



GERONTOLOGY ADMISSIONS APPLICATION

MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE

This application must be typed or printed legibly in black ink. If not legible, your application will be disqualified.

TODAY'S DATE (mm/dd/yyyy) _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL

STREET ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE

EMAIL ADDRESS DATE OF BIRTH (MM/DD/YYYY) PHONE NUMBER

EDUCATION

List the name and location of all schools attended subsequent to high school. List the most recently attended first.

NAME OF SCHOOL

STREET ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE

GRADUATED:

START DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) END DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) YES NO GPA (4.0 SCALE)

DEGREE EARNED MAJOR

NAME OF SCHOOL

STREET ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP CODE

GRADUATED:

START DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) END DATE (MM/DD/YYYY) YES NO GPA (4.0 SCALE)

DEGREE EARNED MAJOR

NAME OF SCHOOL

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

GRADUATED:

START DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

END DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

YES

NO

GPA (4.0 SCALE)

DEGREE EARNED

MAJOR

NAME OF SCHOOL

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

GRADUATED:

START DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

END DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

YES

NO

GPA (4.0 SCALE)

DEGREE EARNED

MAJOR

NAME OF SCHOOL

STREET ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

GRADUATED:

START DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

END DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)

YES

NO

GPA (4.0 SCALE)

DEGREE EARNED

MAJOR

Cumulative GPA: _____

GPA last 60 units: _____

GRE Score:
(OPTIONAL)

Verbal

Quantitative

Analytical Writing

Date of Test

If you have a Minor in Gerontology, please indicate the school in which you were awarded the degree, the date of completion, and your Minor GPA:

Name of School: _____

Date of Completion: _____ Minor GPA: _____

If you have Certificates in Gerontology, please indicate where you were certified, the title of your certificate, date of completion, total number of units, and your certification GPA:

Name of Institution: _____

Certificate Title: _____

Date Certified: _____ Number of Units: _____ Certificate GPA: _____

Please list and describe any other relevant educational coursework, certification or training:

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

If you are an international student, you must submit proof of English language proficiency. International students must submit official scores from either the TOEFL, IELTS, or PTE.

If you have not yet taken an English language proficiency exam, please complete the exam and send scores to University Admissions and Records before the application deadline.

For a comprehensive list of English language proficiency requirements, please visit: <http://international.fullerton.edu/admissions>

I am an International Student:

Yes No

Please select one of the following

I have completed an English proficiency exam and have received my scores

I have completed an exam but I have not yet received by scores

I have not completed an exam, but I am scheduled to take one

I am not yet scheduled to complete an exam

TOEFL Score: _____ Date Completed: _____

IELTS Score: _____ Date Completed: _____

PTE Score: _____ Date Completed: _____

EXPERIENCE

Briefly describe any paid or volunteer experience relevant to gerontology.

Position Title: _____

Supervisor/Mentor Contact Information (OPTIONAL):

Name of Organization:

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Description of Duties:

Position Title: _____

Supervisor/Mentor Contact Information (OPTIONAL):

Name of Organization:

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Description of Duties:

If you have additional paid or volunteer gerontology experiences, please describe them here:

CAREER GOALS

Please describe your future career goals:

Please discuss your strengths and weaknesses as they relate to your ability to be a successful graduate student and gerontological professional:

CRITICAL THINKING ASSESSMENT

Once you have submitted this application, you must contact the Gerontology Office at gerontology@fullerton.edu to complete the Critical Thinking Assessment.

You will be provided with a peer-reviewed journal article discussing current findings related to the aging field. After carefully reading the article, you will be asked to address the following:

- a. What is the take home message of the article? What evidence supports this?
- b. Imagine you are a director of a local senior center. How would you utilize the findings from this article to improve the well-being of your participants?

You will be able to submit your response by email to gerontology@fullerton.edu or by mail to the Gerontology Office (see the address on the following page).

INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP INTERVIEW

Once your application has been received and processed, you may be contacted by the Gerontology Department and asked to participate in an individual or group interview. This interview will allow our faculty the opportunity to meet with each of the applicants and answer additional questions about the program.

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Your application is not considered complete until all documents have been received. Below is a checklist of required materials that must be received before the application deadline.

Send the following to **University Admissions and Records** (see address below):

- University Application (Cal State Apply)
- One (1) copy of official transcripts from all universities and colleges attended
- (International Students) One (1) copy of official scores on either the TOEFL, IELTS, or PTE

Send the following to **Gerontology Academic Programs** (see address below):

- Gerontology Program Application
- Personal Statement
- Three (3) Letters of Recommendation
- Three (3) Letters of Recommendation Forms
- One (1) Copy of unofficial transcripts from all universities and colleges attended
- Critical Thinking Assessment (Please email agingstudies@fullerton.edu for instructions)

PLEASE SUBMIT "UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS AND RECORDS" MATERIALS TO:

California State University, Fullerton
Admissions and Records
P.O. Box 6900
Fullerton, CA 92834-6900
Fax#: (657) 278-7699
Email: admissions@fullerton.edu

PLEASE SUBMIT "AGING STUDIES ACADEMIC PROGRAMS" MATERIALS TO:

Coordinator, Aging Studies Academic Programs
Humanities Building, Suite 424
California State University, Fullerton
Fullerton, CA 92831
Phone: 657-278-7057
Email: agingstudies@fullerton.edu