Georgia Southwestern State University
School of Computing & Mathematics

Admissions Checklist for Master Degree

The School of Computer & Information Sciences at Georgia Southwestern State University uses a self-managed application for admission to its graduate programs. It is the applicant’s responsibility to prepare and collect all needed application materials in one packet (with the exception of test scores). The completed application packet should be returned to:

School of Computing & Mathematics
Graduate Admissions
Georgia Southwestern State University
800 GSW State University Drive
Americus, Georgia 31709

You will be notified in writing of the decision on your application. If accepted, this acceptance is not guaranteed for any term other than the term stated on the letter of acceptance. The following items should be included:

- **Application**
  - The application must be completed. Incomplete applications or applications that arrive without all required information will not be processed. Read each item carefully and mark correctly.

- **Application Fee**
  - A non-refundable application fee of $25.00 must accompany all applications (to be paid on-line via secure server upon submission of the on-line application). Application without the required fee cannot be submitted.

- **Lawful Presence Requirement**
  - Students who seek to be classified as in-state for tuition purposes must provide documentation to validate residency and lawful presence in Georgia and the United States. Please include one of the following forms of acceptable documentation in your packet: (1) Legible copy of current Georgia driver’s license issued after January 1, 2008; (2) Legible copy of current ID issued by State of Georgia after January 1, 2008; (3) current U.S. Passport; (4) Certified copy of U.S. birth certificate.

- **Transcripts**
  - One official transcript from all undergraduate and graduate institutions you have attended. The School of Computer & Information Sciences will obtain transcripts of work completed at GSW or official transcripts already on file.
  - Each transcript must be in a sealed envelope with the university registrar’s signature across the flap.
  - All transcripts must be received in order to process your application.

- **Recommendations**
  - Three letters of recommendation should be submitted
  - Recommendations should accompany your application in unopened, sealed envelopes with the recommender’s signature across the flap.

- **Test Scores**
  - Official test scores from the Graduate Record Exam (GRE) scores should be sent directly to Georgia Southwestern State University from the Educational Testing Service.
  - Scores should not be more than five years old at the time of application. More information concerning the GRE can be obtained from the Educational Testing Service, Graduate Record Examinations, Princeton, NJ, 08541 or access www.gre.org.
  - Student copies are not considered official and cannot be accepted in place of official scores.

- **Medical Form**
  - All students attending GSW must submit the Certification of Immunization.
  - **Certification of Immunization is required only for students who will be attending classes at the GSW campus.**

Additional Requirements for INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS