

Graduate Certificate Accounting Data Security

Degree Program

All course prerequisites and all course waivers are applicable. Substitute courses may be approved by the appropriate department chairperson and the Director of Graduate Business Programs. All 12 credit hours taken as part of this certificate transfer to the MBA degree program.

Program Website

<https://www.umsi.edu/divisions/business/accounting/Degree%20and%20Certificate%20Programs/accounting-data-security.html>

Application Requirements

1. Graduate School Application
 - a. <http://umsi.edu/go/Apply-Now>
2. Statement of Purpose
 - a. Description of individual goals and areas of interest.
3. Two Letters of Recommendation
 - a. Letters that address academic potential must be provided by individuals who can accurately assess it such as previous instructors, professors, etc.
4. Transcripts
 - a. Official transcripts for all prior higher education institutions.
 - b. By the time of enrollment, prospective students must have obtained a baccalaureate degree or the equivalent from an accredited college or university.
 - c. International applicants are required to document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination before a decision is made on admission.
5. Grade Point Average
 - a. Minimum of 3.0 on 4.0 scale

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

Advising

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