SPECIAL EDUCATION (Z905)

Graduate Certificate Program
College: Education

Abstract
The Certificate of Advanced Study in Special Education is available to students who wish to take graduate courses beyond the master's degree. The minimum number of graduate hours is 60 (of which no more than 30 credits can be applied from another institution). The core of the program consists of special education courses in addition to other coursework within the university as approved by the student's adviser and the special education graduate faculty. The College of Education awards the certificate. [http://www.education.umd.edu/CHSE/academics/degree_programs/agsEDSP.html](http://www.education.umd.edu/CHSE/academics/degree_programs/agsEDSP.html)

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Courses: EDSP ([https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/courses/edsp/](https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/courses/edsp/))

Admissions
General Requirements
- Statement of Purpose
- Transcript(s)
- TOEFL/IELTS/PTE (international graduate students ([https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements/](https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements/)))

Program-Specific Requirements
- Letters of Recommendation (2)
- Graduate Record Examination (GRE)
- CV/Resume

Visa Eligibility: This program is not eligible for I-20 or DS-2019 issuance by the University of Maryland.

For more admissions information or to apply to the program, please visit our Graduate School website ([https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/application-process/step-step-guide-applying/](https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/application-process/step-step-guide-applying/)).

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