Graduate Programs

College of Arts and Letters

Degree: Master of Arts (M.A.) in Language, Linguistics, and Comparative Literature
Concentration: Comparative Literature

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Application Deadlines

**Domestic Students**
- Fall: February 1
- Spring: November 1
- Summer: April 1

**International Students**
- Fall: February 1
- Spring: September 1
- Summer: January 15

Admission Requirements

**Domestic Students**
- Undergraduate GPA of 3.0
- GRE is not required
- Video clip
- Two letters of recommendation
- Statement of personal objectives in essay form (in English)
- One writing sample (in the language of your primary literature – Spanish, French, or Italian)

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- GRE is not required
- Video clip
- Two letters of recommendation
- Statement of personal objectives in essay form (in English)
- One writing sample (in the language of your primary literature – Spanish, French, Italian, or English)
- Students are required to provide a general evaluation and translation of their transcripts by a NACES member company
- TOEFL score of 550 or IBT of 80

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