Admission

Applicants to the Ph.D. program must meet the admission requirements of the Graduate College and those specified by the program. Applicants whose first language is not English must score at least 100 (internet-based) on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or at least 550 on the paper-based test. Acceptable scores on the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) or the Duolingo English Test (DET) also may be submitted.

Applicants to the Ph.D. program must submit a statement describing past research experience and current research interests, and state how completion of the Ph.D. program fits their career goals.

Applications and transcripts are reviewed and accepted on a continuing basis. A personal interview may be requested.

Programs normally begin July 1 each year.