

WELCOME!!

Tennessee Technological University



GRADUATE STUDIES EXCEPTIONAL PROGRAMS. OUTSTANDING OUTCOMES.

WE WANT YOU TO GET YOUR GRADUATE DEGREE FROM TTU!

Today's Agenda:

- Why Graduate School
- TTU's Graduate Program
- Scholarships
- Application Process
- Next Steps

WHY CONSIDER GRADUATE SCHOOL?



- Salary!
- Prestige
- Career Advancement and Opportunities
- Research Opportunities
- Personal Development

GRADUATE DEGREES

- M.S. = Master of Science
- M.A. = Master of Arts
- M.B.A. = Master of Business Administration
- M.S.N. = Master of Science Nursing
- M.P.S. = Master of Professional Studies
- P.S.M. = Professional Science Masters
- PhD = Doctor of Philosophy
- EdS = Educational Specialist

HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE?

• Master's Level: 2 years



• PhD Level: 4-6 years

- "Fast Track" Programs are available in Engineering and Business = 1 ½ years
- You can go straight into a PhD!



PROGRAM OVERVIEW



- Areas of Concentration: 62 Areas of Expertise and Growing
- Masters 18 Major Areas of Study
- Educational Specialist 3 Programs
- Certificate 3 Programs
- Doctorate 3 Programs



GRADUATE PROGRAMS - MASTERS

- **1.** MS Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics
- 2. MS Engineering: Chemical, Civil, Computer, Electrical, Mechanical; Computer Science
- 3. MBA Accounting, Finance, Management, HR Management, International Business, Management Information Systems
- **4.** MSN Nursing Advanced Practice, Administration, Education, Healthcare Informatics



MASTERS (CONTINUED)

5. MA English, Educational Psychology and Counselor Education, Curriculum and Instruction, Instructional Leadership, Exercise Science Physical Education and Wellness

6. **PSM** Environmental Informatics, Manufacturing Sustainability

7. MPS Professional Studies: HR Leadership, Strategic Leadership, Training and Development

8. MEd Advanced Studies in Teaching and Learning-Childhood Literacy Reading



CERTIFICATE – POST MASTERS

- Family Nurse Practitioner
- Nursing Administration
- Nursing Education





SPECIALIST IN EDUCATION

Ed.S. Educational Psychology and Counselor Education

Ed.S. Curriculum and Instruction

Ed.S. Instructional Leadership

DOCTORATE



PhD Exceptional Learning

PhD Environmental Science

PhD Engineering

SCHOLARSHIPS = GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

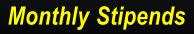
- Graduate Assistant
- Teaching Assistant
- Research Assistant



=Tuition+Fees+Living Expenses



ASSISTANCE FUNDING



Environmental Sciences	\$1,500
PhD Engineering	\$1,000-\$1,500
PhD Education	\$1,000
Biology & Chemistry	\$1,200
Eng M.S.	\$800-\$1,250
Admin	\$450-\$750
Education MA	\$500
MBA	\$550





COST OF TUITION FALL 2014



Credit Hours	Instate	Out -of-state/International	
1	\$ 500	\$ 775	
6	\$3,000	\$4,650	
10	\$5,000	\$7,750	
12	\$5,164	\$8,024	
RODP and Distance Programs have additional fees			
Master's Thesis (& MBA) (30 hrs)	\$15,000	\$23,250	
Master's NonThesis (33 hrs)	\$16,500	\$25,575	
ENG PHD (72 hrs)	\$36,000	\$55,800	
EDU PHD (78 hrs)	\$39,000	\$60,450	

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. GRE, GMAT or MAT score
 - Varies by department (GRE quant: 50% verbal 33%)
 - Students who graduate in engineering at TTU may not have to take the graduate school exam or the language exam
- 2. Undergraduate GPA
 - Varies by department (3.0-3.25)
- 3. Letters of Recommendation

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

- Programs may be thesis or non-thesis (varies by department)
- Thesis track includes comprehensive exam and defense
- Must complete program within six years for MS and eight years for PhD
- Must maintain a 3.0 GPA



WHEN STUDENTS SHOULD APPLY

1. The earlier the better – for GA awards (1-2 semesters)

- Spring: November 1
- Fall: July 1
- 2. International Students Six months prior to the anticipated date of enrollment





QUESTIONS?

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TUITION RATES – INTERNATIONAL

Program	Credit Hour Rate	Total Investment
Per Credit Hour	\$687	
Full-time/semester	\$687 x 9 hours	\$6,183
Full-time/semester	\$687 x 6 hours	\$4,122
MBA 30 hours	\$687 x 30 hours	\$20,610
Engineering MS	\$687 x 30 hours	\$20,610
Other MS or MA	\$687 x 30 hours	\$20,610
Engineering PhD	\$687 x 72 hours	\$49,464
Education PhD	\$687 x 78 hours	\$53,586

Note: This is for budgetary purposes and does not include housing, meals, books, or financial assistance.

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ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS - TESTING

College	TOEFL Paper Test	TOEFL Computer Test	TOEFL Internet Test	IELTS	FLS	PTE
Arts⪼	525	197	71	5.5	Level 8 or 9*	48
Education	525	197	71	5.5	Level 8 or 9*	48
Business	550	213	79	5.5	Level 8	53
Engineer	550	213	79	5.5	Level 8	53
Nursing	550	213	79	5.5	Level 8	52

UATESTUDIES

EXCEPTIONAL PROGRAMS, OUTSTANDING OUTCOMES

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We also accept SLEP and ELS.

*Check requirements for specific college or department to determine level needed for admissions.