CFS Department Application for Admission to Graduate Programs

Thank-you for your interest in the graduate program at the University of Tennessee’s Department of Child and Family Studies. After applying to the Graduate School, the department requires this completed application, along with a letter of intent, explaining your interests and long-term professional goals and why you would like to pursue graduate studies with us; a current resume or curriculum vitae; and three rating forms from individuals who know you academically and current GRE scores (taken within the last 2 years). The priority deadline for the receipt of these documents, including priority consideration for the support of an assistantship, is January 1st.

Admission and open applications to the CFS Graduate Program remain in effect for one year from the semester for which admission is granted, at which time students must submit new application materials.

Please consult our website for complete application instructions.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

Date: _____________________________

Name _______________________________________________ E-Mail  ____________________________

(Last)                                                (First)                                    (Middle)

Current Mailing Address _______________________________

hm phone (          ) ___________________                      wk phone (          ) ___________________

Permanent Mailing Address _____________________________

hm phone (          ) ___________________                      wk phone (          ) ___________________

Summer Mailing Address _______________________________

hm Phone (          ) ___________________                       wk Phone (          ) ___________________

GRE DATE TAKEN (or will take)_________________________  International Applicants only:

GRE Scores: ______verbal

______quantitative

______analytical/written

TOEFL: Test Format Scores

Test Date: ______paper

______computer

______internet

______Writing

______Speaking

Bachelor’s GPA (Score) ____________________________

(Institution where degree was / will be received) ____________________________

(Year conferred)

Master’s GPA (Score) ____________________________

(Institution where degree was / will be received) ____________________________

(Year conferred)

Anticipated Enrollment Date _______________ semester, YR __________ Full-time [    ] Part-time [    ]

Degree Sought in Child and Family Studies:

_____ M.S. – General emphasis _____ M.S. – Teacher Licensure _____ Ph.D. (CFS)
Memberships, Offices Held, Certifications, Committee Work in Professional and Honor Societies:

___________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Scholarships and Honors: ____________________________________________________________________________________
___________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Professional Experience: ____________________________________________________________________________________
___________________________________________________________________________________________________________

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE: ASSISTANTSHIPS
Financial assistance will be considered only if this portion of the application is completed. Applicants wishing to be evaluated for an assistantship must meet the January 1st application deadline for first consideration for the following academic year. Announcements are typically made in April. Late applications will always be considered in case of vacancies. Prospective students are also encouraged to apply for fellowships and scholarships provided through professional and national associations, and UTK Financial Aid. Review other financial assistance for which you have applied and/or will be receiving, and list experiences that are appropriate to graduate teaching or research. You may also check with the College of Human Ecology Graduate Scholarships (http://www.he.utk.edu/schol.html).

[  ] YES, please consider me for a CFS assistantship. Previous financial assistance, research experience and interests, etc. (attach page if necessary)
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REFERENCES
List the names and addresses of three references. The Graduate Rating Form is to be completed by these individuals who should then forwarded the form to the Department of Child and Family Studies.

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We appreciate your taking a moment to tell us from which source you learned of our program:

_____ Alumni of UTK   _____ Faculty   _____ Poster/Brochure   _____ Relative
_____ College Catalog _____ Friend   _____ Published Guide   _____ WWW/Internet
_____ Current UTK student _____ Other Explained   _____ I am currently enrolled at, or graduated from, UTK

Return Application to:

Department of Child & Family Studies
Attn: Graduate Secretary
The University of TN, Knoxville
1215 West Cumberland Ave. --- 115 JHB
Knoxville, TN 37996-1912

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Note: The information contained in this application does not replace The University of Tennessee Graduate School admission/application requirements. For the most current and complete admission/application requirements and information, please contact The Graduate School directly at (865) 974-3251.

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