

APPLIED ENTOMOLOGY (MPAE)

Graduate Degree Program
College: Computer, Mathematical, and Natural Sciences

Abstract

The Master of Professional Studies in Applied Entomology, a 30-credit, 10-course graduate program. Offered through the convenience and flexibility of the online learning environment, students enroll in one (or sometimes two) 3-credit courses per 12-week term.

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Department Website: <https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/applied-entomology-mpae/#admissionstext>

Courses: ENTM (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/courses/entm/>)

Relationships: Beekeeping (Z088) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/beekeeping-z088/>), Integrated Pest Management (Z089) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/integrated-pest-management-z089/>), Organic and Sustainable Agriculture (Z090) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/organic-sustainable-agriculture-z090/>), Urban Agriculture (Z091) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/urban-agriculture-z091/>)

ADMISSIONS

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Statement of Purpose
- Transcript(s)
- TOEFL/IELTS/PTE (international graduate students (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/education/z069/>))

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

- Letters of Recommendation (2)
- Bachelor's degree in a biological field (exceptions can be made with work experience in a biological field and strong letters of recommendation)
- GPA of 3.0 or higher (exceptions can be made with work experience in a biological field and strong letters of recommendation)
- C/V or Resume
- Description of Research/Work Experience
- Writing Sample (optional)
- Supplementary Application (up to two optional, contact department)

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

For complete Admission Information, please visit: <https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/applied-entomology-mpae/#admissionstext>

UMD cannot issue the immigration documents necessary for international students to study (F1 or J1 student visas) in this program. International students who currently reside in the U.S. on existing visas may apply. Eligible international students have additional requirements per the Office of International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS). Additional requirements can be found here: <https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/applied-entomology-mpae/#admissionstext>

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Type of Applicant	Fall Deadline	Spring Deadline	Summer Deadline
Domestic Applicants			
US Citizens and Permanent Residents	Contact dept. for details	Contact dept. for details	Contact dept. for details
International Applicants			
F (student) or J (exchange visitor) visas; A,E,G,H,I and L visas and immigrants	Contact dept. for details	Contact dept. for details	Contact dept. for details

RESOURCES AND LINKS:

Program Website: <https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/applied-entomology-mpae/#admissionstext>

Application Process: gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/application-process/step-step-guide-applying (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/application-process/step-step-guide-applying/>)

REQUIREMENTS

- Applied Entomology, Master of Professional Studies (M.P.S.) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/applied-entomology-mpae/applied-entomology-mps/>)