Information for International GRADUATE STUDENTS

PROGRAM RANKINGS
Many of the University of Minnesota’s programs are ranked among the best in the world, as measured by the National Research Council, the Center for Measuring University Performance, U.S. News & World Report, and the Institute of Higher Education at Shanghai Jiaotong University—which ranks the University as one of the top 30 universities in the world!

TUITION AND FEES
Tuition and fees for graduate and professional degree students vary based on the academic program. Below are the tuition costs for the most common programs. Tuition costs do not include required fees, which can range from $500 to $2,000 per semester.

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<th>2014-2015</th>
<th>Non-Resident Tuition</th>
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<td>Graduate</td>
<td>$23,680</td>
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<td>M.B.A.</td>
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<td>Law (LL.M.)</td>
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*Some graduate degree programs charge different amounts. See: onestop.umn.edu/finances/costs_and_tuition/

Living Expenses and Visa Requirements—Living expenses, books, and supplies are estimated at $15,000 per year. International students must verify they have all educational and living expenses available for the first 12 months in the U.S. to obtain a visa.

Housing Options—Apartments and rooming houses located off-campus are the popular choice, as on-campus housing is limited. There are excellent family housing options as well. www.housing.umn.edu/international/

Assistantships—For graduate students, the most common financial assistance is through graduate assistantships (teaching or research under the direction of a faculty member), which are awarded by individual graduate programs. Qualified students who receive an assistantship will have full or partial tuition waived and will receive a salary and health insurance. Yearly salaries for full-time graduate assistants range from approximately $15,000 to $29,000.

HOW TO APPLY
☐ Apply for admission using the online application form* www.grad.umn.edu/admissions/
☐ Pay the application fee: $95 for international applicants
☐ Upload transcripts (including English translations) of all coursework taken from all universities attended
☐ Send English language proficiency test score**

Most programs also require:
☐ Letters of recommendation
☐ Personal academic statement
☐ Test scores**

If you are admitted, you must confirm your intent to enroll and submit a Financial Certification Statement to receive your student visa document (I-20 or DS-2019).

Deadlines—Application deadlines vary by program, so you should check with your program to confirm deadlines. The most popular deadlines are in December and January. It is best to apply as early as possible.

For More Information—If you have questions about the application or admissions process, please contact the Office of Graduate Admissions:

Phone: 612-625-3014
E-mail: gsquest@umn.edu
Web: www.grad.umn.edu

*Professional Degree Program—If applying to a program that is considered a “professional degree,” you should consult your program for any special application requirements. www.umn.edu/twincities/professional/

**Test Scores—Most degree programs require a minimum score of 79 on the internet-based TOEFL, 550 on the paper-based TOEFL, 6.5 on IELTS, or 80 on MELAB. Many programs have higher minimum requirements. Most, but not all programs require the GRE test. You should check to see if your program requires the test.
**GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL DEGREE PROGRAMS**

The University of Minnesota offers graduate degrees in more than 190 fields, including sciences, arts, engineering, agriculture, medical, and humanities fields. [apps.grad.umn.edu/programs/](http://apps.grad.umn.edu/programs/)

**If the degree is not specified, both Ph.D. and master’s degrees are offered.**

Accountancy M.Acc.
Additional Teaching Licensure Program
Administrative Licensure
Adult Basic Education Licensure
Aerospace Engineering & Mechanics
Agriculture Education Lic. M.Ed. ILP, Prof
Study-M.Ed.
Agricult. Engineering—see Bioproducts
Agronomy—see Applied Plant Sciences
American Studies Ph.D.
Animal Sciences
Anthropology
Applied Economics
Applied Kinesiology:
  - DAPE M.Ed.
  - Health Education M.Ed. ILP
  - Physical Education M.Ed. ILP
  - Sports Exercise Science M.Ed.
  - Sport Management M.Ed.
Applied Plant Sciences:
  - Agronomy/Agroecology
  - Horticulture
  - Plant Breeding/Molecular Genetics
Architecture M.Arch. & M.S.:
  - Heritage Conserv. & Preserv. M.A.
  - Metropolitan Design M.S.
  - Sustainable Design M.S.
Art M.F.A.
Art Education—see Education
Art History M.A.
Arts & Cultural Leadership M.P.S.
Asian Literatures, Cultures, & Media
Astrophysics
Audiology Au.D.
Biological Sciences—see Bioproducts
Bioinformatics & Bioethics Ph.D.
Bioethics M.A.
Biological Science M.Bio.Sci.
Biomedical Engineering
Bioproducts & Biosystems Science, Engineering, & Management
Bioinformatics
Business Administration M.B.A., Ph.D.
Business Analytics M.S.
Business Taxation M.B.T.
Chemical Engineering
Chemical Physics
Chemistry
Child Psychology Ph.D.
Civil Engineering
Classical & Near Eastern Studies:
  - Classics
  - Greek
  - Latin
  - Religions in Antiquity M.A.
Clinical Research M.S.
Cognitive Science Ph.D.
Communication Studies
Comp. & Molecular Biosciences Ph.D.
Comparative Literature Ph.D.
Comparative Studies in Discourse & Society Ph.D.
Computer Science
  - Conservation Biology
  - Fisheries & Aquatic Biology
  - Creative Writing M.F.A.
Dentistry D.D.S.*, M.S.
Design:
  - Apparel Studies
  - Graphic Design
  - Housing Studies
  - Interior Design
Development Practice M.D.P.
Early Childhood Education M.Ed. ILP
Earth Sciences:
  - Biogeology
  - Earth Sciences
  - Geology
  - Geophysics
  - Hydrogeology
  - Ecology, Evolution, & Behavior
Economics Ph.D.
  - Education, Curriculum & Instruction:
    - Alternative Pathway World Lang Cult M.Ed. ILP
    - Art Ed M.Ed. ILP, M.Ed. only, M.A., Ph.D.
    - Culture & Tech Ph.D.
    - Elementary Ed M.Ed. ILP, M.A., Ph.D.
    - English Ed M.Ed. ILP, M.Ed. only
    - Interdisciplinary Studies M.Ed.
    - Literacy Ed M.Ed., M.A., Ph.D.
    - Math Ed M.Ed. ILP, M.Ed. only, M.A.
    - Science Ed M.Ed. ILP, M.Ed. only, M.A.
    - Science, Tech, Engineering & Math Ed Ph.D.
    - Second Languages & Cultures Ed M.Ed. ILP, M.Ed. only, M.A., Ph.D.
  - Education additional M.Ed. programs*:
    - Organizational Leadership, Policy & Dev:
      - Comparative & Int’l Develop. Educ.
      - Education Policy & Leadership M.A., Ph.D., Ed.D
    - Evaluation Studies
    - Higher Education M.A., Ed.D., Ph.D.
  - Educational Psychology:
    - Counseling & Personnel M.A.
    - Psych Foundations
    - Quantitative Methods in Educ
    - School Psychology Ph.D.
    - Special Education M.A., Ph.D., M.Ed., M.Ed. licensure, additional licensure
  - Electrical Engineering
    - Elementary Education—see Education
    - English
    - Entomology
    - Environmental Health
    - Epidemiology
    - Experimental & Clinical Pharmacology
    - Family Education Prof Study M.Ed.
    - Parent Ed teaching license, M.Ed.
    - Family Social Science
    - Feminist Studies Ph.D.
    - Financial Mathematics MFM
    - Fisheries—see Conservation Biology
    - Food Science
French
  - Genetics—see Molecular, Cellular
  - Geoengineering MGeoE, M.S.
  - Geographic Information Science M.G.I.S.
  - Geography
  - Germanic Studies M.A., Ph.D.:
    - German
    - Germanic & Medieval Studies
    - Scandinavian Studies M.A.
  - Greek—see Classical & Near East. Studies
  - Health Informatics M.H.I., M.S., Ph.D.
  - Health Services Research—Policy & Administration*
  - Hispanic & Lusophone Literatures, Cultures, & Linguistics Ph.D.:
    - Hispanic Linguistics M.A.
    - Hispanic Literatures & Cultures M.A.
    - Lusophone Lit & Cultures M.A.
  - History Ph.D.
  - History of Science, Tech, & Medicine:
    - History of Medicine
    - History of Science and Tech
  - Horticulture M.P.S.—see also Applied Plant Sci for M.S. and Ph.D.
Human Factors & Ergonomics
  - Human Resources/Industrial Relations M.A.
  - Industrial & Systems Engineering:
    - Industrial Engineering
    - Systems Engineering MSISE
    - Instructional Systems & Tech—see Educ
    - Integrated Behavioral Health M.P.S.
  - Integrated Biosciences
  - Integrative Biology & Physiology
  - Integrative Health & Wellbeing Coaching Kinesiology—see also Applied Kinesiology
  - Land & Atmospheric Science
  - Landscape Architecture M.L.A. & M.S.
  - Latin—see Classical & Near East. Studies
  - Law J.D., LL.M.*
  - Leadership in Education M.Ed.
    - International Program M.Ed.
    - Liberal Studies M.L.S.
  - Linguistics
  - Literacy Education—see Education
  - Management of Technology M.S.
  - Mass Communication
  - Materials Science & Engineering
  - Mathematics
  - Mathematics Education—see Education
  - Mechanical Engineering
  - Medical Physics
  - Medicinal Chemistry Ph.D.
  - Medicine M.D.*
  - Microbial Engineering M.S.
  - Microbiology, Immun, & Cancer Bio Ph.D.
  - Molecular, Cellular, Developmental Biology, & Genetics
  - Multicultural College Teaching/Learning M.A.
  - Natural Resources Science/Management:
    - Assessment, Monitoring, & Geospatial Analysis
    - Economics, Policy, Mgmt, & Society
    - Forest Hydrology/Watershed Mgmt
  - Forest Products
  - Forestry
  - Forests: Biology, Ecology, Conservation, & Management
  - Paper Science & Engineering
  - Recreation Resources, Tourism, & Environmental Educ
  - Wildlife Ecology & Management
  - Neuroscience Ph.D.
  - Nursing M.N.; DNP; Ph.D.
  - Nutrition
  - Oral Biology
  - Otolaryngology Ph.D. Otol
  - Parent & Family Ed Licensure
  - Pathobiology—see Microbiology
  - Pharmaceutics Ph.D.
  - Pharmacology
  - Pharmacy Pharm.D.*
  - Physical Therapy DPT
  - Physics
  - Physiology—see Integrative Biol & Phys
  - Planning—see Urban/Regional Planning
  - Plant Biological Sciences
  - Plant Breeding—see Applied Plant Sci
  - Plant Pathology
  - Plant Physiology—see Plant Biological Sci
  - Political Science Ph.D.
  - Portuguese—see Hispanic & Lus Lit
  - Psychology Ph.D.
  - Public Affairs M.P.A., Ph.D.
  - Public Health M.P.H.*
  - Public Policy M.P.P.
  - Rehabilitation Science
  - Rhetoric & Scientific & Technical Comm.
  - Scandinavian Studies—see Germanic Stud
  - Science Education—see Education
  - Science, Tech, & Environ. Policy M.S.
  - Social & Technical Comm M.S.
  - Scientific Computation
  - Second Languages & Cultures Education—see Education
  - Security Technologies MSST
  - Social & Administrative Pharmacy
  - Social Studies Educ.—see Education
  - Social Work
  - Sociology
  - Software Engineering M.S.S.E
  - Soil Science—see Land & Atm. Sci
  - Spanish—see Hispanic & Lusophone Lit
  - Speech Communication—see Comm Stud.
  - Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences:
    - Audiology M.A.
    - Speech-Language Pathology M.A.
  - Sport Management M.A.
  - Speech-Language Pathology M.A.
  - Sport Management M.A.
  - Statistics
  - Stem Cell Biology M.S.
  - Strategic Communication M.A.
  - Theatre Arts M.A., M.F.A., Ph.D.
  - Urban & Regional Planning MURP
  - Veterinary Medicine DVM.
  - Water Resources Science:
    - Limnology and Oceanography
  - Work & Human Resources Educ. M.Ed.
  - Youth Development Leadership M.Ed.
  - Zoology—see Ecology

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1. For information on applying to these programs, see: [www.sph.umn.edu](http://www.sph.umn.edu)
2. For more information, go to: [www.nursing.umn.edu](http://www.nursing.umn.edu)

* This program is considered a “professional degree” program. For more information, go to: [www.umn.edu/twincities/professional/](http://www.umn.edu/twincities/professional/)