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# Certificate of Undergraduate Study

# Certificate of Graduate Study

Advanced Counseling C.G.S.

Admission Requirements

1. A completed application form accompanied by a $50 nonrefundable application fee.

2. Completion of all Feinstein School of Education and Human Development admission requirements (standardized test scores are not required).

3. A master’s degree in counseling.

4. A Performance-Based Evaluation of professional work or volunteer experience.

5. A current résumé.

Retention Requirement

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale. Grades below a B are not considered of graduate quality and are of limited application to degree work.

2. A minimum grade of B in CEP 610, CEP 611, CEP 683, and CEP 684. Students who receive a grade below a B in any of these courses must meet with the program director. If it is recommended that the student continue, the student must retake the course.

3. Failure to meet any one of the above requirements is sufficient cause for dismissal from the program.

4. A satisfactory rating on the assessment portfolio.

Course Requirements

Courses

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| CEP 610 | Advanced Clinical Internship I | 3 | F |
| CEP 611 | Advanced Clinical Internship II | 3 | Sp |
| CEP 683 | Practicum III: Advanced Counseling Skills | 3 | F |
| CEP 684 | Practicum IV: Advanced Clinical Interventions | 3 | Sp |
| ELECTIVE | Electives (approved by advisor or chair) | 3-15 |  |

Total Credit Hours: 15-27

Advanced Study of Creative Writing C.G.S.

Admission Requirements

1. A completed application form accompanied by a $50 nonrefundable application fee.

2. Official transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate records.

3. A bachelor’s degree in any field.

4. A 1-2 page Statement of Intent, outlining your area of interest, background, writing history and influences.

5. A writing sample in your primary genre: 10-15 pages of poetry, or 15-20 pages of prose (literary fiction or literary nonfiction).

Course Requirements

Courses

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| ENGL 525 | Topics in Genre | 3 | As needed |
|  | -Or- |  |  |
| ENGL 591 | Directed Reading | 3 | As needed |
|  |  |  |  |
| ENGL 581 | Workshop in Creative Writing | 12 |  |

ENGL 581: This course is taken for four semesters, at least one of which is to be in a different genre

Total Credit Hours: 15

Advanced Study of Literature C.G.S.

Admission Requirements

1. A completed application form accompanied by a $50 nonrefundable application fee.

2. Official transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate records.

3. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale in 24 credit hours of upper-level courses in English language and literature.

4. Three letters of recommendation, with at least two from English professors.

Retention Requirement

A minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale in all C.G.S. course work.

Course Requirements

Courses

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| ENGL 501 | Literary and Cultural Theory | 3 | F |

TWELVE ADDITIONAL CREDIT HOURS from:

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| ENGL 521 | Topics in Cultural Studies | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 523 | Topics in Ethnic American and/or African American Literatures | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 524 | Topics in Postcolonial Literatures | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 525 | Topics in Genre | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 530 | Topics in British Literature before 1660 | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 531 | Topics in British Literature from 1660 to 1900 | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 532 | Topics in British Literature since 1900 | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 540 | Topics in American Literature before 1900 | 3 | As needed |
| ENGL 541 | Topics in American Literature since 1900 | 3 | As needed |

Total Credit Hours: 15

Autism Education C.G.S.

Admission Requirements

1. A completed application form accompanied by a $50 nonrefundable application fee. Graduate applications are available online at www.ric.edu/feinsteinSchoolEducationHumanDevelopment/Pages/FSEHD-Graduate-Programs-Admission.aspx.

2. Completion of all Feinstein School of Education and Human Development graduate admission requirements.

3. A Rhode Island professional license in teaching or related service, such as occupational therapy, speech therapy, physical therapy, or school psychology.

4. Three letters of recommendation (one from the district administrator) that evaluate candidate’s education and experience in special education or a related field.

5. An interview may be required.

Retention Requirement

Students must maintain a grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale in all C.G.S. course work.

Course Requirements

Courses

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| SPED 561 | Understanding Autism Spectrum Disorders | 3 | F (as needed) |
| SPED 562 | Practicum I in Autism | 1 | Su (as needed) |
| SPED 563 | Curriculum and Methodology: Students with Autism | 3 | Sp (as needed) |
| SPED 564 | Building Social and Communication Skills | 3 | Sp (as needed) |
| SPED 565 | Practicum II in Autism | 1 | Su (as needed) |
| SPED 566 | Autism and Positive Behavior Supports | 3 | F (as needed) |

Total Credit Hours: 14

Child and Adolescent Trauma C.G.S.

Admission Requirements

1. A completed application form accompanied by a $50 nonrefundable application fee.

2. Second-year enrollment in good standing in the M.S.W. program or a Master’s in Social Work or Counseling degree. Awarding of the certificate for current students is to be accompanied by graduation from the M.S.W. program or M.S. Counseling program.

3. A current résumé.

4. Two references.

Retention Requirements

1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale.

Course Requirements

Course Requirements

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| SWRK 600 | Field Education and Seminar III | 4 | F |
| SWRK 601 | Field Education and Seminar IV | 4 | Sp |
| SWRK 637 | Core Concepts in Child and Adolescent Trauma | 3 | Su or F |
| SWRK 638 | Evidence-based Treatment for Child/Adolescent Trauma | 3 | F or Sp |
| SWRK 644 | Clinical Evaluation and Case Consultation I | 1.5 | F |
| SWRK 646 | Clinical Evaluation and Case Consultation II | 1.5 | Sp |
| SWRK 690 | Independent Study in Social Work | 3 | As needed |

Total Credit Hours: 18

CO-OCCURRING MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS

**Admission requirements for CGS:**

1. **Application accompanied by $50 non-refundable fee**
2. **A current resume**
3. **One letter of reference**
4. **Advanced year enrollment and in good standing in the MSW program.**
5. **Awarding of the certificate for current students is to be accompanied by graduation from the MSW program**

**Retention Requirements**

**1. A minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale**

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

**SWRK 655: Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder (3)**

**SWRK 600: Field Seminar III (4)**

**SWRK 601: Field Seminar IV (4)**

**SWRK 644: Clinical evaluation & case consultation I (1.5)**

**SWRK 646: Clinical evaluation & case consultation II (1.5)**

**SWRK 690: Independent study: Telebehavioral Health (1)**

Total Credit Hours: 15Elementary or Secondary Mild/Moderate Disabilities

This program offers an accelerated path to special education certification in mild/moderate disabilities at the elementary or secondary levels.

Admission Requirements

1. Completed application form accompanied by a fifty-dollar nonrefundable fee.

2. Copies of all official graduate and undergraduate transcripts.

3. Professional license (elementary or secondary general education certificate).

4. Bachelor’s degree with a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in professional coursework.

5. Three candidate reference forms accompanied by letters of recommendation related to education and experience in special education or related field.

6. A performance-based evaluation that documents the candidate’s education and experience with individuals with exceptionalities if possible.

7. Professional goals essay that describes candidate’s commitment to the field of Elementary or Secondary Special Education, cultural awareness, collaboration, and life-long learning.

8. An interview may be required.

Retention Requirements

Grade of B or better in all courses.

Course Requirements

Core Courses

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| SPED 458 | STEM for Diverse Learners: Intensive Intervention | 4 | F, Sp |
| SPED 501 | Assessment of Students with Mild/Moderate Disabilities | 3 | F (as needed) |
| SPED 503 | Positive Behavior Interventions: Students with Disabilities | 3 | F (as needed) |

Choose A or B below:

A. Elementary Courses

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| SPED 518 | Literacy Instruction: Students with Mild/Moderate Disabilities | 4 | Sp |
| SPED 662 | Internship in the Elementary School | 6 | F, Sp |

Subtotal: 20

B. Secondary Courses

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| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| SPED 427 | Career/Transition Planning: Adolescents with Mild/Moderate Disabilities | 3 | Sp |
| SPED 524 | Literacy Instruction: Adolescents with Mild/Moderate Disabilities | 4 | Sp |
| SPED 664 | Internship at the Middle Grades or Secondary Level | 6 | F, Sp |

Subtotal: 23

Financial Planning C.G.S.

Admission Requirements

1. A completed application form accompanied by a $50 nonrefundable application fee.

2. A bachelor’s degree from an accredited college or university, with a minimum grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale.

3. Official transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate records.

4. Two courses in financial accounting, macroeconomics, and statistics/quantitative methods.

5. Completion of the Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT), with a minimum score of 450.

Retention Requirements

A minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00 on a 4.00 scale in all C.G.S. course work.

Course Requirements

Courses

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| ACCT 533 | Fundamentals of Financial Planning | 3 | F |
| ACCT 543 | Personal Income Tax Planning | 3 | Sp |
| ACCT 554 | Estate Planning | 3 | Alternate years |
| ACCT 555 | Retirement Planning and Employee Benefits | 3 | As needed |
| ACCT 661 | Financial Planning Capstone Course | 3 | Sp |
| FIN 432 | Investments | 4 | F, Sp |

Total Credit Hours: 19