Graduate Programs

Charles E. Schmidt College of Science

Degree: Master of Science (M.S.)
Major: Physics


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 applications, letters of recommendation, and/or portfolios should be submitted directly to your graduate program.

- **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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Admission Requirements

### Domestic Students

- Undergraduate GPA of 3.0
- GRE Physics subject test is required
- Two letters of recommendation
- Resume
- BS degree in Physics

### International Students

- Undergraduate GPA of 3.0
- GRE Physics subject test is required
- Two letters of recommendation
- Resume
- BS degree in Physics
- 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 (PBT) or 79-80 (IBT)

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Application Deadlines

**Domestic Students**

- Fall: July 1
- Spring: November 1
- No Summer acceptance

**International Students**

- Fall: June 1
- Spring: October 1
- No Summer acceptance