



UNIVERSITY of  
NEW ORLEANS

# Application for Admission



**Use this application to apply as an undergraduate student if you are:**

- ◆ a first-time freshman
- ◆ a transfer student
- ◆ a returning UNO undergraduate student
- ◆ pursuing a second bachelor's degree
- ◆ an undergraduate guest student (one semester only)

**Use this application to apply as a graduate student if you:**

- ◆ are seeking a graduate degree
- ◆ are seeking teacher certification and already have a bachelor's degree
- ◆ hold a bachelor's degree and would like to enroll as a non-degree seeking student
- ◆ are a guest student from another graduate school
- ◆ are a returning UNO graduate student

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504.280.6595 ♦ 1.800.256.5.UNO(5866)  
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## APPLICATION FEES/DEADLINES

- A non-refundable fee of \$40 must be submitted by all students (except UNO returning students) applying for admission. **Applications cannot be accepted without the required fee. Please do not send cash through the mail.**
- **Late applications are not accepted from international students.**
- In addition to the \$40 application fee, a non-refundable \$30 late fee (total \$70) will be assessed for all applications received after the priority dates.

## APPLICATION PRIORITY DATES

### Fall Semester

International Students . . . . . June 1  
All Other Students . . . . . July 1

### Summer Session

International Students . . . . . March 1  
All Other Students . . . . . May 1

### Spring Semester

International Students . . . October 1  
All Other Students . . . November 15

IF APPLICATION AND TRANSCRIPTS ARE NOT RECEIVED AT LEAST THIRTY DAYS BEFORE THE FIRST DAY OF CLASSES, IT MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE TO PROCESS THE APPLICATION IN TIME.

## Instructions for Undergraduate Students

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- an undergraduate guest student (one semester only)

## FRESHMAN REQUIREMENTS (Effective Fall 2005)

- Students who graduate from state-approved high schools must complete the **Louisiana Board of Regents Core Curriculum** and require no more than one developmental/remedial course **AND one of the following:**
  1. ACT composite score of 23 or greater (SAT I 1060)  
OR
  2. High school cumulative GPA of 2.5 or greater  
OR
  3. High school graduation rank top 25% of class
- **Out-of-State and Homeschool students** who do not meet the core curriculum must satisfy **all items** in #1-3 **or** have a composite ACT score of 26 or greater (SAT I 1170) **and** require no more than one developmental/remedial course.
- **Adult Freshmen** age 25 and over who are graduates of state approved high schools (or have received their GED) need not satisfy the test score, GPA and rank admission requirements.

### Core Curriculum

Unit	Course
4	English I, II, III and IV
1	Algebra I (one unit) or Applied Algebra IA and IB (two units)
1	Algebra II
1	Geometry, Trigonometry, Calculus or an approved advanced math
1	Biology
1	Chemistry
1	Earth Science, Environmental Science, Physical Science, Biology II, Chemistry II, Physics, Physics II or Physics for Technology
1	American History
1	World History, Western Civilization or World Geography
1	Civics and Free Enterprise (one) or Civics (one)
1	Fine Arts Survey (or substitute two units of performance courses in music, dance and/or theater; or substitute two units of visual art; or substitute two units of studio art; or substitute one unit of an elective from among the other subjects listed in this core curriculum)
2	Foreign Language (two units in the same language)
1/2	Computer Science, Computer Literacy or Business Computer Applications (or substitute at least one-half unit of an elective course related to computers approved by the State Board of Elementary and Secondary Education or one-half unit as an elective from among the other subjects listed in this core curriculum)

### 16.5 Total Core Curriculum Units

- You should submit an application as early as possible during the year before you wish to enroll. If you are currently in high school you **must** attach a list of the 12th grade courses in which you are enrolled. Transcripts must be mailed directly from the high school to the UNO Office of Admissions in order to be considered official; ACT/SAT scores must be sent directly to UNO from the American College Testing Program/Educational Testing Services.

## ACT AND SAT TESTS

- If you are a freshman or transfer applicant who has completed less than 18 semester hours of college coursework, you **MUST** take the ACT (American College Test) and have your scores sent to UNO (college code 1591). National ACT tests are administered in October, December, February, April, and June each year at regular ACT testing centers. The SAT I (Scholastic Aptitude Test, UNO college code 6379) may be used in place of the ACT. Test dates are in October, November, December, January, April, May, and June. Contact UNO Testing Services at (504)-280-TEST (8378) for additional ACT test dates or for special accommodations testing, both offered on the UNO campus. We also strongly recommend that you take the optional ACT Writing Test, which will be offered beginning Spring 2005. Both the ACT Writing and the Writing component of the SAT can be used at UNO for placement in English composition classes.

## TRANSFER STUDENTS

- You should submit an application as early as possible during the year before you wish to enroll. On the application you must indicate all colleges and/or universities attended whether or not you have earned credit. In addition, you should include any schools you plan to attend before your actual enrollment at UNO. You must request that the registrar of each university you have attended send official transcript(s) to the UNO Office of Admissions. Transcripts are only considered official if they are mailed directly from the registrar to our Office of Admissions. Student copies of transcripts are not considered official. If you are enrolled in college when you apply to UNO you must send transcripts at the time of application and again at the close of the semester. Generally a 2.25 cumulative GPA is required for admission.
- If you have graduated from high school and have completed fewer than 18 semester hours of college credit you must meet both freshman and transfer admission requirements.

## RETURNING UNO UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

- If you are a former UNO undergraduate and you were not enrolled in the regular semester (excluding Summer Session) preceding the semester of desired enrollment, you must re-apply for admission. The application fee is waived for returning UNO students; you will be assessed a late fee if your application is received after the priority date.

## MERIT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- New freshmen and transfer students are automatically considered for merit-based scholarships if the application, transcripts and test scores required for admission are on file by the January 15 priority date for the incoming fall class. Notification of awards will be mailed on a rolling basis through March. For a more detailed description of the types of scholarships and the minimum criteria, visit <http://www.uno.edu/~finaid> or contact the Chief Coordinator of Scholarships in the Office of Student Financial Aid at 504-280-3191, email [finaid@uno.edu](mailto:finaid@uno.edu).

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## Instructions for Graduate Students

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  - are a returning UNO graduate student
  - hold a bachelor's degree and would like to enroll as a non-degree seeking student
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### ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

- Ordinarily you should have a baccalaureate degree, a 2.5 grade-point average for undergraduate work and a 3.0 for postgraduate work (on a 4-point system), satisfactory academic standing at the last institution attended and satisfactory GRE or GMAT scores. Department GPA requirements may be more stringent.

### DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS

- Some graduate programs also require their own application. Contact your intended program for details.

### TRANSCRIPTS AND TEST SCORES

- Have the registrar of each institution you attended send an official transcript of your record and your admission test scores to the Office of Admissions. The application is not processed until all credentials are received. You are responsible for the proper transmission of these records. A separate transcript is required from each university attended, even though the work may be shown on another transcript, whether or not credit was earned or desired. If you are currently enrolled, provisional admission may be granted pending arrival of records for this work only. All other materials must be received.
- All applicants are required to submit admission test scores. The General Test scores of the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) are required for all programs except Biology, which requires both the General Test and the Subject Test scores.

- The MPA and Arts Administration programs will accept either the GRE (General Test) or the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT). Only the GMAT will be accepted for the Master of Business Administration, Master of Science in Accounting, and Master of Science in Hospitality and Tourism Management programs.
- Applications for taking the GRE and GMAT can be obtained by contacting the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08540. GRE: 1-800-GRECALL or [www.gre.org](http://www.gre.org); GMAT 1-800-GMATNOW or [www.gmat.org](http://www.gmat.org).

### NON-DEGREE STUDENTS

- If you hold a bachelor's degree from an accredited college/university and you are not pursuing another graduate or undergraduate degree, you may apply as a non-degree student in the Graduate School. Admission test scores are not required. Official transcripts are not required unless you plan to enroll in pre-professional programs such as pre-MBA, pre-medical, or certification. Some graduate-level courses and all 6000-level business courses are closed to non-degree students. Please consult the University Catalog for other restrictions.

### ASSISTANTSHIPS

- Information about teaching or research assistantships may be obtained from the department concerned.

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## Instructions for All Students

### GUEST STUDENTS

- If you are pursuing a degree at another university, and you wish to take courses at UNO for one semester as a guest student, please indicate this on the application (question 24 for undergraduate students and question 29 for graduate students). A Letter of Good Standing from the Registrar (if you are an undergraduate student) or Dean of the Graduate School (if you are a graduate student) from your home institution giving you permission to take courses at UNO may substitute for an official transcript.

### FINANCIAL AID

- To be considered for financial aid you must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The FAFSA is available in high school guidance offices and the UNO Office of Student Financial Aid. Our Office of Student Financial Aid must receive your Student Aid Report (SAR) as soon as possible in order to consider you for all types of aid. Aid is awarded on a first-come, first-served basis. You may contact our Office of Student Financial Aid at (504) 280-6603 for further details. The Title IV code for the University of New Orleans is **002015**.

### SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION

- Louisiana State law stipulates that we must confirm the Selective Service registration of all draft eligible males (generally between the ages of 18 and 25, U.S. citizens or permanent resident aliens) before we permit students to enroll. We will contact Selective Service for this verification. However, if Selective Service cannot confirm your draft registration, we will ask you to provide us with a copy of your draft card or, if you have been in the Service, a copy of your discharge papers. If you have been excused from the draft, you should send the Office of Admissions proof that you have been excused.

### IMMUNIZATION

- Louisiana law requires new students to provide proof of immunization against measles, mumps, rubella, diphtheria, and tetanus. If you were born before 1957 you need only satisfy the diphtheria-tetanus requirement. This information must be submitted to our Office of Student Health Services before you register for classes. Student Health Services, (504) 280-6387, will contact you regarding this requirement once you are admitted.

### STUDENT HOUSING

- Several choices in on-campus housing are available, including an apartment-style complex, Privateer Place. Contact the Office of Student Housing at (504) 280-6585 for more details and an application for on-campus housing.

### DISABLED STUDENTS

- Federal law prohibits us from making pre-admission inquiry about learning or other disabilities. Any information received regarding learning or other disabilities will not adversely affect any admission decision. If you require special services because of your disability you should notify the Office of Disability Services at (504) 280-6222. This voluntary self-identification allows UNO to prepare appropriate support services to facilitate your learning. This information will be kept in strict confidence. This and all publications of the University of New Orleans are available in alternate media for persons with disabilities.

### NON-U.S. CITIZENS

- Please submit a photocopy of both sides of your Alien Registration Card (Form I-551) if you are a permanent resident alien.
- If you are already in the U.S. and you hold another type of visa, please submit a photocopy of your Arrival-Departure Record (Form I-94) and passport visa stamp.

### INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

- Academic records required are (1) official certified transcripts of each year of secondary school/college or university work; (2) certified English translation of each year of secondary school/college or university work. Each transcript should include the dates of attendance, titles of courses, credits earned, detailed marks, and an explanation of the marks or grading system used. These records must be authenticated as accurate by an appropriate school or government official. The records must be mailed directly to this office from the school. No photocopies will be accepted. TOEFL scores are required if you are from a non-English speaking country. Please contact the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NY 08540 for a TOEFL application form. The I-20 form is not issued until all financial documents have been received and you are admitted.





**FOR APPLICANTS APPLYING TO GRADUATE SCHOOL:**

28. Are you currently enrolled in a college/university?  Yes  No If yes, when will you complete this enrollment? \_\_\_\_\_

29. (a) Will you be pursuing a graduate degree at UNO?  Yes  No

(b) If yes, indicate your proposed program of study: **(NOTE: Failure to answer this question will delay the processing of your application.)**

Program \_\_\_\_\_ Specify Research Area \_\_\_\_\_ Degree \_\_\_\_\_  
(MA, MS, MBA, PhD, etc.)

(c) If no, state your intentions:  General Non-Degree  Initial Teacher Certification  Additional Certification  Guest Student

Pre-MBA  Pre-CPA  Pre-Med/Allied Health  Other \_\_\_\_\_

30. If you have taken, or plan to take, any of the following exams, please state the date and scores, if available:

Exam	Date (Month/Year)	Score
Graduate Record Exam (GRE)	_____	Verbal _____ / Quantitative _____ / Analytical or Writing _____
Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT)	_____	Verbal _____ / Quantitative _____ / Analytical or Writing _____
TOEFL (required for International Students)	_____	Section 1 _____ / Section 2 _____ / Section 3 _____ / Total Score _____

Please request that your scores be sent directly to our office. Failure to take the first available test may result in delay or denial of admission.

**RESIDENCY (Failure to answer these questions will result in a non-resident fee classification)**

31. Do you consider yourself a Louisiana resident?  Yes  No If no, skip to question 38.

32. When did you move to your present address? Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

33. If you have been living at your present address less than two years, list your home address for the past two years (attach addendum if necessary).

Number & Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Since: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Number & Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Since: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

34. Do your parents reside in Louisiana?  Yes  No If yes, indicate dates of residence: From: Month/Year \_\_\_\_\_ To: Month/Year \_\_\_\_\_

35. If you are, or have been, on active duty in the armed forces, indicate:  
Date Entered \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Date Released \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

36. Are you a dependent of a member of the armed forces on active duty stationed in Louisiana?  Yes  No

37. List all employment in Louisiana for the last five (5) years. (Attach addendum if needed.)

Name of Employer	City	Dates (Month and Year)
_____	_____	From _____ to _____
_____	_____	From _____ to _____
_____	_____	From _____ to _____

38. (a) I authorize Louisiana public post-secondary education to access my academic records.

(b) I certify that all information on this application is correct, and I realize that false or incomplete information will result in dismissal from the University.

(c) I also certify that, in accordance with the requirements of the Military Selective Service Act, and the requirements of State Law R.S. 17:3151:

(Check one)

I have registered or will register with the Selective Service. (Registration with Selective Service must be complete before University enrollment.)

I am not required to register with the Selective Service for the following reason:

I am female.  I am in the armed services on active duty.  I have not reached my 18th birthday.  I was born before 1960.

I am an international student and not required to register.

Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_

39. \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature) (Month) (Day) (Year)

Please make sure that you have answered all the questions and enclosed the appropriate application fee (\$40; \$70 if submitted after deadline). If you are paying the application fee in person, you must return the original application to the Office of Admissions after fee payment.

**NOTE:** It is the policy of UNO that admission to the University is open to all persons, regardless of race, creed, color, sex, age, disability, national origin, marital status, or veteran's status, who meet the admission requirements and qualifications of the University.

## Undergraduate Programs (Academic College) and Plans (Major)

You must choose a program (academic college) and plan (major field of study). Failure to indicate a plan will delay the processing of your application. Your choice of plan is not irreversible; you may change your plan later, if you wish. If you are undecided between two or more plans, please choose one for the time being.

### BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Accounting  
Economics (B.S. Degree)  
Finance  
Business Administration  
Business Administration—Computer Science Option  
Hotel, Restaurant & Tourism Administration

#### Specialty Areas:

Food and Beverage Operations Management  
Hotel and Lodging Operations Management  
Events and Convention Management  
Tourism

Management  
Marketing

### EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Early Childhood Education  
Elementary Education  
Secondary Education  
Biology  
Chemistry  
English  
Geology  
Mathematics  
Social Studies  
Elementary and Secondary Education  
Health and Physical Education  
Music (Instrumental or Vocal)  
Human Performance & Health Promotion  
Exercise Physiology  
Health Promotion  
Medical Coding Certificate Program  
Sport Management

### ENGINEERING

Civil & Environmental  
Electrical  
Electrical—Computer Engineering Concentration  
Mechanical  
Naval Architecture & Marine Engineering

### LIBERAL ARTS

Anthropology  
Drama & Communications  
Drama Options:  
Acting  
Directing  
Design  
Communications Options:  
Film  
Message Design  
Radio  
Television  
Economics (B.A. Degree)  
English  
Fine Arts—History  
Fine Arts—Studio  
Studio Options:  
Painting  
Sculpture  
Photography  
Printmaking  
Digital Media  
French  
Geography  
History  
International Studies

Music

#### Music Options:

Instrumental  
Jazz Studies  
Theory and Composition  
Vocal  
History

Philosophy  
Political Science  
Sociology  
Spanish  
Women's Studies

### SCIENCES

Biological Sciences  
Chemistry (B.A. or B.S. Degree)  
Computer Science  
Environmental Science & Policy  
Geology  
Geophysics  
Mathematics  
Physics  
Pre-Cardiopulmonary Science  
Pre-Dental Hygiene  
Pre-Dentistry  
Pre-Medical Technology  
Pre-Medicine: Biology Track  
Pre-Medicine: Chemistry Track  
Pre-Medicine: Psychology Track  
Pre-Nursing  
Pre-Occupational Therapy  
Pre-Ophthalmic Medical Technology  
Pre-Optometry  
Pre-Pharmacy  
Pre-Physical Therapy  
Pre-Physician Assistant  
Pre-Rehabilitation Counseling  
Pre-Veterinary Medicine  
Psychology

### URBAN AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Urban Studies

### GENERAL STUDIES

Bachelor of General Studies Degree Program

**Please return the completed application to the following address:**

**Office of Admissions  
University of New Orleans  
New Orleans, LA 70148**

If you are charging the application fee to a credit card, complete this section and return it with your application

Date \_\_\_\_\_  MasterCard  Visa

Payment Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. date \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of cardholder \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

# Graduate Academic Programs

Graduate programs and degrees offered in each college are listed below. Areas of concentration, specializations, or options are indicated for each program.

## BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

- Accounting .....M.S.  
Auditing, Systems
- Accounting – Taxation Option .....M.S.
- Business Administration .....M.B.A.  
Executive MBA; Finance; Health Care Management; Hotel, Restaurant & Tourism; Human Resource Management; International Business; Management Information Systems; Marketing; Technology Management
- Financial Economics .....Ph.D.  
Corporate Finance, International, Investments, Monetary Theory
- Health Care Management .....M.S.
- Hospitality and Tourism Management .....M.S.

## EDUCATION AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

- Education .....M.A.  
Curriculum and Instruction, Educational Administration, Special Education
- Curriculum & Instruction .....M.Ed., Ph.D.  
General Curriculum, Literacy Studies and Language Education, Teacher Development
- Counselor Education .....M.Ed., Ph.D.  
College Counseling, Community Counseling, School Counseling
- Educational Administration .....M.Ed., Ph.D.  
Higher Education Administration, K-12 Educational Administration
- Human Performance and Health Promotion .....M.A., M.Ed.  
Adapted Physical Education, Exercise Physiology, Gerontology, Health Promotion, Psychosocial Aspects of Sport and Exercise, Pedagogy and Coaching, Sport Management
- Special Education and Habilitative Services .....M.Ed., Ph.D.  
Educational Diagnostician; Deaf & Hearing Impaired; Blind & Visually Impaired; Gifted & Talented; Mild/Moderate Disabilities; Severe/Profound Disabilities; Early Intervention

## ENGINEERING

- Engineering .....M.S.  
Civil Engineering  
Environmental, Geotechnical, Structures, Water Resources
- Electrical Engineering  
Ellipsometry, Communications & Image Processing, Optics, Power Systems, Signal Processing, Solid State Devices, Systems and Control
- Mechanical Engineering  
Mechanics and Materials, Materials, Thermal and Fluid Sciences
- Naval Architecture & Marine Engineering  
Experimental and Numerical Hydrodynamics, Marine Structures, Hull Shape Analysis and Stability, Propulsion, Cavitation, Wave Action
- Engineering and Applied Science .....Ph.D.  
Civil and Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Engineering Management, Mechanical Engineering, Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, Computer Science, Geology and Geophysics, Mathematics, and Physics
- Engineering Management .....M.S.
- Environmental Engineering .....M.S.  
Water and Waste Treatment, Air Pollution, and Waste Management

## LIBERAL ARTS

- Arts Administration .....M.A.
- Communications .....M.A.
- Drama and Communications .....M.F.A.  
Acting, Directing, Design, Filmmaking; Playwriting, Screenwriting, Fiction, Poetry
- English .....M.A.  
American and British Literatures, Rhetoric and Composition, Linguistics
- English Teaching .....M.A.
- Fine Arts .....M.F.A.  
Painting, Sculpture, Graphics, Photography
- Geography .....M.A.  
Land Use Analysis; Environmental Analysis; Techniques in Land Use/Environmental Analysis; Cultural and Regional Analysis
- History .....M.A.
- History Teaching .....M.A.

- Music .....M.M.  
Conducting, Composition, Jazz Studies, Performance
- Political Science .....M.A., Ph.D.  
American Political Behavior, American Political Institutions, Comparative Politics, International Relations, Minority and Urban Politics, Public Policy, Public Law
- Romance Languages .....M.A.  
French, Spanish
- Sociology .....M.A.  
Environmental, Gender, Race, Class

## SCIENCES

- Biological Sciences .....M.S.  
Biochemistry, Cell and Molecular, Cell Structure, Conservation Biology, Physiology, Plant Biology, Marine Biology
- Conservation Biology .....Ph.D.
- Chemistry .....M.S., Ph.D.  
Analytical, Inorganic, Organic, Physical
- Computer Science .....M.S.  
Theoretical Computer Science and Programming Languages, Systems and Networks, Software Systems, Information Assurance, Database Systems and Distributed Applications, Computer Graphics and Visual Computing, Artificial Intelligence
- Engineering and Applied Science .....Ph.D.  
Civil and Environmental Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Engineering Management, Mechanical Engineering, Naval Architecture and Marine Engineering, Computer Science, Geology and Geophysics, Mathematics, and Physics
- Geology .....M.S.  
Coastal Studies, Tectonics and Structure, Geophysics, Geochemistry, Geoscience Education, Paleocyanography and Marine Sedimentology, Paleontology and Stratigraphy
- Mathematics .....M.S.  
Applied, Pure, Statistics
- Physics & Applied Physics .....M.S.  
Acoustics, Geophysics, Computational Physics, Physical Electronics, Optics
- Psychology .....M.S., Ph.D.  
Applied Biopsychology, Applied Developmental Psychology
- Science Teaching .....M.A.S.T.

## URBAN AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS

- Public Administration .....M.P.A.
- Urban and Regional Planning .....M.U.R.P.  
Housing and Community Development/Economic Development, Land Use/Environment, Historic Preservation
- Urban Studies .....M.S., Ph.D.  
Urban Anthropology, Environment and Land Use, Housing and Community Development, Neighborhood and Historic Preservation, Social and Cultural Change, Urban Design

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