



# Application Steps

- Go to [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org) or [www.tamtu.edu/gradschool](http://www.tamtu.edu/gradschool) and click "Apply Now."
- Create your account. Once you save your profile, you will be assigned a username.
- Go to "My Applications" tab.
- Select "Start New Application."
- Create a new graduate school admission application. Select TAMU
- Select semester of entry.
- Select your major(s).
- Click on "Continue to My Application."
- Complete all sections of the application.
- Continue to "Certification of Application."
- Certify application and proceed to submit.
- Check off the pay by check or money order request. Online payments can be made at [www.tamtu.edu/gradschool](http://www.tamtu.edu/gradschool)
- Submit Application Now

# Check List

## Domestic Students

- Texas Common Application
- Student Narrative/Essay
- Official GRE or GMAT scores  
(if applicable)
- Official College/University Transcripts
- Application fee of \$35

## International Students

- Texas Common Application
- Student Narrative/Essay
- Official GRE or GMAT scores  
(if applicable)
- Official TOEFL or IELTS Scores
- Official College/University Transcripts
- Official Certificate of Graduation
- Financial Statement Form
- Letter of Sponsorship
- Bank Statement
- Application fee of \$50

## Pay your application fee

- Log in to [www.tamtu.edu/gradschool](http://www.tamtu.edu/gradschool) or scan.
- Click on "Pay Online."
- Select "Student Type."
- Click "Add to Cart."



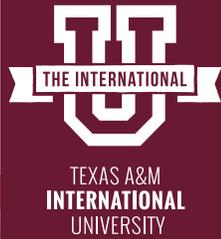
## Additional Information

If you would like to make changes to your application after it has been submitted, DO NOT SUBMIT another application. Contact the Office of Graduate Studies. Please allow 3-5 business days after submitting your application for processing.

The Office of Graduate Studies will contact you via email and send you a letter regarding any pending documentation.

Application changes may be made until the 4th class day of the Summer semesters and the 12th class day of the Fall and Spring semesters.

If student fails to make changes within specified time, the student will be responsible for repaying the application fee.



# College of Education

## Online Master of Science in Bilingual Education



### About Our Program

The mission of the Master of Science in Bilingual Education is to prepare graduates for leadership roles promoting bilingual education implementation impacting learners in globally diverse environments. Pursuing the MS in Bilingual Education offers educators the opportunity to explore one specialization deeply. Commitment to the field is evident as educators interact with others in the work world; thereby, networking opportunities surface.

### About Our Faculty

Our faculty remains committed to fostering 21st century, global education for all students. Small ratios and varied delivery platforms promote cohesive relationships between faculty and students. Over 40 years of public school experience ranging from classroom teacher, principal, support team specialist and Federal Compliance Officer, afford us the opportunity to model and cultivate leadership roles in the field.



### Why You Should Come Here

The Top Ten Reasons to Pursue the MS-BIL Include:

- Subject Specialization
- Professional Growth
- Like to Challenge Yourself
- Career Advancement
- Making Yourself Marketable
- Acquiring Experiences from Interactions with Teachers, Faculty and Colleagues
- Career Networking
- Sharpen/Develop New Skills
- Love Learning About Your Subject Area
- Become an Expert in the Field.



## Thesis Plan

### Major Curriculum - Bilingual Education

36 SCH

#### Required courses

24 SCH

- EDBE 5310 - History and Philosophy of Bilingual Education
- EDBE 5322 - Bilingual Oral Language Assessment and Development
- EDBE 5324 - Bilingual/Multicultural Teaching Strategies
- EDBE 5325 - Teaching English as a Second Language
- EDBE 5326 - Teaching Reading and Language Arts in Spanish
- EDBE 5390 - Special Issues in Bilingual Ed
- EDGR 5320 - Foundations of Educational Research
- EDGR 5330 - Thesis

#### SPECIALIZATION

12 SCH

Select from one of the following areas:

- Curriculum and Instruction
- Educational Administration
- Reading
- Special Education

## Non-Thesis Plan

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- Submit official transcript(s) from every college or university attended.
- Two 300-word narrative/essay (one English, one Spanish).
- Résumé
- Two Letters of Recommendation: 1 from a school administrator and 1 from a professional.
- International students must also submit:
  - Official Certificate of Graduation.
  - TOEFL or IELTS scores.
  - Financial Statement Form.
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  - Bank Statement.

*Fall and Summer application deadline is April 30 (domestic/international); Spring application deadline is Oct. 1 (international) and Nov. 30 (domestic.)*



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# College of Education

## Online Masters of Science in Curriculum and Instruction



### About Our Program

The Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction enables graduates to assume a curricular leadership role in research, implementation, and evaluation of effective models of teaching and learning to impact diverse learners. Improving student achievement is dependent upon many factors; research points to the teacher as having the greatest impact and influence.

### About Our Faculty

Our Curriculum and Instruction faculty come from diverse backgrounds and interests, ranging from bilingual education to science education. They are active in school settings, collaborating with classroom teachers to improve instruction. The faculty also conduct action research, identifying issues in our schools and offering recommendations for improvement. The Curriculum and Instruction faculty provides candidates with the guidance and support that they need to be successful.



### Why You Should Come Here

An advanced degree in Curriculum and Instruction (C&I) emphasizes the practical application of current theory, research, assessment, and coaching to improve P-12 learning. Candidates who complete the Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction may have opportunities in positions such as: Adult Education Program Designer, Curriculum Designer, Curriculum Specialist, Educational Consultant, Instructional Specialist, and Staff Development Specialist.



Texas A&M International University (TAMIU) has been ranked the 6th Most Affordable Online Masters in Curriculum and Instruction (C&I) degree program by Top Education Degrees.

# Thesis Plan

## Major Curriculum - MS-CI

**36 SCH**

**Required courses:**

**24 SCH**

EDCI 5305 - Advanced Curriculum Issues in Education

EDCI 5313 - Foundations of Curriculum

EDCI 5315 - Advanced Instructional Methods

EDCI 5317 - Evaluation of Curriculum and Instruction

EDCI 5319 - Advanced Theories for Learning

EDCI 5321 - Collegial Coaching and Mentoring

EDGR 5320 - Foundations of Educational Research

EDGR 5330 - Thesis

**Choose your own specialization from the following areas:**

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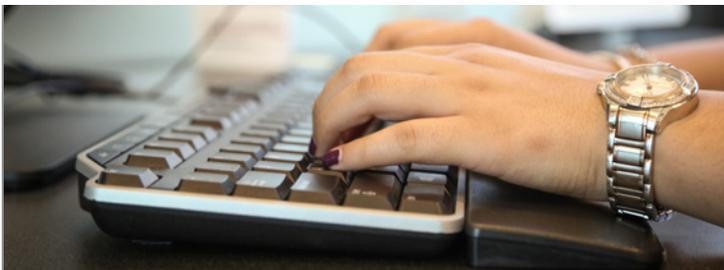
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## Graduate Financial Assistance Application

### ASSISTANTSHIP GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Must be a fully admitted graduate student who is working towards a master's or doctoral degree.
2. Must maintain a good academic standing with a minimum overall GPA of 3.250.
3. Assistantship recipients must be full-time students enrolled in 9 graduate hours each Fall and Spring semester, or 6 graduate hours for Summer, while receiving funding.

### FELLOWSHIP AND SCHOLARSHIP GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Must be a fully admitted graduate student who is working towards a master's or doctoral degree.
2. Must maintain a good academic standing with a minimum overall GPA of 3.500.
3. Scholarship and Fellowship recipients must enroll in 6 graduate hours each semester, including Summer, while receiving funding.

### INSTRUCTIONS

In order to receive full consideration for financial assistance, applicant must submit a complete application with all required attachments and/or documents (i.e., application, resume, essay, letters of recommendation, and copy of unofficial transcripts) and meet all eligibility requirements by April 1. The TAMIU Graduate Financial Assistance is not renewed automatically; students must apply every year. (On the top right hand corner of each document/page please include your name and ID number.)

### PERSONAL STATEMENT (ESSAY)

Please attach a typed (double-spaced) essay of approximately 300 words that briefly describes your career goals and aspirations.

### LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION

Please attach 2-3 letters of recommendation that address your past academic and/or professional accomplishments. These letters should also address your future academic goals.

### RÉSUMÉ

- Educational background.
- Work Experience - include employment responsibilities, number of hours per week and time of employment.
- Extracurricular activities - include organizations and officer positions held.
- Community / volunteer activities - Include years of participation and leadership positions held.
- Academic honors.

### GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

Awarded for a 9-month term (part-time work / 20 hours per week).

- Master's Level Graduate Assistantship up to \$15,000 for a 9-month term. (Summer subject to funding).
- Doctoral Level Graduate Assistantship up to \$18,000 for a 9-month term. (Summer subject to funding).

### GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS

Awarded up to \$6,000 per academic year for 10 hours of part time work per week. (\$2,000 each semester, including Summer).

### GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

Awarded up to \$3,000 per academic year (\$1,000 each semester, including Summer).

# Personal Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ TAMIU ID Number : \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  Female  Male

Citizen status (check one):  U.S. Citizen  Resident Alien  Non-Resident Alien

Are you a graduate of TAMIU?  Yes  No

Major field of study: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor field of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Requesting assistance for:  Fall  Spring 20\_\_\_\_

## AWARD TYPE PREFERENCE:

First Choice (Check one only):

Assistantship (20 hours/week)  Fellowship (10 hours/week)  Scholarship

Second Choice (Check one only):

Assistantship (20 hours/week)  Fellowship (10 hours/week)  Scholarship

## STUDENT CERTIFICATION

I certify that this information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. If my application is accepted, I agree to abide by the policies, rules and regulations of this award and Texas A&M International University. I also understand that the submission of false information is grounds for rejection of my application, withdrawal of an offer of acceptance, cancellation of enrollment and/or disciplinary action. I also authorize the Texas A&M International University Graduate School to release any information contained in this application to University departments as well as outside donors.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

(only complete applications will be considered for funding)

Texas A&M International University  
Graduate School

Senator Judith Zaffirini Student Success Center 206  
5201 University Boulevard, Laredo, TX 78041-1900  
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# Domestic Graduate Student Application Process

A person who has earned a baccalaureate degree and is earning university credit hours is considered a graduate student. To be admitted to the university as a Graduate or Post-Graduate Student, an applicant must submit the following information to the Office of Graduate Studies and Research. For additional requirements see graduate admission requirements for each college in the university catalog.

1. Application for Graduate Admission. [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org)
2. Graduate Application Fee of \$35.00; late fee, \$25.00.  
*(Refer to Application Deadlines section).*
3. Official college/university transcript(s) from institutions other than Texas A&M International University must be sent directly from each institution attended. Degree must be posted on transcript. The degree must be from a college or university of recognized standing with degrees from institutions outside the U.S. evaluated for equivalency to U.S. degrees.
4. Official Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT) scores are required ONLY if pursuing a Master's degree in Counseling Psychology or a Doctor of Philosophy in International Business Administration. GRE or GMAT is not required for Business Administration, Professional Accountancy, or Information Systems applicants whose undergraduate upper level GPA is a 3.0 or higher, or have earned an advanced U.S. degree. Official test scores must be sent directly from the Educational Testing Service (ETS) or the Graduate Management Admission Council (GMAC) and be dated within five years of enrollment.

## Provisional admission

May be granted to students who have not submitted all documents or test scores for admission. Students will be allowed to enroll for one semester (i.e., enroll in up to 6 graduate semester credit hours and earn a 3.0 or better grade point average).

## Preferred Application Deadlines

Fall Semester.....	June 30
Spring Semester.....	Nov. 30
Summer.....	April 30

*Individuals may submit an application after the above mentioned deadlines, but applying after these deadlines will result in a late fee.*

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Office of Graduate Studies & Research

## International Graduate Student Application Process

To be admitted to the university as a Graduate or Post-Graduate Student, an applicant must submit the following information to the Office of Graduate Studies and Research. For additional requirements see graduate admission requirements for each college in the university catalog.

1. Application for Graduate Admission. [www.applytexas.org](http://www.applytexas.org)
2. Graduate Application Fee of \$50.00; late fee, \$25.00. (Refer to Application Deadlines section.)
3. Official college/university transcript(s) from institutions other than Texas A&M International University must be sent directly from each institution attended. Degree must be posted on transcript. The degree must be from a college or university of recognized standing with degrees from institutions outside the U.S. evaluated for equivalency to U.S. degrees.
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5. The Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing System (IELTS) is required of all students having academic studies from a country where English is not the native language. A minimum TOEFL score of 79 (ibt TOEFL), 550 (Paper-based) or a 6.5 on the IELTS is required. (Refer to the INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSION section in the university catalog for TOEFL Exemptions).
6. An Official Certificate of Graduation, indicating the degree and date of completion, which must be translated to English and sent directly from the institution. Students who graduated from a Mexican institution must present an original Título to be photocopied. The *Carta de Pasante* will not be accepted.
7. A completed Financial Statement form. This form requires official certification of sources of funds from the student.
8. A Letter of Sponsorship is required from the party who will financially support the applicant during pursuit of degree.
9. A Bank Statement certifying the sponsor to have sufficient funds indicated on the Financial Statement Form and dated within six months of the first enrollment according to the dates listed below:  
**Fall Semester: Jan. 1 or later • Spring Semester: May 1 or later • Summer I: Oct. 1 or later • Summer II: Nov. 1 or later**

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# Earn your Degree online ..... with us

## Online Programs

- Master in Public Administration
- MS in Criminal Justice
- MS in Bilingual Education
- MS in Curriculum & Instruction
- MS in Educational Administration (Coming Soon)
- MSN in Nursing Administration
- MBA in International Business (English & Spanish)

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**[www.tamiau.edu/clery.pdf](http://www.tamiau.edu/clery.pdf)**

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# Graduate Programs

## • A.R. Sanchez, Jr. School of Business

- MBA in Business Administration  
(See concentration listings in the University catalog)
- Master of Professional Accountancy (MPAcc)
- Master of Science in Information Systems (MS-IS)
- Ph.D. in International Business Administration (Ph.D. – IB)

### Online Programs

- Master of Business Administration in International Business  
(See concentration listings in the University catalog)
- Master of Business Administration in Spanish

## • College of Arts & Sciences

- Master of Arts in Communication
- Master of Arts in Counseling Psychology (MACP)
- Master of Arts in English
- Master of Arts in History & Political Thought, History Concentration (MA)
- Master of Arts in History & Political Thought, Political Science Concentration (MA)
- Master of Arts in History & Political Thought, History & Political Science Concentration (MA)
- Master of Arts in Language, Literature, & Translation ( MA)
- Master of Arts in Sociology (MA)
- Master of Science in Biology (MS)
- Master of Science in Mathematics (MS)
- Master of Science in Psychology (MS)

### Online Programs

- Master of Public Administration (MPA)
- Master of Science in Criminal Justice (MS)

- Collaborative Ph.D. In Hispanic Studies  
(offered by Texas A&M University)
- Online Certificate Non-Profit Leadership and Management

## • College of Education

- Master of Arts in Teaching
- Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction specialization in Educational Administration (MS)
- Master of Science in Educational Administration (MS)
- Master of Science in School Counseling (MS)
- Master of Science in Special Education with a specialization in Bilingual Education (MS)
- Master of Science in Special Education  
(See concentration listings in the University catalog)

### Online Programs

- Master of Science in Bilingual Education (MS)
- Master of Science in Curriculum and Instruction (MS)

### Professional Certificates

- Educational Diagnostician
- Principal
- School Counselor

### Online Professional Certificates

- Reading Specialist
- Superintendent

### Certificate

- Master Reading Teacher Certificate

## • College of Nursing and Health Sciences Dr. F. M. Canseco School of Nursing

- Master of Science in Nursing – Family Nurse Practitioner

### Online Programs

- Master of Science in Nursing – Nursing Administration



## Need Help?

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## Important Links and Information

GRE Code: 6838  
TOEFL Code: 6838  
GMAT Code:6838  
FAFSA Code: 009651

Graduate Financial Assistance  
[www.tamui.edu/gradschool/fellowships.shtml](http://www.tamui.edu/gradschool/fellowships.shtml)

Grants  
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