

## GRE Information Offered at TAMIU

Texas A&M International University's Office of Continuing Education is proud to present the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) preparation course. This course is designed to provide you with inclusive preparation for the GRE examination. As part of this course, you will receive two textbooks and pre- and post-diagnostic assessments from Cambridge Educational Testing Service.

Tuition for this course is \$320.00 and it is usually held on Saturdays. For more information concerning GRE Test Preparation/Review, please contact the Office of Special Programs at 326-2765.

For questions related to the paper-based GRE Exam, contact the Testing Center at 326-2131. It is usually offered once in the Fall and once in Spring.

## Computerized GRE Testing Information

- Cost: \$115
- Direct Telephone Registration at Sylvan

Testing Centers  
San Antonio (210) 494-7263  
Corpus Christi (361) 993-3793  
Test Administered Monday-Saturday.

\* Fee waivers for the Computer-Based GRE are available. For further information contact Texas A&M International University Testing Center at (956) 326-2130/326-2131 or go by Sue and Raddliffe Killam Library, Room 203.

## Other Important Details

A TOEFL score of 550 (paper-based) or 213 (computer-based) must be received directly from ETS, if applicant does not have one year of full-time academic studies at an accredited U.S. institution of higher education in the U.S. For Ph.D. in International Business Administration applicants, a minimum TOEFL score of 600 (paper-based) or 250 (computer-based) is required. The TOEFL test must be dated within two years of enrollment.

## TOEFL EXEMPTIONS:

- U.S. High School graduate who completed all high school requirements satisfactorily within 10 years of enrollment.
- GRE Verbal score of 400 or higher and sent directly from ETS, taken within five years of enrollment.
- GMAT Verbal score of 22 or higher and sent directly from ETS, taken within five years of enrollment.
- Completion of level six with a grade of B or better from the Texas A&M International University's International Language Institute.

THEA – Successful completion of the Texas Higher Education Assessment (THEA) Exam and an overall 2.7 grade point average is required if you are pursuing a Teacher Education Program. THEA scores must be sent to the Office of Admissions directly from National Evaluation Systems, Inc. (NES).  
UNIVERSITY HOUSING— Placing a housing deposit at the University housing does not guarantee admissions if minimum requirements are not met.  
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS should refer to the 'Graduate Admissions Procedures for International Students' brochure for additional requirements.



For more information, contact:  
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TEXAS A&M INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

## OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDIES

### GRADUATE ADMISSIONS PROCEDURES FOR DOMESTIC STUDENTS

*Office of Admissions*



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Welcome to Texas A&M International University's Office of Graduate Studies. We at TAMIU are glad that you have decided to take the next step in your educational journey. The graduate programs at TAMIU are committed to preparing outstanding scholars and leaders in the humanities and fine arts, physical, biological and social sciences, and in the business, education, and health care professions.

This publication will help explain all of the various steps involved in applying to Texas A&M International University's graduate school. Please do not hesitate to call us or e-mail us if you have any questions about graduate school or the admission process.

*Good Luck!*

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## Program Admission Deadlines

**Fall Semester - April 30**

**Spring Semester - November 30**

**Summer Sessions - April 30**



### To apply for admission, please submit the following:

1. COMPLETE APPLICATION FOR GRADUATE ADMISSIONS. Make sure you answer all sections of the application and sign it. Please include a \$25.00 (USD) application fee with your application (TAMIU alumni are exempt).
2. OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT(S) (translated into English) of all university-level studies other than TAMIU transcripts. To be considered official, the transcript(s) must be certified by a University official, have the school seal, and be delivered in a sealed University envelope directly from the institution(s) to the Office of Admissions.
3. GRE or GMAT test scores are required by all of the Colleges, regardless of upper-level grade point average (GPA). Official test scores must be received directly from Educational Testing Service (ETS) and dated within five years of enrollment. TAMIU's institution code is 6838. No admissions decision will be made by the Colleges prior to the receipt of an official GRE or GMAT score.
  - The College of Business Administration requires the GRE or GMAT from all applicants. Applicants pursuing the MBA taught in Spanish may choose to take the Exámen de Admisión available at certain mexican universities.
  - SPANISH MAJORS are required to take a departmental exam in lieu of the GRE.
4. A LEGAL RESIDENCE INFORMATION FORM must be completed by students who are claiming Texas residency, but were either not born in Texas or have resided in the State for at least 12 consecutive months with intent to establish domicile.

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Official admission to Texas A&M International University is a requirement for all types of financial assistance programs. If you are applying for these programs you must be accepted by the deadline listed on the individual award application to be considered for any award for that initial semester.

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#### EDUCATION FUND FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

#### SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships - Tuition - up to \$1,500 per year (\$500 each semester, including summer).

ASSISTANTSHIPS - An assistantship is a financial award to a graduate student for part-time work (15 or 19 hours per week) in teaching, or research while pursuing study towards an advanced degree. Graduate Assistant awards will be up to \$9,100 per year depending on your work assignment.

#### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. Must be a fully admitted graduate student who is working towards a master's or doctoral degree.
2. Must enroll in 6 graduate hours each semester (or summer) you are employed as a Graduate Assistant, or receive scholarship money.
3. Must maintain a minimum overall GPA of 3.5.
4. Application deadline is May 1 (earlier is preferred).