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Master of Science in Information Systems and Technology (MSIST)

Degree Program
- The program requires a total of 30 hours for students with either business or non-business undergraduate degrees.
- STEM Designation: Yes [CIP Code11.0103(Information Technology)]
- All students will complete:
  - INFSYS 5800 (3 hours)
  - The requirements for two of the certificates listed (24 hours):
    - Graduate Certificate in Enterprise Systems Development
    - Graduate Certificate in Information Security Management and Auditing
    - Graduate Certificate in Information Systems and Technology
    - Graduate Certificate in Business Intelligence
  - One elective course from the list below or from the certificates above (3 hours). Courses may also be substituted with other courses upon approval from the Department Chair.

Program Website
https://www.umsl.edu/degrees/masters/ms-information-systems-and-technology.html

Application Requirements
1. Complete an online application: http://umsl.edu/go/Apply-Now.
2. Submit official transcripts covering all collegiate academic work.
   a. Successful applicants must have completed a bachelor's degree before beginning the master's program.
3. Submit a resume or CV
4. Applicants with a 3.0 GPA or higher (on a 4.0 scale) qualify for regular admission. Students may be admitted on a restricted status if their GPA is slightly below 3.0.

Optional Materials
1. Two letters of recommendation
   a. You may include your recommender's name and email address in your online application. Recommendation letters are not required, but can strengthen an application, particularly for students with a GPA below 3.0.

International Applicant Supplemental Materials
1. Language proficiency (international applicants only): submit TOEFL (79+), IELTS (6.5+), PTE-A (53+) or Duolingo (105-110).
2. Immigration Documents: Copy of passport, Statement of finances, Affidavit of support
   a. For support, please visit: https://www.umsl.edu/global/admissions/grad.html

Application Deadlines
Domestic applicants

Fall Semester: July 1   Spring Semester: December 1   Summer Semester: May 1

International applicants

Fall Semester: June 1   Spring Semester: October 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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