

Graduate Programs

College for Design and Social Inquiry

Degree: Master of Public Administration (M.P.A.)

Major: Public Administration

Important information about applying to Graduate School:

- ✓ **Transcripts:** Submit official transcripts in sealed envelopes from all schools attended.
NOTE: If you attended one of the Florida State University System institutions, transcripts may be requested electronically.
- ✓ **Supporting documentation:** Supplemental documents should be uploaded as separate files as part of the online graduate application. NOTE: You will not be able to submit your application until all the supplemental materials are uploaded.
- ✓ **Conduct:** A "yes" answer to either of the conduct questions on the online application will require a written explanation. Additional information may be requested when your application is under review. Applications will not be fully processed until all conduct issues are cleared.
- ✓ **Application status:** Once your application has been submitted, you can check your application status online to ensure transcripts and test scores have been received.
NOTE: Application status will say incomplete until an admission decision has been made.
- ✓ **Residency classification:** Your residency classification automatically defaults to non-Florida. After you are admitted, the residency officer will request additional documents by email if needed.

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Application Deadlines

Domestic Students

Fall: May 1

Spring: October 1

Summer: February 1

International Students

Fall: May 1

Spring: October 1

Summer: February 1

Admission Requirements

Domestic Students

- Bachelor's degree
- 3.5 GPA in last 60 credits of undergraduate degree; if less than a 3.5 GPA, you must take the GRE and submit scores
- Three letters of recommendation
- Grade of "C" or better in an undergraduate statistics course (equivalent to FAU STA 2023)
- Personal Statement
- Resume

International Students

- Bachelor's degree
- 3.5 GPA in last 60 credits of your undergraduate degree; if less than a 3.5 GPA, you must take the GRE and submit scores
- Three letters of recommendation
- Grade of "C" or better in an undergraduate statistics course (equivalent to FAU STA 2023)
- Personal Statement
- Resume
- A general evaluation of international transcripts is required; FAU will do the evaluation or it must be done by a NACES member
- TOEFL score of 550 or IBT of 79-80