Graduate Programs

College for Design and Social Inquiry
Degree: Master of Science (M.S.)
Major: Criminology and Criminal Justice

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 admissions 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 review your application and request additional documents by email if needed.

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Application Deadlines

Domestic Students
Fall: July 1

International Students
Fall: February 15

Admission Requirements

Domestic Students
• Bachelor’s degree
• Undergraduate GPA of 3.0
• “B” or better in a research methods course
• “B” or better in a statistics course
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• A general evaluation of international transcripts is required; FAU will do the evaluation internally or it must be done by a NACES member
• TOEFL score of 550 or IBT of 61; IELTS 6.0