

CULTURAL AND HERITAGE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT (ONLINE) (MPCH)

Graduate Degree Program
College: Behavioral and Social Sciences

abstract

The online Master of Professional Studies in Cultural and Heritage Resource Management provides advanced training for those interested in working in the applied specialization of cultural resource management and heritage resource management. The coursework and training bridge the knowledge and experience gap between what is offered in a traditional academic course of study and the knowledge and skills required in cultural and heritage resource management. The program is built on a broad foundation including research methods, ethics, communication, management, technical writing, and critical thinking skills.

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ADMISSIONS

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- Statement of Purpose
- Transcript(s)
- TOEFL/IELTS/PTE (international graduate students (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements/>))

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

- Letters of Recommendation (2)
- Graduate Record Examination (GRE) (optional)

- Writing Sample
- CV/Resume

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

Type of Applicant	Fall Deadline	Spring Deadline	Summer Deadline
Domestic Applicants			
US Citizens and Permanent Residents	July 24, 2026	January 16, 2026	N/A
International Applicants			
F (student) or J (exchange visitor) visas; A,E,G,H,I and L visas and immigrants	July 24, 2026	January 16, 2026	N/A

RESOURCES AND LINKS:

Program Website: <https://exst.umd.edu/>

Application Process: <https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions> (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/>)

REQUIREMENTS

- Cultural and Heritage Resource Management, Master of Professional Studies (M.P.S.) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/cultural-heritage-resource-management-mpch/cultural-heritage-resource-management-mps/>)