

## **Graduate Programs**

Standardized Test Requirements

Program Name	Is a Standardized Test Required?	Test Type	Waiver Options	Score Preference	GPA Preference	Additional Notes
Accounting M.S.	Yes	GMAT or GRE	Students may qualify for a GMAT waiver based on having a 3.25 Accounting GPA from an AACSB accredited school.	A minimum GMAT score of 550 and a minimum score in the 25th percentile or higher on Verbal and a minimum score in the 25th percentile or higher on Quantitative.	A minimum GPA of 3.00 or higher on a 4.00 scale.	
Aerospace Engineering M.S.A.E.	Yes	GRE	The GRE requirement is waived for students participating in the Integrated BS-MS subplan.	The minimum preferred score is at or above 70 percentile range in the quantitative reasoning section. The Graduate Program Committee can modify this requirement if necessary.	In general, a minimum post-baccalaureate GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale or equivalent is preferred for admission in addition to a GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale or equivalent in all engineering courses.	
Anthropology M.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	In addition to the general admission requirements established by the Graduate College, a background in Anthropology is preferred. Deficiencies can be made up in consultation with a graduate advisor upon entrance to the program
Anthropology Ph.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	The applicant must have at least a 3.50 (A=4. 00) grade point average for previous graduate work.	A background in Anthropology is preferred among applicants.
Applied Economics and Data Intelligence M.S.	Yes	GMAT or GRE	N/A	Obtain a minimum of 550 on the GMAT or equivalent on the GRE.		
Architecture M.Arch.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Applicants must have a cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.00 or higher	
Artist Diploma A.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Art M.F.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Astronomy M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Astronomy Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Applicants seeking direct admission to the doctoral program without a previously earned Master of Science degree will preferably have a score in the 65th percentile or above on the Advanced Physics portion of the GRE	Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 2.75 for all undergraduate work or a minimum 3.00 GPA for the last two years of undergraduate work. Applicants with a Master's degree must have an overall 3.00 GPA in their Master's program and at least 15 credits of graduate-level course work in physics or astronomy with a grade of B or better.	
Biochemistry M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	A cumulative GPA of 2.75, or of 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work	Admission to the program requires an undergraduate degree in chemistry, chemical engineering, biology, biochemistry or a related discipline
Biological Sciences M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Most successful applicants have a minimum of a 3.0 undergraduate grade point average (junior and senior years)	
Biological Sciences Ph.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Most successful applicants have a minimum of a 3.0 undergraduate grade point average (junior and senior years)	
Business Administraiton Executive M. B.A.	GMAT or Executive Assessment Exam	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Business Adminstration M.B.A	Yes	GMAT or GRE	The GMAT/GRE is waived for applicants who meet one of the following conditions: (1) Hold accredited** doctorate-level terminal degrees such as Ph. D., JD, MD, DMD, DDS, Pharmacy Doctorate, and DVM. (2) Currently attending a doctorate-level terminal degree program at UNLV. (AACSB accreditation for business programs; LCME or COCA for medical programs; ABA for law programs; ABET for engineering, computer science, and information systems programs; others on a case-by-case basis. Any online doctorate degree is excluded.)	A preferred score of 550 or higher on the GMAT or an equivalent score on the GRE is required for full admission. The average score of accepted students over the last two years is about 600.		
Business Administration M.B.A. / Civil & Environmental Engineering M.S.E. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	

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Business Administration M.B.A. /_ Dentistry D.M.D. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Business Administration M.B.A. / Doctor of Medicine (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
https://www.univ.edu/degree/dual- mba-mha	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Business Administration M.B.A. / Hotel Administration M.S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Business Administration M.B.A. / Juris Doctorate (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Business Administration M.B.A. / Management Information Systems M. S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Business Administration M.B.A. / Quantitative Finance M.S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Chemistry M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	A cumulative GPA of 2.75, or of 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work.	
Chemistry Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	A minimum grade point average (GPA) of 3.00, on a 4.0 scale, for all undergraduate or graduate work is required for admission to the program.	
Civil & Environmental Engineering M. S.E.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Overall GPA of 2.75 (4.00=A) and a GPA of 3.0 (4.00=A) for the last 60 credits(semester basis) of undergraduate program.	Applicant must have a bachelor's degree in engineering or a closely-related discipline
Civil & Environmental Engineering Ph. D.	Yes	GRE		Successful applicants generally have a combined verbal and quantitative GRE score of at least 300 and analytical writing score of at least 3.	A minimum post-baccalaureate GPA of 3.20 on a 4.00 scale (4.00=A) or equivalent is required for admission.	Applicant must have a bachelor's degree in engineering or a closely-related discipline
Clinical Mental Health Counseling M. S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum grade point average of 2.75 for all undergraduate work and a 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work is required.	
Clinical Psychology Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Typical admitted students have GRE scores of 157.	Typical admitted students have GPAs of 3.7.	
Communication Studies M.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Computer Science M.S.C.S.	Yes	GRE	The GRE requirement is waived for students participating in the Integrated BS-MS subplan.	The preferred minimum score requirement is 297	A minimum GPA of 3.00	

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Computer Science Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	The GRE requirement is waived for students participating in the Integrated BS-MS subplan.	A minimum score of 315 on the general test of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) is required.	A GPA of 3.70 (on a 4.00 scale) or higher in post-baccalaureate course work is required for admission. Students entering with a bachelor's degree must have a GPA of 3.5 or higher for the courses at the 200-level or above.	
Construction and Infrastructure Management M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Overall undergraduate GPA should be at least 2.75 (4.00=A) for the bachelor's degree or at least 3.00 (4.00=A) for the last 60 credits of undergraduate work.	
Couple & Family Therapy M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	While there is no minimum GRE score for admission, students accepted into the program typically score 150 (verbal) and 141 (quantitative). We will accept scores from both the old and new test. (Note: the GRE must be taken by applicants within the last five years). Be advised that we must receive your GRE scores by the application deadline for you to be considered. Applicants who apply by the application deadline but do not take their GRE until after the application deadline will not be considered	A minimum grade point average of 2.75 for all undergraduate work and a 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work is required.	
Creative Writing M.F.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Criminal Justice M.A.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	A minimum GPA of 2.75 for all undergraduate work and a 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work is required for admission to the program.	
Criminology and Criminal Justice Ph. D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Competitive minimum GRE scores are 153 for Quantitative Reasoning, 155 for Verbal Reasoning, and 4.5 for Analytical Writing	A final minimum cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale - competitive GPAs are expected to be 3.5 or higher	
Curriculum & Instruction Ed.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Students with less than a 145 Verbal, or a 145 Quantitative, or a 3.5 Analytical Writing, or any combination thereof on the GRE can only be admitted on a conditional basis; if admitted a student must earn a 3.30 (B+) GPA in the Departmental Core (CIG 761 & 790) and two Required Research Courses (EPY 718 & 721) in order remove the conditional status.	N/A	The GRE is currently waived for Fall 2023
Curriculum & Instruction Ed.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	Have a minimum GPA of 3.00 in all graduate- level course work.	The GRE is currently waived for Fall 2023
Curriculum & Instruction M.Ed.	Yes for ARL Subplans	PRAXIS	N/A	N/A	An overall undergraduate grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 is required for admission. Students with a GPA of less than 3.00 but greater or equal to 2.75 may be admitted to the graduate program upon review of the Admissions Committee.	
Curriculum & Instruction M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Curriculum & Instruction Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Students with less than a 145 Verbal, or a 145 Quantitative, or a 3.5 Analytical Writing, or any combination thereof on the GRE can only be admitted on a conditional basis; if admitted a student must earn a 3.30 (B+) GPA in the Departmental Core (CIG 761 & 790) and two Required Research Courses (EPY 718 & 721) in order remove the conditional status.	N/A	The GRE is currently waived for Fall 2023
Cybersecurity M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Applicants with satisfactory scores on the general aptitude portion (50th percentile or higher) of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) will be considered for admission.	N/A	This program is currently not eligible for an I-20.
Cybersecurity M.S. / Management Information Systems M.S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	

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Data Analytics M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Graduate Record Examinations test scores placing the student in the top 50% of test-takers (i.e., 309 or higher) will be given preference.	N/A	
Design M.Des.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Early Childhood Education M.Ed.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum grade point average of 2.75 for all undergraduate work or a 3.00 grade point average for the last two years of undergraduate work	
Economics M.A.	Yes	GMAT or GRE	N/A	Preference is given to applicants who score at or above the 50th percentile on the quantitative portion of the Official GRE; and at or above the 50th percentile on the combined verbal and quantitative portions of the Official GRE	N/A	
Economics M.A. / Mathematical Sciences M.S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Educational Policy and Leadership M. Ed.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A GPA of at least 2.75 overall or 3.00 in the last 60 credits of undergraduate study	
Educational Psychology M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Preference given to students whose scores relate to the 50th percentile or better on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE)	N/A	
Educational Psychology Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Preference given to scores that relate to the 50th percentile or better on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE)	An undergraduate grade point average of 3.00 or above.	
Educational Psychology Ph.D. / Juris. Doctorate (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Electrical Engineering M.S.	Optional	N/A	Submit GRE scaled and percentile scores in quantitative, verbal reasoning, and analytical writing to the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering if the applicant did not obtain their bachelor's degree from an ABET accredited institution, if the applicant is interested in a teaching assistantship, or if the applicant received a Bachelor's Degree in Electrical and Computer Engineering more than five years prior to the first day of the first semester of the degree program applied for. Interpretation of the scores is at the discretion of the Electrical and Computer Engineering Graduate Committee. (An applicant possessing a bachelor's degree from an ABET accredited institution within the past five years is not required to submit GRE scores.)	N/A	N/A	
Electrical Engineering M.S. / Mathematical Sciences M.S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	

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Electrical Engineering Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	The GRE entrance requirement will be waived for students entering the Ph.D. program if ALL of the following are satisfied. The final decision is up to the graduate committee.  1. The candidate received a bachelor or master's degree (thesis option) in electrical and/or computer engineering from an ABET-accredited electrical and/or computer engineering program.  2. The candidate's BS GPA equals or exceeds 3.0 and MS GPA equals or exceeds 3.6 for conventional Ph.D. applicants. The candidate's BS GPA equals or exceeds 3.5 for direct Ph.D. applicants.  3. The conventional Ph.D. applicant must show evidence that a paper pertaining to his/her research has been accepted/published in a refereed conference (minimum requirement) or a journal. Reviewers' comments along with a letter of acceptance may be used as minimum evidence that a paper will be published. The direct Ph.D. applicant must show evidence of research experience. Examples of such evidence include but not limited to 1) a research publication; 2) a research poster/presentation; 3) participation in a sponsored research project; 4) participation in a research internship, etc.  4. Letters of recommendation should clearly indicate the student's potential and ability to succeed in research and higher education.	Minimum relative percentile comparison rank of 75 in the Quantitative section, 20 in the Verbal Reasoning section, and 20 in Analytical Writing.	N/A	
Electrical Engineering Ph.D. / Mathematical Sciences M.S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Emergency & Crisis Management M. S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Fully online degree, not eligible for I-20.
English Language Learning M.Ed.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
English M.A.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	N/A	
English Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	a graduate GPA of 3.50 or better	
Executive Educational Leadership Ed. D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Geoscience M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Geoscience Ph.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Healthcare Administration Executive M.H.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Fully online degree not eligible for an I-20.
Healthcare Administration M.H.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Health Physics M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	A score ranking in the 50th percentile or higher on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Exam (GRE). Tests taken prior to August 2011 require a composite score of 1,000 or higher on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Exam (GRE).	N/A	

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Higher Education M.Ed.	Optional	GRE	The UNLV Higher Education Program has chosen to use GRE Scores as an optional part of the M.Ed. application process. GRE scores that are strong may help an applicant with a lower GPA. This is because, along with other components of the application, strong GREs may suggest that a lower GPA does not reflect an applicant's academic potential (if this is the case for you, talk about it in your personal statement). We want all applicants to be able to represent themselves in the best possible light; thus, we leave applicants the option of adding scores if it will help them. NOTE: Exceptional GRE scores may not help overcome very low GPAs.		A minimum GPA of 2.75 for all undergraduate work or a 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work	
Higher Education Ph.D.	Yes	GRE or LSAT	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Higher Education Ph.D. / Juris Doctorate (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Hispanic Studies M.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
History M.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	An overall undergraduate grade point average of at least 3.00 and a 3.3 in history courses	
<u>History Ph.D.</u>	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Minimum GPA of 3.75 for post-bachelor's and minimum of 3.5 for post-master's.	
Hospitality Administration M.H.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum overall GPA of 2.75 on a 4.00 scale, or 3.00 or higher in the last two years of study.	Fully online degree not eligible for an I-20.
Hospitality Administration Ph.D.	Yes	GMAT or GRE	N/A	Submit either GRE or GMAT scores. A satisfactory composite score on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) (UNLV institution code 4861), with a preferred score of 155 on the quantitative portion and 148 on the verbal portion of the exam. Or, the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) (UNLV institution code 71T, Harrah College of Hospitality College code 71T-TD-68), preferred score of 550 with at least 25% on the verbal portion. Applicants are required to submit exams scores that have been completed within the last 5-years by the application deadline.		
Hotel Administration M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum overall GPA of 2.75 on a 4.00 scale, or 3.00 or higher in the last two years of study.	
Hotel Administration M.S. / Management Information Systems M. S. (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Intercollegiate and Professional Sport Management M.Ed.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	N/A	The GRE is currently optional for 2023. This program is currently not eligible for an I-20.
Interdisciplinary Health Sciences Ph. D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	50th average percentile or above on the quantitative, verbal, and analytic portions of the GRE (taken within the last 5 years) is preferred.	Undergraduates: An overall undergraduate GPA of 3.25 or higher - Graduates: An overall graduate GPA of 3.25 or higher	
Journalism & Media Studies M.A.	Yes	GRE		N/A	N/A	
Kinesiology M.S.	Yes	GRE		The Graduate Record Examination (GRE) is optional but may be used by the student toward admission (as evidence of quantitative abilities, and/or evidence of verbal abilities).		
Learning Sciences Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Preference given to students whose scores relate to the 50th percentile or better on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE).	An undergraduate grade point average of 3.00 or above.	

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Management Information Systems M. S.	Yes	GMAT or GRE	N/A	Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) with a target score of 550. Applicants with satisfactory scores on the general aptitude portion (50th percentile or higher) of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) will be considered for admission	Overall undergraduate grade point average of at least 3.00 on the four-point scale;	
Materials & Nuclear Engineering M.S.	Yes	GRE	The GRE requirement is waived for students participating in the Integrated BS-MS subplan.	The preferred score is at or above 70 percentile range in the quantitative reasoning section.	In general, a minimum post-baccalaureate GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale or equivalent is required for admission in addition to a GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale or equivalent in all engineering courses.	
Mathematical Sciences M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Minimum GPA of 2.75 for all undergraduate work or a minimum GPA of 3.00	
Mathematical Sciences Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	A minimum score in the top 35% on the GRE quantitative.	Applicants seeking direct admission to the doctoral program without a previously earned master's degree must have a minimum GPA of 3.00 for all undergraduate work or a minimum GPA of 3.25 for the last two years of undergraduate mathematics work. Applicants with a master's degree must have a minimum GPA 3.00 for all graduate work	
Mechanical Engineering M.S.	Yes	GRE	The GRE requirement is waived for students participating in the Integrated BS-MS subplan.	The preferred score is at or above 70 percentile range in the quantitative reasoning section.	In general, a minimum post-baccalaureate GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale or equivalent is required for admission in addition to a GPA of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale or equivalent in all engineering courses.	
Mechanical Engineering Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	The GRE requirement is waived for students participating in the Integrated BS-PhD subplan.	The preferred score is at or above 75 percentile range in the quantitative reasoning section.	A minimum post-baccalaureate GPA of 3.30 (on a 4.00 scale) is required for post-master's. A minimum GPA of 3.50 (on a 4.00 scale) is required for post-bachelor's.	
Medical Physics D.M.P.	Yes	GRE	N/A	A score ranking in the 50th percentile or higher on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE).	N/A	
Music M.M.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	An overall undergraduate GPA of at least 2.75 (or 3.00 in the last two years of undergraduate study). An undergraduate GPA of at least 3.00 in music	
Neuroscience Ph.D.	Optional	GRE	N/A	N/A	A bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 3.00 (A = 4.00) or a master's degree or equivalent from a regionally accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 3.50.	
Nursing D.N.P.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Fully online degree not eligible for an I-20.
Nursing M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Fully online degree not eligible for an I-20.
Nursing Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	Generally, a minimum grade point average of 3.5 (on a 4.0 = A scale) earned in a nursing or health-related master's program of study is required.	Fully online degree not eligible for an I-20.
Nutrition Sciences M.S.	Optional	GRE	N/A	The Graduate Record Examination (GRE) is optional but may be used by the student toward admission (as evidence of quantitative abilities, and/or evidence of verbal abilities). Applicants to the Thesis Subpan are encourged to provide the GRE scores for admission.	All applicants must have a minimum overall undergraduate grade point average of 2.75 (A=4.0), or 3.00 (A=4.0) in the last two years.	
Occupational Therapy O.T.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.	
Oral Biology M.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Oral Biology Ph.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Performance D.M.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	An overall undergraduate GPA and master's GPA of at least 2.75 (or 3.00 in the last two years of undergraduate study).An undergraduate GPA of at least 3.00 in music.	
Physical Therapy D.P.T.	Yes	GRE	N/A	A composite score of 300 or higher on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) is preferred. A score of 4 out of 6 is recommended on the Analytical Writing Section of the GRE.	A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale with a minimum average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale for prerequisite courses.	

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Physics M.S.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Physics Ph.D.	Yes	Physics GRE	N/A	Applicants seeking direct admission to the doctoral program without a previously earned Master of Science degree must have a score in the 65th percentile or above on the Advanced Physics portion of the GRE before admission	Applicants with a bachelor's degree in physics must have a minimum GPA of 3.00 for all undergraduate work or a 3.25 GPA for the last two years of undergraduate work, and a minimum of 18 credits of upper-division physics. Applicants with a master's degree in physics must have at least 15 credits of graduate-level course work in physics with a grade of 8 or better and a 3.25 GPA in the master's program.	
Political Science M.A.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Minimum scores are 153 on the verbal and 144 on the quantitative sections of the exam; we also consider the analytical writing score. In unusual circumstances, students who do not meet the above criteria may still be admitted.	A minimum GPA of 3.00.	
Political Science Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	The recommended score is a total of 160 on the verbal and 148 on the quantitative sections. We also pay attention to the analytical score. The applicant's undergraduate record is examined in conjunction with the GRE scores. The former is weighed more heavily than the latter: an outstanding undergraduate record may well allow the admission of an applicant with GRE scores somewhat below the recommended level.	Applicants must possess a B.A. or equivalent from a regionally accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 3.30, or M.A. or equivalent from an accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 3.50. Under special circumstances the department may consider applicants with lower GPAs.	
Post-Professional Occupational Therapy O.T.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Minimum overall grade point average of 3.00 (4.00=A) for the last two years of your academic coursework (60 credits).	
Psychological and Brain Sciences Ph. D.	Optional	GRE	N/A	Satisfactory scores on the Verbal and Quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) may improve an applicant' s evaluation but are not mandatory, and will not count negatively towards applicants who do not submit.	A bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 3.20 (A = 4.00) or a master's degree or equivalent from a regionally accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 3.50.	
Public Administration M.P.A.	Yes	GMAT or GRE	Applicants with an undergraduate GPA of 3.0 need not submit GRE or GMAT scores. Applicants who have completed one of the department's Graduate Certificates in Public or Nonprofit Management with a GPA of 3.5 or higher need not submit GRE or GMAT scores.	N/A	N/A	
Public Affairs Ph.D.	Yes	GRE or LSAT	N/A	Preference is given to applicants with scores above 153 for the verbal section, and 144 for the quantitative section; equivalent LSAT scores are acceptable	A graduate degree (master's or another advanced degree, i.e. J.D.) from a regionally accredited institution with a minimum GPA of 3.5 (competitive GPAs are expected to be 3.7 or higher) on a 4.0 scale	
Public Health M.P.H.	Optional	GMAT, GRE, MCAT, LSAT	N/A	Applicants are encouraged to submit GRE scores if they have deficiencies in some areas (e.g., GPA), apply for scholarships and graduate assistantships, and/or have plan to apply to the PhD degree after earning their MPH degrees.	A criterion for admission is at least a B (3.0) grade-point average or the equivalent in work completed after the first two years of a bachelor's degree program and in all post-baccalaureate course work.	
Public Health M.P.H. / Doctor of Medicine (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Public Health Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	The most competitive students will have a combined verbal/quantitative GRE score of 1200 (old test) /300 (new test) or higher.	A minimum grade point average of 3.0 (4.0=A) earned in a masters' program of study. The most competitive students will have a master's level GPA of 3.5 or higher	
Public Policy D.P.P.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Quantitative Finance M.S.	Yes	GMAT or GRE	N/A	Preference is given to applicants with GMAT scores above 550 (or the GRE equivalent).	N/A	

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Radiochemistry Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	A score ranking in the 50th percentile or higher in the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Record Exam (GRE).	N/A	
School Counseling M.Ed.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum grade point average of 2.75 for all undergraduate work and a 3.00 for the last two years of undergraduate work is required.	
School Psychology Ed.S.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Applicants must have a 2.75 undergraduate GPA with the last two years GPA of 3.0.	
School Psychology Ph.D.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A bachelor's degree with an undergraduate grade point average of 3.00 or above. If graduate course work has been completed, a graduate grade point average of 3.00 or above.	
Social Work M.S.W.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum overall grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.00 scale for the bachelor's degree.	
Social Work M.S.W. / Juris Doctorate (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Sociology Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	N/A	The GRE is currently waived for Fall 2023.
Special Education M.Ed.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	A minimum grade point average of 2.75 for all undergraduate work or a 3.00 grade point average for the last two years of undergraduate work.	
Special Education Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Special Education Ph.D. / Juris Doctorate (Dual)	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	Applicants must meet the individual requirements of each program - refer to those respective rows for details.	
Teacher Education Ph.D.	Yes	GRE	N/A	Students with less than a 145 Verbal, or a 145 Quantitative, or a 3.5 Analytical Writing, or any combination thereof on the GRE can only be admitted on a conditional basis; if admitted a student must earn a 3.30 (B+) GPA in the Departmental Core (CIG 761 & 790) and two Required Research Courses (EPY 718 & 721) in order remove the conditional status.	N/A	The GRE is currently waived for Fall 2023
Theatre Arts M.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Theatre Arts M.F.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Urban Leadership M.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Fully online degree not eligible for an I-20.
Water Resources Management M.S.	Yes	GRE	May be waived in the case of candidates with exceptional professional experience.	N/A	A minimum overall undergraduate grade point average of 3.00.	
Writing for Dramatic Media M.F.A.	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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