What sources prompted you to apply to graduate study at Minnesota State University, Mankato? Please indicate all that apply.

[ ] Program information received from Minnesota State University, Mankato
[ ] Faculty member at your university or college
[ ] Alumni contact
[ ] Campus visit
[ ] Broadcast media (please specify)
[ ] Internet (please specify)
[ ] Print media (please specify)
[ ] Geographic location
[ ] A poster advertising an academic program
[ ] Acquaintance enrolled in a program at MSU
[ ] Academic reputation of the graduate program
[ ] Listing in a college guide (please specify)
[ ] Attendance at a specialized admission forum in
[ ] Other (please specify)

Desired Academic Program

Request for confidential information

The following information will help Minnesota State Colleges and Universities evaluate student recruitment and retention policies; it will not be used as a basis for admission. Providing this information is voluntary.

Gender: [ ] Male  [ ] Female

Are you Hispanic or Latino - (A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or Spanish culture, regardless of race)?

[ ] Yes  [ ] No

Race and ethnic background (select any that apply)

- American Indian or Alaska Native - (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of North, Central or South American and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment.)
- Asian - (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia or the Indian subcontinent.)
- Black or African American - (A person having origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.)
- Native Hawaiian of Other Pacific Islander - (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Hawaii, Guam, Samoa, or other Pacific Islands.)
- White - (A person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East or North Africa.)
- Male
- Female
- Hispanic or Latino

What is the highest level of education for your parent(s)/guardian(s)? (Please respond for the parent(1), step-parent(1), adoptive parent(1), or guardian(s) who raised you. Check only one box for each parent/guardian.)

Parent/Guardian #1:

[ ] No high school diploma
[ ] High school diploma
[ ] Some College
[ ] Two-year college degree/diploma
[ ] Bachelor’s degree or higher
[ ] Not sure

Parent/Guardian #2:

[ ] No high school diploma
[ ] High school diploma
[ ] Some College
[ ] Two-year college degree/diploma
[ ] Bachelor’s degree or higher
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APPLICATION CHECKLIST

[ ] Graduate Studies application form
[ ] Original transcripts (see instructions)
[ ] $40 application fee
[ ] Immunization form
[ ] Additional credentials required by the program
[ ] Standardized test scores if required

In addition, international applicants must provide the following:

[ ] Financial affidavit
[ ] Transfer Advisor Form [only if currently attending an institution in the US]
[ ] Official TOEFL results (see requirements above)
[ ] Other standardized test scores if required
[ ] A transcript evaluation by a professional credential evaluation service listed at www.naces.org
[ ] Two official transcripts or mark sheets of all undergraduate coursework (One additional set of documents will be required by the credential evaluation agency.)

NOTE: The University is asking you to provide information which includes private and/or confidential information under state and federal law. The University is asking for this information in order to process your application. You are not legally required to provide the information the University is requesting, however the University may not be able to effectively process your application if you do not provide sufficient information. With some exceptions, unless you consent to further release of private information, access to this information will be limited to school officials, including faculty who have legitimate educational interests in the information. Under certain circumstances, federal and state laws authorize a release of private information without your consent:

- to related schools in which you seek or intend to enroll, or are enrolled, if you are first notified of the release;
- to federal, state or local officials for purposes of program compliance, audit or evaluation;
- as appropriate in connection with your application for, or receipt of, financial aid;
- to your parents, if your parents claim you as a dependent student for tax purposes;
- if the information is sought with a subpoena, court order, or otherwise permitted by other state or federal law, and
- to an institution engaged in educational research or accrediting agency.

The first part of the Student Right to Know and Campus Security Act requires colleges and universities to compile and release institution-wide graduation rates for all students, with more detailed statistical information submitted on the graduation rates of athletes. This information is available in the MSU Undergraduate Bulletin. Part II of the act, entitled the Campus Crime Awareness and Campus Security Act of 1990, requires colleges and universities to disclose annually to all current students and employees as well as to applicants for enrollment or employment two types of information: 1) a description of policies and crime prevention educational programs relating to campus security, and 2) statistics concerning the occurrence of certain categories of crimes. Institutions are also required to issue timely warnings to the campus community about criminal activities representing a continued safety threat to aid in crime prevention. This information is available in the University’s “Partners in Safety” at University Security, 222 Wiecking Center (389-2111).

Placement & Occupational Outlook for Majors are available at www.mnsu.edu/cdc.

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GRADUATE APPLICATION  
(MUST SUBMIT IN DUPLICATE)  
College of Graduate Studies and Research  
Minnesota State University, Mankato  
115 Alumni Foundation Center  
Mankato, MN 56001  
Phone: 507-389-2321 • Fax: 507-389-5974

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT LEGIBLY

Name: ___________________________  Last  First  Middle (other—please include all previous names to match transcripts.)

Social Security Number*: ___________________________  * Many colleges/universities use social security numbers for student identification purposes on student records. Providing your social security number is voluntary. If you do not provide this number, your application will still be processed. This data is requested for purposes of administration, program evaluation and consumer and alumni data. Your number also may be used to create summary information about system programs through data matches with other state agencies.

Minnesota State Mankato Tech ID: (if applicable)__________________________

Permanent Mailing Address: (for the student)  
Street 1: ___________________________  Street 2: ___________________________  City: ___________________________  State: _______  Zip: ______________  
County: ___________________________  State in which you claim residency: ____________  
Telephone Number: (________) _________-_____  Fax Number: (________) _________-_____  Email: ___________________________

Current Mailing Address:  
If different from permanent address
Valid until (Mo./Day/Yr.): ________/______/______
Street 1: ___________________________  Street 2: ___________________________  City: ___________________________  State: _______  Zip: ______________
Country: ___________________________  State in which you claim residency: ____________
Telephone Number: (________) _________-_____  Fax Number: (________) _________-_____  Email: ___________________________

Are you seeking Nondegree Status?  □ yes  □ no  (Nondegree students do not wish to pursue a degree at this time)

Change of Graduate Program:  □ yes  □ no  Second/Additional MSU Graduate Degree/Program: □ yes  □ no

Graduate Certificate (Teaching Licensure)  □ MA  □ M.Ed.  □ MFA  □ Master’s Public Administration  □ MS  □ MSN  □ Ed.D.  □ DNP  
Graduate Certificate (Non-teaching Licensure)  □ Master of Arts in Teaching  □ MBA  □ Master of Music  □ MSW  □ Specialist  □ Psy.D.

Proposed Graduate Department/Program: ___________________________  Area of Specialty: ___________________________

Having met the application deadline, please indicate the term you wish to enter:  □ Fall 20____  □ Spring 20____  □ Summer 20____

Do you plan to attend:  □ Full time (at least 6 credit hours per semester)  □ Part time  □ Uncertain

ACADEMIC HISTORY: Please list all institutions attended, including Minnesota State Mankato, if applicable. Degree seeking students who did not graduate from Minnesota State Mankato must submit in a sealed envelope two official transcripts issued by the Registrar’s Office. We do not accept unofficial transcripts issued to students.

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GRADUATE ASSISTANT INFORMATION: If you are interested in receiving consideration for a graduate assistantship, please check this box □ and return the completed graduate assistant application form directly to your desired academic department or to the administrative office to which you are applying. The application may be photocopied, and additional assistantship forms are available on the College’s web page.

Please be advised that many graduate programs require additional credentials for admission consideration. Consult the information included with the application and/or the appropriate web pages to determine additional required credentials and application deadlines.

I certify that the information provided below is true. If the information contained in this application proves to be false, I understand that I may not be admitted to graduate study or my registration may be terminated.

Applicant’s Signature: ___________________________  Date: ______________

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