

**DEADLINE FOR ALL DOMESTIC APPLICATIONS:**

- January 15 for School Psychology.
- February 1 for: Applied Developmental, Biopsychology and Industrial/Organizational.
- March 15 for: Human Factors/Applied Cognition.
- *International applications are due one month prior to domestic applications*

Early submission is ***STRONGLY*** encouraged as the review of applications may commence before deadlines, especially for the Human Factors/Applied Cognition Program.

It is the applicant's responsibility to provide all information required prior to the stated deadline. Applications will not be acted upon until all materials have been received. *Late applications may not be processed.*

**Admissions Criteria:**

- 15 hours of course work in psychology (<http://www.gmu.edu/departments/psychology/>)
- GPA of 3.25 on 4.00 scale, in psychology coursework.
- GPA of 3.00 in all undergraduate coursework.
- Scores from the GRE taken within the last *five* years (except for Accelerated Masters)
- An interview may be requested, but may be conducted by phone if necessary.
- Work experience, publications, or special recommendations may compensate for relative weaknesses in other qualifications.

(Note: For the HFAC program ONLY, these criteria may be waived or modified, on a case-by-case basis, for engineers, computer scientists, or other non-traditional applicants.)

**Admission Documents:**

Each applicant must provide the Admissions Office with the following materials in order to be considered for admission. **It is the applicant's responsibility to be sure that all materials arrive before the deadline. Send all materials directly to:**

**George Mason University  
College of Humanities and Social Science  
Graduate Admissions MS 2D2  
Fairfax, VA 22030-4444.**

- A completed GMU Graduate School admission application, with fee.
- A completed M.A. Departmental Form.
- All undergraduate and graduate transcripts.
- *Three letters* of reference from professors or supervisors.
- Graduate Record Examination (GRE) taken within the past *five* years. Scores must be sent prior to the deadline directly from Educational Testing Service.
- *Optional writing sample.* Applicants may submit a writing sample from academic papers, publications, and professional reports.

Online versions of forms, course catalogues, and additional information about the MA program can be found at <http://www.gmu.edu>, <http://admissions.gmu.edu>, and <http://www.gmu.edu/departments/psychology>.

