Graduate Certificate
Multicultural and Social Justice Counseling

Degree Program
- A 12 credit hour program including 3 credit hours of core coursework and 9 credit hours in Counseling Program multicultural cognate courses

Program Website
https://coe.umsl.edu/mycoe/p2_pe/viewProgram/program_id/GC.Couns_MCSJ

Application Requirements
1. Graduate School Application:
   a. http://umsl.edu/go/Apply-Now
2. Statement of Purpose
   a. Description of individual goals and areas of interest.
3. Current “good standing” (non-probation) in an UMSL graduate mental health practitioner training program counseling, social work, or psychology)
   OR
   1. Undergraduate degree with a GPA of 3.0 or better
   2. Enrollment in a graduate mental health practitioner or related training program or earned Master’s degree in mental health field (or related);
   3. Two letters of recommendation with at least one from a current or former college-level instructor (or someone with a graduate degree who can attest to the applicant’s capacity to complete graduate-level work);
   4. Two-page personal statement explaining the applicant's personal and professional goals.

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

Application Fee
$50 for domestic applicants; $40 for international applicants

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