

Application for Admission to a Graduate Program

Dear Prospective Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in graduate education at the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth.

An alternative to submitting these paper forms is to apply online. All forms can be submitted electronically through our website—just go to **www.umassd.edu/graduate**, find the button that says "Apply Now" and then the button that says "Begin the Online Graduate Application Process."

While completing the paper or electronic forms, **please refer to the Graduate Catalogue** (www.umassd.edu/catalog) which gives full information about many aspects of campus life and about the program of study and courses in each of our academic fields. Check the application and the catalogue carefully for any deadlines for the program of your choice and also for information about special admissions criteria or requirements.

Many graduate programs require additional materials, such as a portfolio. In addition, check if there is a supplemental application form for the program of your choice—and if there is, comply with its instructions. Our office will check each application for completeness before sending it to the academic department for action. If elements are missing or otherwise incorrect, we will contact you about the problem in a timely manner. You can check your application's status at www.umassd.edu/graduate/appstatus.cfm.

A special note about financial aid. Those hoping for an assistantship should so indicate on the application form itself and then submit the separate assistantship application form. Information on financial assistance is given in a chapter of the Graduate Catalogue and in the sections describing each program. Those hoping for university aid such as a loan or work study (US citizens or Permanent Residents only) should file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form before the priority deadline of March 1. Do not wait until you have been accepted to a graduate program, but file the FAFSA as soon after January 1 as possible, indicating UMass Dartmouth as a recipient of your results (code number **002210**). Call our Financial Aid Office at 508.999.8632 for assistance.

You may wish to contact the graduate program director of the program that you are interested in for information about the program, courses, or curriculum. Please contact us with any questions about the university or the application process.

Sincerely,

The Office of Graduate Studies

For assistance —

508.999.8604 voice 508.999.8183 fax graduate@umassd.edu www.umassd.edu/graduate

Mail your application materials to:

Office of Graduate Studies University of Massachusetts Dartmouth 285 Old Westport Road North Dartmouth, Massachusetts 02747-2300 Law School Applicants
Please do not use this form.

Instead, please use the application form at www.umassd.edu/law.

Application Deadlines (Completed application)

International applicants who will need a visa should allow an extra two months.

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	fall semester	spring semester
Doctoral programs		
Biomedical Engineering & Biotechnology	February 15	November 15
Chemistry	February 15	November 1
Educational Leadership & Policy Studies	March 31 (fall only)	
Electrical Engineering	February 15	November 1
Electrical Engineering option		
Computer Engineering option	- 1	
Engineering & Applied Science	February 15	November 15
Law	June 30 (fall only)	
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Luso-Afro-Brazilian Studies & Theory	February 1	December 1
Marine Science & Technology	February 15	November 15
Mathematics Education	March 31	November 15
Nursing PhD	February 15 (fall only)	
DNP	March 15 (fall only)	
Master's programs		
Art Education	August 1	October 15
Biology/Marine Biology	February 15 (fall only)	
Biomedical Engineering & Biotechnology,		
Medical Laboratory Science (PSM option)	February 15	November 15
Business Administration	March 1* **	December 1; Oct 15 (intl)
Chemistry	March 15 * **	November 1
Civil & Environmental Engineering	February 15 * **	November 15
Computer Science	February 15 * **	November 15
Electrical Engineering/Computer Engineering	February 15 * **	November 1
Fine Arts (Artisanry, Fine Arts, Visual Design)	February 1	October 15
Marine Science & Technology	February 15	November 15
COAST (PSM option)	February 15	November 15
Mechanical Engineering	February 15 * **	November 15
Industrial & Systems Engineering (PSM option)	February 15 * **	November 15
Nursing	March 15 (fall only)	
Physics	March 31 * **	November 15
Public Policy	March 1 (fall only)	
Portuguese Studies	February 1	November 15
Professional Writing	February 1 * ** (fall only)	
Psychology (Applied Behavior Analysis)	August 31	December 20
Psychology (Clinical)	March 31 (fall only)	
Psychology (Research)	February 1 (fall only)	
Teaching	August 1	January 15
Textile Technology/Textile Chemistry	February 15 * **	November 15

^{*}f/t is full time

^{**}p/t is part time application deadline is August 1 unless otherwise noted

Summary of Standardized Test and Related Requirements

Refer to the Graduate Catalogue (www.umassd.edu/catalog/) for detailed explanations. The UMass Dartmouth code for sending GRE and TOEFL scores is 3786.

Test requirement

Doctoral programsBiomedical Engineering & Biotechnology GRE

Chemistry GRE recommended

Educational Leadership & Policy Studies GRE or GMAT recommended

Electrical Engineering GRE (UMD graduates in CE or EE exempt)

Engineering & Applied Science GRE Law LSAT

Luso-Afro-Brazilian Studies & Theory GRE recommended

Marine Science & Technology GRE
Mathematics Education GRE

Nursing GRE for PhD

Master's programs

Art Education Portfolio, Communication/Literacy MTEL & Visual Arts MTEL (if unlicensed)

Biology/Marine Biology GRE

Biomedical Engineering & Biotechnology, Medical Laboratory Science–PSM option

Business Administration GMAT

Chemistry GRE recommended

Civil & Environmental Engineering GRE (UMD graduates in CEN exempt)

Computer Science GRE (UMD graduates in CIS exempt)

Electrical Engineering/Computer Engineering GRE (UMD graduates in CE or EE exempt)

Fine Arts (Artisanry, Fine Arts, Visual Design) Portfolio Marine Science & Technology GRE

COAST–PSM option GRE recommended

Mechanical Engineering GRE (UMD graduates in MNE exempt)
Industrial & Systems Engineering-PSM option GRE (UMD graduates in MNE exempt)

Nursing Physics

Public Policy GRE or GMAT or waiver*
Portuguese Studies GRE recommended
Professional Writing Miller Analogies Test or GRE

Psychology (Applied Behavior Analysis) GRE

Psychology (Clinical)

Psychology (Research) GRE

Teaching MTEL appropriate to the teaching level and field

Textile Technology/Textile Chemistry GRE

International Students TOEFL (see Graduate Catalogue)

Checklist for Completeness of Application

A decision on your application cannot be made until it is complete. This checklist will help you remember to enclose all required items and send transcripts and test scores.

* waiver with successful completion of Environmental or Edcational Policy

Certificate from UMass Dartmouth

1	Application form filled out completely and signed to certify that information is	complete and accurate and the
	records are correct and official	

☐ Supplementary Application form if required for the program

☐ Essay/Statement of Intent (and résumé if also required)

□ \$50 application fee enclosed with your application

☐ Official transcripts of all post-secondary study sealed in official envelopes

☐ Recommendations (three are required unless otherwise noted)

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OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDIES

Graduate Degree Program

Term/year of intended entrance Check one and enter year □ January □ September □		Academic Load ☐ Full-Time ☐ Part-Time
Personal data		
Family name	First (given) name	Middle name/initial
Previous or maiden last name	Previous first name	
Date of birth (used for purposes of identification): (mm/dd/yy	уу)	Sex: Male/Female
Permanent address		
City/state/zip		
Permanent phone number	Cell/mobile phone number i	i different
Mailing address if different		
City/state/zip		
E-mail address		
If you give different mailing and permanent addresses, which	should we use in corresponding with	you, and on which dates?
□ Biomedical Engineering & Biotechnology PhD or MS (□ Business Administration MBA (Also complete supplemental for Chemistry MS or PhD (Also complete supplemental for Civil & Environmental Engineering MS □ BS-MS option □ Computer Science MS □ BS-MS option □ Computer Engineering MS (Also complete supplemental Educational Leadership & Policy Studies □ PhD □ Electrical Engineering MS or PhD (Also complete supplemental Engineering & Applied Science PhD (Also complete supplemental Engineering & Applied Science PhD (Also complete supplemental Engineering & Theory PhD □ Marine Science & Technology MS or PhD (Also complemental Engineering MS □ BS-MS option ■ Mechanical Engineering MS □ BS-MS option	mental form.) BA/BS-MBA option brm.) BS-MS option brm.) BS-MS option brion BS-MS option BS-MS option BS-MS option BS-MS option blemental form.) BS-MS option blemental form.)	CERTIFICATE PROGRAM applicants should use the Graduate Certificate Program Application form. (page 17) LAW SCHOOL APPLICANTS Please do not use this form. Instead, please use the application form at www.umassd.edu/law.
 □ Nursing MS, DNP, or PhD (Also complete supplement. □ Physics MS □ Portuguese Studies MA □ Professional Writing MA □ BA-MA option □ Psychology MA option preferred: □ Public Policy MPP (Also complete supplemental form. □ Teaching MAT (Also complete supplemental form.) □ Textile Chemistry MS □ Textile Technology MS Those wishing to apply for two different graduate programs of the program of the programs of the programs of the programs of the programs of the program of the program of the programs of the program of the	_ (Also complete supplemental form.)) □ BA/BS-MAT option	
Other personal information Are you a Non-Resident Alien (visa holder)? Yes No	For U.S. Citizens and Permanent Ro	esidents: Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No
Please check one or more of the following groups in whice American Indian or Alaska Native (including all Original Peop Asian from Indian subcontinent All other Asian descent	th you consider yourself to be a mer	nber: I am (check one): ☐ Veteran of U.S. Armed For

Other Black (including Africa and Caribbean) ____

Education

List **all** post-secondary technical institutes or two- or four-year colleges/universities you have attended or are attending (even if you did not complete a degree there). List current or most recent first and use additional sheet if necessary.

Name of school	dates (from-to)	major	degree if any	
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Obtain official transcripts of your academic record for <i>each</i> of these institutions, sealed in official envelopes, and enclose them unopened with your application papers. Failure to list any post-secondary institution you attended is grounds for admission denial or dismissal. We will evaluate your application only if you send us all official transcripts. (However, do not obtain UMass Dartmouth transcripts; we will obtain those for you.)				
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lf y	ou are <i>not</i> a U.S. citizen , fill in the following:		
Coi	intry of citizenship Country of birth City of birth		
	I am a U.S. permanent resident. Registration number: Enclose copy of both sides of I-551 card.		
	I have received official asylum/refugee status in the U.S. Provide photocopies of documentation. or		
	I have other reasons for claiming eligibility to enroll without needing any special visa or immigration status. Explain here and provide any needed documentation.		
	or		
	I am an international student who will study under a non-resident visa. Please complete form titled "International Applicants Only" and submit it along with your application materials.		
Ad	ditional information		
	lave you applied for graduate admission to UMass Dartmouth or Southeastern Massachusetts University before? Yes No		

Employer	dates (from-to)	type of work
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If applicable, state the most important academic, p baccalaureate degree. Note: if providing this inform		
Have you registered at UMass School of Law or Soi	uthern New England School of Law before?	Yes No If so, when?
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Test requirements

Read the Graduate Catalogue (www.umassd.edu/catalog/) carefully to learn the test requirements of the program for which you are applying. We will evaluate your application only after all official test scores or other required materials arrive. If you are an international student, check our TOEFL requirements carefully.

Indicate when you took or plan to take the examinations required for your program (mm/yyyy):

GRE General _____ GRE Subject _____ GMAT ____ IELTS ____ MAT ____ LSAT ____ TOEFL____

Essay

Every graduate program requires an essay of 300 or more words. Read the Graduate Catalogue carefully for any special instructions about this essay for the program of your choice.

In general, this essay should indicate your graduate study objectives, research/creative interests and experience, undergraduate and graduate experience, and business or industry experience as applicable. One important use of this essay will be to assess how well your academic interests and long-range goals fit the academic program to which you are applying. If you are also applying for a teaching or research assistantship, include any special skills or experience that would assist us in our decision on the assistantship award.

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sho this for	I may wish to apply for graduate financial assistance such as a loan or work study (neith- uld submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form indicating UMass Da early; do not wait for your final admission decision. You can file online at www.fafsa.or in to you; contact the office at 508.999.8632. March 1 is the priority date for your application as soon after January 1 as possible.	rtmouth's school code number of 002210 . You should do g or our Office of Financial Aid can send a blank FAFSA
Altl ma	mpus housing Are you interested in living in a campus residence hall? ☐ Yes ☐ nough preference for on-campus housing is given to full-time undergraduate students de available to graduate students. Contact the UMass Dartmouth Office of Housing arusing@umassd.edu.	, a number of apartment-style on-campus spaces are
Ma	assachusetts residency status — Mandatory	
tuit	a state-supported university, we must identify the state residency of our applicants. Stu ion charge. Consult the tuition residency statement in the Graduate Catalogue to und appeals. Mark the appropriate box and provide the information requested.	
Res	idents of Massachusetts complete this section:	
	I have resided continuously in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts since// My permanent, legal address is:	(mm/dd/yyyy).
Noi	n-Residents of Massachusetts complete this section:	
	I do not qualify for Massachusetts residency. I have been a legal resident of CT, ME, NH, RI, or VT for at least one year. (This verific tuition in a qualifying program under the New England Board of Higher Education Re	
<u> </u>	Although the above do not apply to me, I still claim Massachusetts residency because policy, and will be reviewed for compliance):	e (reason must be derived from the Tuition Classification
	plication fee An application fee of \$50 is required along with the application packs to be in U.S. dollars. Please make checks payable to "University of Massachusetts Darti	
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of a	ase check your entire application and enclosures before signing the following statement admission, dismissal, and/or admission revocation. All information will be kept confidence wit. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have provided on this mitted are correct and official.	ntial and will be released only to persons authorized to
Sig	nature Date	Mail your application materials to:
Ful	I name printed	Office of Graduate Studies
Su	oplemental forms — If your program has a supplemental form, nplete it and enclose that sheet with your application.	University of Massachusetts Dartmouth 285 Old Westport Road North Dartmouth, Massachusetts 02747-2300

Full name	
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	iducation – MAE lemental Application Form			
1.	Please indicate your intended status as a graduate student: 🗖 Full-time; 📮 Part-time.			
2.	Are you provisionally teacher-licensed? If not, is licensure coursework in progress? (If you are not provisionally licensed and wish to become so, along with the 33-credit MAE program we offer a curriculum of 21 additional credits to enable students to become eligible for provisional licensure in Art Education. Please discuss special circumstances with the graduate program director.)			
3.	Have you passed the Massachusetts Test of Educator Knowledge Test? Both are indicated as require		ation and Literacy Skills Test? The MTEL Content special issues with the graduate program director.	
4.	Please list any published articles, books, or monogra which may be of interest to the graduate committee professional work experience or enclose a résumé.	aphs, any exhibitions, any profe e in evaluating your application	essional activities, or any other scholarly or creative activi n. You may use an additional sheet. Also please list your	
5.	In your application essay, please tell us your reasons personal goals your enrollment in the program woul		Art Education program, including the professional and	
6.	Indicate how you will submit your portfolio: I am sending my portfolio via the Slideroom webs I am enclosing my portfolio with this application. I am sending my portfolio under separate cover (a			
Upon	successful review of your application, a member of the	the MAE graduate committee	may contact you to arrange for an interview.	
	anry, Fine Arts, or Visual Design – MFA lemental Application Form			
1.	□ Fibers □ Metals/Jewelry □		C. Visual Design: Digital Media Graphic Design Illustration Photography Typography	
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	edical Engineering & Biotechnology applicants should v.umassd.edu/catalog/) to understand the application		lescription in the Graduate Catalogue ake inquiries and contacts as suggested in that section.	
1.	I request admission as (choose one): ☐ a PhD stude☐ a MS Medic		PhD student from an MS degree - Professional Science Master's (PSM) student	
2.	I am interested in having my studies based at the UN intercampus study. Based on my interests and areas the following college/department at UMass Dartmon a different departmental placement.	of academic preparation, I chouth. Please choose the most like	oose to have my studies based in kely department below; we may later suggest	
	College of Arts and Sciences Biology Chemistry and Biochemistry Mathematics Medical Laboratory Science	College of Engineering Bioengineering Civil and Environme Computer and Info Electrical and Comp Mechanical Engineer Physics	ental Engineering rmation Science outer Engineering	

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Supplemental Application Form

We offer the UMass Dartmouth MBA program in six delivery modes: (1) a program for full-time students, (2) a cohort-based professional part-time program at our Fall River campus, (3) a cohort-based professional program at the Cape Cod Community College campus, (4) a main-campus part-time program, and (5) a joint MBA/JD program with UMass School of Law–Dartmouth, (6) MBA option for non-business majors. See the Graduate Catalogue for a detailed explanation. You must choose one of these program formats.

am	requesting admission to the program as a Full-time MBA student Part-time MBA student, cohort-base Part-time MBA student, cohort-base Part-time MBA student, main-campu MBA/JD Joint program with UMass S BA/MA-MBA option for non-business Two recommendations are required f	d professional progra d professional progra is school of Law–Dartm majors .	am at the Fall River ca	mpus	y College campus must also apply separately for the JD program.
	mistry – MS or PhD plemental Application Form				
l.	Indicate your program interest: ☐ Chemistry MS only ☐ Joint UMa ☐ Cooperative UMass Amherst PhD Pr			tmouth	
2.	Please indicate your area(s) of interest: Analytical Biochemistry/biotechnology Computational	□ Inorganic □ Marine/enviror □ Organic	nmental		ysical lymer decided
1.	Summarize information from your transct Course General Chemistry Analytical Chemistry Advanced Inorganic Chemistry Organic Chemistry I Organic Chemistry II Physical Chemistry II Physical Chemistry II Calculus Physics Chemistry Electives	Year taken	and related courses y Credits/Units	you have t	

Electrical and Computer Engineering – MS or PhD Supplemental Application Form

Note: Depending on qualifications, we may offer some who request PhD admission MS admission instead.

1. I am requesting admission as (choose one):

- an MS student. I have indicated either Computer Engineering or Electrical Engineering on the first page of this application.
- ☐ a PhD student directly from a BS degree; or
- ☐ a PhD student from an MS degree.
- **2.** As a PhD applicant, I am interested in the following specific option (choose one):
 - ☐ Computer Engineering; or
 - ☐ Electrical Engineering.

Full name

	ineering and Applied Science – Ph plemental Application Form	D			
I am	requesting admission as (choose one):			
□ a l	PhD student from a BS degree	☐ a PhD student from	an MS degree		
	ed on my interests and areas of acade may later suggest a different placeme		se the following op	ition. Select one option.	
□ Co	omputational Science & Engineering	Option			
☐ Ap	pplied Mechanics & Materials Option				
□ Co	omputer Science & Information Syste	ms Option			
□ Ind	ndustrial & Systems Engineering Optio	n			
	rine Science & Technology – MS or plemental Application Form	PhD		Note: Depending on qualifications who request PhD admission MS ad	, we may offer some mission instead.
1. 2.	I am applying for: ☐ Marine Scienc ☐ Coastal and Ocean Administratic Each student in the UMass School of Boston, Dartmouth, or Lowell). If you pus choice is undecided at this time	on, Science and Technol of Marine Sciences (SMS ou are considering one	ogy (COAST) options) will have one of	n Professional Science Master's (F the participating campuses as a hor	me campus (Amherst,
	☐ Amherst ☐ Boston	☐ Dartmouth	☐ Lowell	☐ Undecided	
	SMS program may offer applicants ac SMS web site — www.umassmarine.r		pus other than tha	at for which they have indicated a p	reference. Read more at
3.	UMass SMS students may be in the ment such as Biology, Chemistry, o mouth School for Marine Science & In your Personal Statement you sho	Physics. If you are interaction of the Physics of Physi	rested in admission nat department hei	to one of the departments that is re:	ate academic depart- not in the UMass Dart-
	sing –MS, DNP or PhD plemental Application Form				
1.	Please indicate your intended statu	s as a graduate student	: 📮 Full-time	☐ Part-time	
2.	Which one option in nursing do yo	u wish to pursue?			
	 MS Adult Health/Nurse Educate MS Community Health/Nurse Educate DNP Adult Nurse Practitioner Post-MS DNP PhD Nursing 	ducator	DNP Adult Healt	/Nurse Manager Health/Nurse Manager n Clinical Specialist Health Clinical Specialist	
3.	List all professional experience, incl Dates of Employment	uding any undergradua Name of Agency	te field experience	or internship(s) (use separate sheet Position Held	if needed):

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-	chology – MA plemental Application Form	please check one	☐ Applied Behavior Analysis	☐ Clinical ☐ Research
1.	Provide your evening telephone number	er:		
2.	List all professional experience, includin Type of work Location		eld experience or internship(s). tart/End Dates	Immediate Supervisor
3.	List all awards, special projects, or resear	arch undertaken:		
Upo	on successful review of your application, a m	ember of the Psychology	graduate committee may conta	ct you to arrange for an admissions interview.
	plic Policy – MPP plemental Application Form			
 3. 	am applying for the following program [I you intended to complete all your cours: What is your intended concentration? (No second semester, but your tentative answer and Educational Policy Environmental Please indicate your intended status as a general of the provide your evening telephone number:	e work fully online, plea te that students are not er here is helpful for cou Policy Public Manag	se select the "online" option. required to formally declare th rse planning purposes.) ement U Undecided	, 3

6.	Include your professional résumé with your application. Also, list all awards, special projects, research undertaken (use separate sheet if needed).
7.	If you are a National Education Association (NEA) member, please indicate your membership number:

Location

Immediate Supervisor

5. List all professional experience, including any undergraduate field experience or internship (use separate sheet if needed):

Teaching - MAT

Type of work

Start/End Dates

Supplemental Application Form

Please indicate your intended status as a graduate student: ☐ Full-time; ☐ Part-time. 1.

Note: Admission to the MAT Professional Licensure program requires MA Initial Licensure. Discuss any issues with the graduate program director.

- 2. Please indicate which option you wish to pursue:

 Initial Licensure

 Professional Licensure
- 3. Which MAT option do you wish to pursue?
 - ☐ Elementary Education **or**
 - Middle/Secondary Education and indicate one Content Field below
 - ☐ French (5-12) Biology (8-12) Chemistry (8-12) ☐ General Science (5-8) ☐ Mathematics (8-12) ☐ History (5-8) English (5-8)
- ☐ Mathematics (5-8) ☐ Physics (8-12)
- Political Science/Political Philosophy (5-8) □ Political Science/Political Philosophy (8-12) □ Portuguese (5-12)

English (8-12) ☐ History (8-12) ☐ Spanish (5-12)

List all professional experience (use separate sheet if needed):

International Applicants Only

Full name

Use the same family, given, and middle names as on your main application, in the same order.

Students who will be studying under one of the types of non-resident visas must fill in and submit this form. If you are a U.S. Permanent Resident (holder of a "green card") or a student in valid asylum/refugee status, please so indicate on the regular application and do not submit this form.

International applicants should study carefully the chapter in our Graduate Catalogue (www.umassd.edu/catalog/) addressed specifically to international students. That chapter gives important information and provides instructions for the application procedure for international students needing a non-resident student visa.

l aı	I am an international student who will study under a non-resident visa.								
Co	untry of citizenship	Country of birth	City of birth						
Ple	ase answer the following question:								
	ve you studied in the United States previo yes", please complete items a-c; if "no,"								
a. 	Give us the following information for e Visa type School, College	<i>very</i> past or present U.S. institution attended or University Star	(use additional sheet if needed): t date						
b.	one?	u □ travel directly to UMass Dartmouth while	student visa from another U.S. institution to this e remaining in the U.S., or will you come here after et and enclose photocopies of your current I-94 form 019); also go to question c.						
c.	Visa type you will need: ☐ I need UMass Dartmouth to issue m ☐ I have or will have a visa allowing m	e a student visa. <i>(Usually this will be the F-1</i> e to study at UMass Dartmouth. If so, indica	visa.) OR te type and explain below or on a separate sheet.						
Ind	icate special conditions that apply to you	visa status here or on a separate sheet; we l	nope to work with you to resolve issues.						
Ful	I permanent address in your home co	untry—We <i>must</i> have this information to pr	ocess your visa application:						
TO	EFL Requirement								
	OR [give date] ar	ment to submit official TOEFL scores. I have t id have ordered/will order an official score re erning your English eligibility and TOEFL scor	port sent to UMass Dartmouth.						

Financial Certification

On the reverse of this sheet we provide a form that you should use to document your having sufficient funding to cover your costs as a student at UMass Dartmouth. We will accept other, similar documentation if you choose not to use our form; but please study the form carefully because it indicates the specific documentation that we require. Please understand that you must prove the existence of the funding you claim by supplying us with official documents—bank statements showing you or your sponsor have sufficient funds and a signed letter from your sponsor promising to provide funding.

Many international graduate students rely on an assistantship from the university for all or part of their funding. If you are to receive an assistantship, the Office of Graduate Studies will communicate with you about its terms, the amount of funding it offers, and whether you will need to provide some funding on your own.

International Applicants — Declaration and Certification of Finances

Full name

Use the same family, given, and middle names as on your main application, in the same order.

Students who will be studying here under one of the types of non-resident visas must complete and submit this form and provide the required documentation (or submit another set of materials that provides the same information and documentation to us). Enclose it and all required documentation together with the completed application for admission. If you are a U.S. Permanent Resident (holder of a "green card") or a student in valid asylum/refugee status please so indicate on the regular application and do not submit this form.

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security requires the university to review the financial resources of each international student applying for admission. Applicants for an F-1 visa to study at the University of Massachusetts Dartmouth in the United States must demonstrate that they can meet the expenses of their education, housing, meals, and personal needs.

International applicants should study carefully the chapter in our Graduate Catalogue (www.umassd.edu/catalog/) addressed specifically to international students. That chapter gives important information and provides instructions for the application procedure for international students needing a non-resident student visa. To understand the present form, you should especially study the list of estimated expenses for your first year of study at UMass Dartmouth. The total amount of support listed on this form and supported by the required documentation must equal or exceed the amount shown in that chapter. If the total is less than the amount that is listed as required, we will not be able to process your application for admission.

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Will you be alone or accompanied also by (che	Will you be alone or accompanied also by (check as applicable) ☐ a spouse ☐ dependent(s) and how many?							
	your studies at UMass Dartmouth for the first academic year. e of financial support for each amount. Use whichever items apply to you, and list							
Your own funds	\$							
Sponsor Name Address								
Relationship to you								
Sponsoring agency, employer or government Name Address								
Total	\$							
The letter(s) should indicate that sufficient fun- own funds will be used, enclose an official lett 4. Enclose an Affidavit of Support for eac (1) verify that the sponsor or sponsoring agence	just a photocopy) from a bank for each sponsor listed as giving you funds. Ids are available to meet the need shown for your entire period of study. If your ter from a bank verifying the availability of funds in your own account. Ith sponsor and agency listed as giving you funds. Each affidavit must Extra grees to provide the support indicated for your first year of study and agrees to							
	e you to complete your degree; (2) show the legal signature of the sponsor or of an it is to be an original, official letter, not a photocopy.							
5. Your legal signature	Date							

Application for Admission to a

Graduate Certificate Program

Term/year of intended entrance — Check one and enter year	☐ January ☐ September		ce of Academic Load k one	☐ Full-Time☐ Part-Time			
Personal data							
Family name	First (given) name		Middle r	name/initial			
Previous or maiden last name	Previo	us first name					
Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy) / /			Sex: Ma	le/Female			
Permanent address							
City/state/zip							
Permanent phone number	Cell/m	obile phone number if	different				
Mailing address if different							
City/state/zip	E-ma	il address					
If you give different mailing and permanent address	ses, which should w	e use in corresponding	with you, and on whic	h dates?			
Graduate certificate program of choice (ch	noose one)						
Post-Master's Certificate							
☐ I am applying for a Post-Master's in Applied Beha	avior Analysis						
Post-Bachelor's Certificates							
A. Write the full name of the Certificate you	are applying for:						
tributed Systems, Computer Science, and Software (offered jointly by Computer & Information Sciences Online), Finance, International Business (via UMass (offered by the Charlton College of Business); Acoustical Engineering Systems (offered by Electrical & Conand Leading for Learning Principal Licensure (offered	At the time of publication, the official list of UMass Dartmouth post-bachelor's certificates includes the following: Computer Networks and Distributed Systems, Computer Science, and Software Development and Design (offered by Computer & Information Sciences); Computer Systems (offered jointly by Computer & Information Sciences and Electrical & Computer Engineering); Accounting, Business Foundations (via UMass Online), Finance, International Business (via UMass Online), Marketing, Organizational Leadership (via UMass online), Supply Chain Management (offered by the Charlton College of Business); Acoustics, Communications, Computer Systems Engineering, Digital Signal Processing, and Electrical Engineering Systems (offered by Electrical & Computer Engineering); Professional Writing (offered by English); Teaching Licensure (see B below and Leading for Learning Principal Licensure (offered by the School of Education, Public Policy & Civic Engagement); Artisanry (see C below), Fine Arts (see C below), Web and Interaction Design (see D on p.19) (offered by the College of Visual & Performing Arts); Educational Policy, Environ-						
B. If you are applying for the Teaching Licens Choose a program: ☐ Elementary Education or If Middle/Secondary Education, indicate one Conter ☐ Biology (8-12) ☐ French (! ☐ Chemistry (8-12) ☐ General ☐ English (5-8) ☐ History (☐ English (8-12) ☐ History (☐ Middle/Secondary nt Field below 5-12) ☐ Science (5-8) ☐ 5-8) ☐		□ Political Science/P	Political Philosophy (5-8) Political Philosophy (8-12))			
Visual Art (those interested in this licensure should a	apply for regular MA	AE admission; use degr	ee admission form)				
We can evaluate your application only after we receive official test scores as follows; please submit and indicate dates taken below: Elementary Education, MTEL Communication and Literacy portion (01) Content/Elementary portion (03) Foundations of Reading (90) Mathematics (03) Middle/Secondary Education, MTEL Communication and Literacy portion (01) Content/Subject portion (03)							
C. If you are applying for the Artisanry or Fir Artisanry–Choose one studio emphasis Ceramic Fine Arts–Choose one studio emphasis Drawing Indicate how you will submit your image portfolio o am sending my portfolio via the Slideroom web	ne Arts Certificate, Is Jewelry/Met G Painting G of 10 slides or 10 digosite (preferred) http G I am sending	complete the follow cals	ving n/Fiber Arts □ Wood/ Ipture	/Furniture Design			

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Other personal information Are you a Non-Resident Alien (visa holder)? Yes_	No For U.S. Citizens and Pe	ermanent Residents: Are you Hisp	anic or Latino? Yes No
Please check one or more of the following gro	oups in which you consider yourself	to be a member:	
American Indian or Alaska Native (including all C Asian from Indian subcontinent All other Asian descent Cape Verdean African American Other Black (including Africa and Caribbean)	Native Hawaiian or Other P Portuguese White (including Middle Ea	acific Islander (Original Peoples) stern)	I am (check one): ☐ Veteran of U.S. Armed F ☐ Dependent of a Veteran ☐ Not a Veteran
Education List all post-secondary technical institutes or two solutes a degree there). List current or most recent	o- or four-year colleges/universities you first and use additional sheet if neces	have attended or are attending (e	even if you did not com-
Name of school	dates (from-to)	major	degree if any
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Provide official transcripts of your academic reco			
If you are not a U.S. citizen, fill in the follo			
Country of citizenship	Country of birth	City of birth _	
Massachusetts residency status Mark the appropriate box and provide the inforr Residents of Massachusetts complete this section			
□ I have resided continuously in the Commonw My permanent, legal address is:	ealth of Massachusetts since/	l (mm/dd/yyyy).	
Non-Residents of Massachusetts complete this s	ection:		
 I do not qualify for Massachusetts residency. Although the above does not apply to me, I s Classification policy, and will be reviewed for 		use (reason must be derived from	the Tuition
Application fee An application fee of \$50 is	s required along with the application of	ackat Plaasa maka chacks navah	No to LIMass Dartmouth
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Signature Check your application and enclosures before signissal, and/or admission revocation. All informations the best of my knowledge and belief, the information correct and official.	tion will be kept confidential and will b	pe released only to persons author	rized to review it.
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Personal disclosure documentation Family Name First (Given) name Middle name/initial Previous or maiden last name Previous first name Social security number (U.S.) 1. Have you ever been found responsible for a disciplinary violation at an educational institution you have attended from 9th grade (or the international equivalent) forward, whether related to academic misconduct or behavioral misconduct, which resulted in your probation, suspension, removal, dismissal, or expulsion from the institution? Yes ■ No 2. Have you ever been convicted of a felony or other crime? Yes ■ No If you answered "yes" to either or both questions, please submit a separate sheet that gives the approximate date of each incident and explains the circumstances. Mark the envelope CONFIDENTIAL and mail directly to: Office of Graduate Studies University of Massachusetts Dartmouth 285 Old Westport Road North Dartmouth, MA 02747-2300 We will carefully review the circumstances surrounding your situation. A "yes" answer does NOT necessarily disqualify you for consideration for admission to UMass Dartmouth. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have provided above is complete and accurate, and any records submitted are correct and official. I understand that failure to disclose any required information could result in the denial of admission or retroactive administrative withdrawal from the university without refund or course credits. Signature Date



Application for a **Graduate Assistantship**

Title of Assistantship you are applying for (if known)

		Complete if you are app	lying for a specific position that is known to you. Most applicants will leave this b
Personal data			
Family name		First (given) name	Middle name/initial
Previous or maiden last na	me		Previous first name
Date of birth (used for pur	poses of identification) (mm/dd/yyyy) / /	Sex: Male/Female
Permanent address			
City/state/zip			
Permanent phone number	-		Cell/mobile phone number if different
Mailing address if differen	t		
City/state/zip			
E-mail address			
If you give different mailin	g and permanent addres	ses, which should we use in co	rresponding with you, and on which dates?
We will correspond with in	nternational students livir	ng in the U.S. at their U.S. addr	ess unless you indicate otherwise here.
Academic and Profes	sional Information a	nd Intentions	
Indicate the specific gradu	ate program you are app	olying for, or in which you are m	natriculated, and the program level.
Program of study		Program	n level (circle one) master's doctoral
		Teaching Assistantship; 📮 Retudent, please indicate: semeste	esearch Assistantship. er hours completed:; anticipated completion date:
	d, for current students, y	our academic and research reco	ation we have about you, for example, as submitted in an ap ord at UMass Dartmouth. Additional information requested h
language, etc.). Note to no	ew students: you may as , and you may also discu	k those providing recommenda	ne requested assistantship (teaching, research, computer skill: cion letters for your admission application to address your po n's Personal Statement. If you need more space, you may att
List each employer interns	ship or other relevant no	sition or appointment (most red	rent first)
Type of work	Location	Start/End Dates	Immediate Supervisor
List all awards, special pro	jects, research undertake	n:	

Assistantship Application, continued

Purposes of this form: This form provides general information that will give the academic department or program representatives guidance in their decision about assistantship awards. While an assistantship may be offered if a form is not submitted, submitting the form is a convenient way of informing the university or specific program of your interest in receiving an assistantship.

Additional information will also be considered, such as your academic qualifications. Some programs will want to contact you for an interview in person or by telephone. Others will ask to see samples of your work in the form of a paper, research project, or portfolio.

Some departments will ask for specific information in addition to that called for on this form. We encourage them to post an additional form or other statements that give guidance to applicants for assistantships on their graduate program web sites. The UMass Dartmouth Graduate Studies web site will maintain links to all such program-specific forms or statements concerning graduate assistantships. Visit us online at www.umassd. edu/graduate and find the page devoted to graduate assistantships. You may also find there university policies related to assistantships and their benefits. Please also read the Financial Assistance section of the Graduate Catalogue (www.umassd.edu/catalog/).

Policies and practices in effect at UMass Dartmouth for graduate assistantships

Only active students matriculated in a graduate degree program in good academic standing and enrolled in nine or more credits each semester may be awarded assistantships. Programs offering teaching assistantships will state the main duties of those appointments and the qualifications required. Teaching assistants may have sole responsibility for teaching a course section or laboratory, or may assist the instructor(s) of record in teaching and instructional support duties. By campus policy, the English/communication skills of teaching assistants must be verified prior to appointment. Certificate students are not eligible to receive assistantships.

Assistantships are awarded competitively. A graduate program committee will review teaching assistantship candidates and make formal recommendation of an action in each case, based on the stated duties and requirements and the evidence of the candidate's qualifications. Every applicant for a teaching assistantship will receive notification of award or non-award from the Office of Graduate Studies. Research assistantships allow a grant's principal investigator to select a student research assistant without a committee; but research assistantship appointments are reviewed by the dean and require approval of the Office of Associate Provost for Graduate Studies, as do all assistantship appointments.

The official letter of appointment for all assistantship types comes from the Office of the Associate Provost for Graduate Studies. It will state the terms of the appointment (duration, hours per week, stipend, and waivers or other benefits) and conditions for continuation or cancellation. The letter also identifies a program contact person who is committed to be available to give specific information to the student. Communicating the specific duties and such matters as teaching assignments, schedules, and participation in trainings or orientation is the responsibility of the program officials.

Accepting an assistantship indicates an intention on the part of the student to complete a degree program at UMass Dartmouth. Assistantships represent a substantial investment by the university and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Graduate assistants are expected to make progress toward their degrees and be in good academic standing in order to retain their assistantship or to receive a subsequent award. Many departments have specific requirements for academic or professional performance. Satisfactory performance of the duties of the assistantship is also required.

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the information I have provided on this application is complete and accurate.

Signature	Date	Enclose with application or mail this form to:
Full name printed		Office of Graduate Studies University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
		285 Old Westport Road North Dartmouth. Massachusetts 02747-2300



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Graduate Recommendation

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Applicant						
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Proposed Graduate Program						
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Signature of Applicant					Date	<u> </u>
Recommender						
1) Please rate the individual						
Applicant is in the upper	5% Outstanding	10% Superior	25% Good	50% Average	75% Weak	No Basis For Comparison
Breadth of General Knowledge						
Ability in Field of Study						
Ability in Oral Expression						
Ability in Written Expression						
Perseverance						
Emotional Maturity						
Imagination/Creativity						
Probability of Success in						
Graduate School						
2) On the reverse of this sheet, o	r on a sheet of you	r institution's (official letterhe	ad, provide a writ	ten evaluation	of this candidate.
Please comment on the applicant preparation for a successful caree						
3) Please sign and indicate here	your name, addres	s, phone, and	l affiliation:			
Signature			Dat	e		
Name			Title	е		
Institution						
Address						
City, State, Country						
Telephone			E-m	nail		

4) Please seal your recommendation in an envelope, sign your name across the sealed flap and give it to the candidate to be mailed to us. Even if it is a non-confidential recommendation, we still require it to be sealed in an envelope. Your prompt response is greatly appreciated.



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