
 - NEW FOR 2025 Xbox Game Studios Publishing will showcase Towerborne, the new coop action RPG from Stoic. Attendees can go hands-on with the game and get an exclusive, in-depth look at Towerborne's standout features.
- 5:00–10:00 PM PST | Themed Entertainment Immersive Experience SCI Balcony
 - NEW FOR 2025 Escape to Space: Venture to the 3rd-floor balcony of SCI for a galactic escape room where you can solve your way through an immersive, space-themed puzzle experience. Sign-ups available on-site.

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