Graduate Programs

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Master's Programs

Master of Accountancy
  • Master of Accountancy (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-business-administration/accounting/master-of-accountancy/)

Master of Arts
  • M.A. in Clinical Psychology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/psychology/clinical-psychology-ma/)
  • M.A. in Communication (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/communication/communication-ma/)
  • M.A. in Education (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/education-deans-office/education-ma/)
  • M.A. in English and American Literature (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/english/english-american-literature-ma/)
  • M.A. in English-Rhetoric and Writing Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/english/english-rhetoric-writing-studies-ma/)
  • M.A. in Experimental Psychology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/psychology/experimental-psychology-ma/)
  • M.A. in History (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/history/history-ma/)
  • M.A. in Latin American and Border Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/interdisciplinary-programs/latin-american-border-studies-ma/)
  • M.A. in Leadership Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/leadership-studies-ma/)
  • M.A. in Linguistics (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/linguistics-ma/)
  • M.A. in Philosophy (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/philosophy/philosophy-ma/)
  • M.A. in Political Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/political-science/political-science-ma/)
  • M.A. in Sociology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/sociology-anthropology/sociology-ma/)
  • M.A. in Spanish (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/spanish-ma/)

Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies
  • Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/interdisciplinary-studies-ma/)

Master of Arts in Teaching
  • Master of Arts in Teaching English (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/education-teaching-english-master-of-arts/)
  • Master of Arts in Teaching Mathematics (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/mathematical-sciences/teaching-mathematics-master-of-arts/)
  • Master of Arts in Teaching Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/college-science-deans-office/teaching-science-master-of-arts/)

Master of Business Administration
  • Master of Business Administration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-business-administration/business-administration-deans-office/master-business-administration/)

Master of Business Administration/Master of Public Administration
  • Combined M.B.A.-MPA (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/interdisciplinary-programs/combined-mba-mpa/)

Master of Defense and Strategic Studies
  • Master of Defense and Strategic Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/master-of-defense-strategic-studies/)

Master of Education
  • M.Ed. - Educational Administration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/educational-leadership-foundations/med-educational-administration/)
  • M.Ed. - Educational Diagnostican (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/educational-psychology-special-services/med-educational-diagnostican/)
  • M.Ed. - School Counseling (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/educational-psychology-special-services/med-guidance-counseling/)
  • M.Ed. - Curriculum and Instruction (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/med-instructional-specialist/)
  • M.Ed. - Literacy Education (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/med-reading-education/)
  • M.Ed. - Special Education (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/educational-psychology-special-services/med-special-education/)
Master of Engineering in Civil and Environmental Engineering
- Master of Engineering in Civil and Environmental Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/civil-engineering/environmental-engineering-master-of-engineering/)

Master of Fine Arts
- M.F.A. in Creative Writing (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/creative-writing/creative-writing-mfa/)

Master of Music
- M.M. in Music Education (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/music/music-education-mm/)
- M.M. in Music Performance (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/music/music-performance-mm/)

Master of Occupational Therapy
- Master of Occupational Therapy (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/rehabilitation-sciences/master-of-occupational-therapy/)

Master of Public Administration
- Master of Public Administration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/master-of-public-administration/)

Master of Public Health

Master of Rehabilitation Counseling
- Master of Rehabilitation Counseling (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/rehabilitation-sciences/master-of-rehabilitation-counseling/)

Master of Science
- M.S. in Bioinformatics (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/college-science-deans-office/bioinformatics-ms/)
- M.S. in Biological Sciences (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/biological-sciences/biological-sciences-ms/)
- M.S. in Chemistry (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/chemistry/chemistry-ms/)
- M.S. in Civil Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/civil-engineering/civil-engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Computational Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/college-science-deans-office/computational-science-ms/)
- M.S. in Computer Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/computer-science/computer-engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Computer Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/computer-science/computer-science-ms/)
- M.S. in Construction Management (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/civil-engineering/construction-management-ms/)
- M.S. in Economics (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-business-administration/economics-finance/economics-ms/)
- M.S. in Electrical Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/electrical-engineering/electrical-engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/engineering-deans-office/engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Environmental Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/geological-sciences/environmental-science-ms/)
- M.S. in Geological Sciences (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/geological-sciences/geological-sciences-ms/)
- M.S. in Geophysics (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/geological-sciences/geophysics-ms/)
- M.S. in Industrial Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/industrial-manufacturing-systems-engineering/industrial-engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Intelligence and National Security Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/intelligence-national-security-studies-master-of-science/)
- M.S. in Kinesiology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/kinesiology/kinesiology-ms/)
- M.S. in Manufacturing Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/industrial-manufacturing-systems-engineering/manufacturing-engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Mathematical Sciences (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/mathematical-sciences/mathematical-sciences-ms/)
- M.S. in Mechanical Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/mechanical-engineering/mechanical-engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Metallurgical and Materials Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/metallurgical-materials-engineering/metallurgical-materials-engineering-ms/)
- M.S. in Physics (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/physics/physics-ms/)
- M.S. in Professional Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/college-science-deans-office/professional-ms/)
- M.S. in Software Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/computer-science/software-engineering/)
- M.S. in Speech Language Pathology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/rehabilitation-sciences/speech-language-pathology-ms/)
• M.S. in Statistics (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/mathematical-sciences/statistics-ms/)
• M.S. in Systems Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/industrial-manufacturing-systems-engineering/systems-engineering-ms/)

Master of Science in Environmental Engineering
• Master of Science in Environmental Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/civil-engineering/environmental-engineering-ms/)

Master of Science in Information Technology
• Master of Science in Information Technology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/computer-science/information-technology-ms/)

Master of Science in Nursing
• M.S.N. Nursing Education (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/msn-nursing-education/)
• M.S.N.-Nurse Practitioner (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/msn-nurse-practitioner/)
• M.S.N.-Nursing Administration and Management (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/msn-nursing-systems-management/)

Master of Social Work
• Master of Social Work (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/social-work/master-of-social-work/)

Doctoral Programs

Doctor of Education
• Ed.D. in Educational Leadership and Administration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/educational-leadership-foundations/educational-leadership-administration-edd/)

Doctor of Nursing Practice
• Doctor of Nursing Practice (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/doctor-of-nursing-practice/)

Doctor of Pharmacy
• UTEP-UT Austin Cooperative Pharmacy Program (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-pharmacy/degreeplan/)

Doctor of Philosophy
• Ph.D. in Borderlands History (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/history/history-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Biological Sciences-Pathobiology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/biological-sciences/biological-sciences-pathobiology-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Biomedical Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/metallurgical-materials-engineering/20biomedical-engineering-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Business Administration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-business-administration/business-administration-deans-office/international-business-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Chemistry (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/chemistry/chemistry-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Civil Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/civil-engineering/civil-engineering-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Computational Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/college-science-deans-office/computational-science-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Computer Science (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/computer-science/computer-science-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/biological-sciences/education-evolutionary-biology-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Electrical and Computer Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/electrical-computer-engineering/electrical-computer-engineering-phd/)
• Ph.D. in English Rhetoric and Composition (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/english/english-rhetoric-composition-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Environmental Science and Engineering (Interdisciplinary) (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/interdisciplinary-programs/environmental-science-engineering-interdisciplinary/phd/)
• Ph.D. in Geological Sciences (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-science/geological-sciences/geological-sciences-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Interdisciplinary Health Sciences (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/health-sciences-deans-office/interdisciplinary-health-sciences-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Materials Science and Engineering (Interdisciplinary) (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/interdisciplinary-programs/materials-science-engineering-interdisciplinary/phd/)
• Ph.D. in Psychology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/psychology/psychology-phd/)
• Ph.D. in Teaching, Learning, and Culture (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/teaching-learning-culture-phd/)
Doctor of Physical Therapy

• Doctor of Physical Therapy (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/rehabilitation-sciences/doctor-of-physical-therapy/)

Certificate

• Graduate Certificate in Accountancy (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-business-administration/accounting/accountancy-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Bilingual Professional Writing (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/english/bilingual-professional-writing-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Bilingual Speech Language Pathology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/rehabilitation-sciences/bilingual-speech-language-pathology-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Concussion Management: Speech Language Pathology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/rehabilitation-sciences/concussion-management-speech-language-pathology-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Construction Management (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/civil-engineering/construction-management-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Cyber Security (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/computer-science/cyber-security-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Nursing Systems Management (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/healthcare-leadership-management-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Homeland Security (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/homeland-security-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Intelligence and National Security Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/intelligence-national-security-studies-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in International Manufacturing Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/industrial-manufacturing-systems-engineering/international-manufacturing-engineering-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Nursing Education (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/nursing-education-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Public Health (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-health-sciences/public-health-sciences/public-health-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Quantitative Methods in Psychology (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/psychology/quantitative-methods-psychology-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Systems Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/industrial-manufacturing-systems-engineering/systems-engineering-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Teaching ESOL (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/languages-linguistics/teaching-esol-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Teaching History (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/history/teaching-history-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Technical and Professional Writing (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/english/technical-professional-writing-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Urban and Regional Planning (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/urban-regional-planning-graduate-certificate/)
• Graduate Certificate in Women's Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/womens-studies-graduate-certificate/)
• Post Master's Nursing Certificate (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/post-masters-nursing-certificate/)

Certification

• ESL Endorsement (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/esl-endorsement/)
• Master Mathematics Teacher (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/master-mathematics-teacher/)
• Master Reading Teacher (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/master-reading-teacher/)
• Master Science Teacher (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/master-science-teacher/)
• Master Technology Teacher (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/master-technology-teacher/)
• Principal Certification (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/educational-leadership-foundations/principal-certification/)
• Superintendent Certification (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/educational-leadership-foundations/superintendent-certification/)

Combined Programs

• MBA/MPA Master of Business Administration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/interdisciplinary-programs/combined-mba-mpa/) / Master of Public Administration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/master-of-public-administration/)

Online Programs

College of Education

• Online M. Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction with a Concentration (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-education/teacher-education/med-instructional-specialist-online/)

College of Engineering

• Online Master of Science in Construction Management (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/civil-engineering/construction-management-ms-online/)
• Online Master of Science in Systems Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/industrial-manufacturing-systems-engineering/systems-engineering-ms-online/)
• Online Graduate Certificate in Systems Engineering (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-engineering/industrial-manufacturing-systems-engineering/systems-engineering-graduate-certificate/)

College of Liberal Arts

• Online Master of Defense and Strategic Studies (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/college-liberal-arts-deans-office/master-of-defense-strategic-studies/)
• Online Graduate Certificate in Technical and Professional Writing (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/college-of-liberal-arts/english/technical-professional-writing-graduate-certificate/)

School of Nursing

• Online Master of Science in Nursing - Nursing Education (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/msn-nursing-education/)
• Online Master of Science in Nursing - Nurse Practitioner (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/msn-nurse-practitioner/)
• Online Master of Science in Nursing - Nursing Systems Management (http://catalog.utep.edu/grad/school-of-nursing/msn-nursing-systems-management/)

Post-Baccalaureate Non-Degree Option

Students selecting the post-baccalaureate non-degree option are placed in an unclassified status, indicating that no particular major or program of study has been selected. Students often select the post-baccalaureate non-degree option to complete prerequisite work or to demonstrate their ability to do graduate-level coursework. Post-baccalaureate non-degree students must obtain departmental permission to enroll in graduate-level courses. If a post-baccalaureate non-degree student is subsequently admitted into a degree program, the departmental graduate advisor may recommend that up to nine (9) hours of graduate level coursework or undergraduate courses approved for graduate credit completed prior to formal admission to the program be used toward graduate degree requirements.

Admission as a post-baccalaureate non-degree student does not constitute admission into a graduate degree program of the Graduate School. Post-baccalaureate non-degree admission is not available to international students who need a visa (I-20) to attend school in the United States, unless approved by the Graduate School. Post-baccalaureate non-degree students are ineligible to receive any type of federal or institutional financial aid, including VA benefits, and cannot be appointed in any capacity such as Teaching Assistants, Research Assistants, or Assistant Instructors. Further, they are ineligible to participate in the Career and Professional Development Services Cooperative Education Program.

Post-baccalaureate non-degree students are required to maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average (CGPA) of 2.5. If the cumulative GPA drops below 2.5, the non-degree student will be placed on academic probation and must elevate the CGPA to 2.5 within one semester. Failure to do so will result in dismissal from the Graduate School. Post-baccalaureate non-degree students must declare a major and pursue admission to a graduate program after the completion of nine (9) semester hours.

Cooperative Programs

UTEP enthusiastically participates in cooperative degree programs with The University of Texas at Austin and the UT Health Science Center in Houston. Applicants to such programs are required to submit separate applications to the degree-granting institution and are classified as non-degree students.
for any UTEP enrollment. Students are asked to be aware that admission to UTEP as a non-degree student neither offers nor implies admission to the degree-granting institution.

**PhD in Nursing (formerly Doctor of Science in Nursing) / UT Health Science Center, Houston**

Students should contact the School of Nursing for information about this cooperative program.

**Master of Public Health / UT Health Science Center, Houston**

The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston offers the Master of Public Health degree (MPH) at UTEP. This program was developed to provide students with a basic foundation in public health and an understanding of the unique health problems of the U.S.-Mexico border through coursework and applied research. Courses are provided by the University of Texas at Houston School of Public Health faculty-in-residence at the El Paso campus, as well as through interactive television courses taught by faculty at both the UT Houston and UT San Antonio campuses. In addition, some upper-division and graduate courses offered by UTEP academic departments can be taken concurrently and be considered in fulfillment of degree requirements. The program is fully accredited by the Council on Education for Public Health.

This El Paso satellite program provides students the opportunity to study and conduct research in a binational and multicultural region. Students are expected to gain a competency in the five basic disciplines of public health—administration, behavioral sciences, biometry, environmental health, and epidemiology—with a focus on border health. Degree requirements include the completion of a minimum of 36 credit hours, including a master’s thesis in which students examine a specific health issue in depth. The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston School of Public Health is the degree-granting institution. For additional information, students can call 915.747.8500.