Graduate Certificate
Institutional Research

Degree Program:
A minimum of 18 credit hours numbered 4000 or above taken as part of a doctoral program. Of the 18 credit hours, 12 hours are in the required core (6 credit hours in research methods/6 credit hours in Institutional Research seminar), 3 credit hours are in Higher Education (HIR ED) or an Educational Research (ED REM) elective and 3 credit hours are in a capstone. Applicants may transfer up to 5 hours of post-Master’s work into the program with the approval of the advisor.

Program Website:
https://coe.umsl.edu/mycoe/index.cfm?event=p2_pe:viewProgram&program_id=GC.InstResearch

Entrance Requirements:
1. Application
2. Transcripts and Entrance examination(s)
   a. Official BA or Master’s degree transcript.
   b. International applicants are required to document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination before a decision is made on admission.
3. Grade Point Average
   a. Minimum of 2.75 on 4.0 scale

Gainful Employment Disclosure: For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at http://umsl.edu/go/Bpo

Application Deadline:
Fall: July 1
Spring: December 1
Summer: May 1
Applications are processed as they are submitted. However, applications that are not received by the posted date may delay admission until the following semester.

Application fee: $50 for domestic applicants; $40 for international applicants

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