



Applying to the Au.D. Program or the M.A. in Speech-Language Pathology Program

Dates of Note

The application opens August 2, 2017. Domestic students must ensure that all application materials arrive in CSDCAS by December 15, 2017. International applicants must submit all materials by November 15, 2017. The OSU Supplemental Application deadline is February 1, 2018.

Students who meet the eligibility requirements for the OSU Graduate School Fellowships described below, and who are interested in entering this prestigious competition, should complete their CADCAS submission no later than December 1, 2017.

Application Step 1. Complete the CSDCAS application:

- Access the CSDCAS Applicant Portal here: <https://csdcas.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login>
- Review the CSDCAS instructions and Frequently Asked Questions before completing your application: <https://portal.csdcas.org/csdcasHelpPages/instructions-and-faq/>
- If you have problems or questions, please contact CSDCAS Customer Service at (617) 612-2030 or via email at csdcasinfo@csdcas.org.
- The CSDCAS application fee is \$100 for the first program and \$45 for each additional program.
- We require that you submit the following items directly to CSDCAS in order to complete your application:

(a) Transcripts.

If you attended only U.S. institution(s) for your degree(s), you will only submit transcripts to CSDCAS.

If you attended a foreign institution and earned credit directly from the foreign institution, you must submit official transcripts to The Graduate Admissions Office at The Ohio State University, P.O. Box 182004, Columbus, OH 43218-2004.

If you earned an entire degree from a foreign institution, you must have a foreign evaluation service complete a foreign transcript evaluation and submit it to CSDCAS. CSDCAS lists the names of several foreign evaluation services in their FAQs. You must also submit the foreign transcript(s) to the Graduate Admissions Office at the address above.

Regardless of where you earned your degrees, do not submit transcripts to the Department of Speech and Hearing. These transcripts will not be processed.

(b) Personal Statement or Essay.

The personal statement is intended as an opportunity for you to describe your educational goals, your academic strengths and weaknesses, and any personal qualities, characteristics, and skills you believe will enable you to be successful in your chosen field of study.

(c) Reference Letters.

A minimum of three reference letters is required to complete your application. We strongly recommend that reference letters be written by faculty members and/or instructors that can speak to your academic abilities and potential success as a graduate student. Reference letters must be submitted electronically.

(d) Test Scores.

- Official GRE scores are required for every applicant.
- **GRE Code 0674** - use The Ohio State University CSDCAS GRE Code 0674.
- If **official** GRE scores are missing from CSDCAS we will consider your application to be incomplete.
- TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) scores are also required of every applicant whose native language is not English. Use Institution code 1592.

Application Step 2. After being contacted by OSU, complete the OSU Supplemental Application:

Your application must be verified by CSDCAS before you can complete this step. **Up to two weeks after the date that your application becomes verified by CSDCAS**, the Graduate Admissions Office at The Ohio State University will send you an email with instructions and a link to complete our brief Supplemental Application. The fee for the Supplemental Application is \$60 for domestic applicants and \$70 for international applicants. The Supplemental Application deadline is February 1, 2018.

It is not possible to access our Supplemental Application until after you receive this email from OSU Admissions due to the way that OSU's Admissions system interacts with CSDCAS.

Please review all CSDCAS instructions and documents on our website carefully. DO NOT send any application materials to the Department of Speech and Hearing Science. These materials will not be processed.

OSU GRADUATE SCHOOL UNIVERSITY FELLOWSHIP CRITERIA:

1. Minimum cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.6 (4.0 scale)
2. Minimum 75th percentile GRE scores averaged across verbal and quantitative components and minimum 4.0 on the analytical writing component.

OSU GRADUATE SCHOOL ENRICHMENT FELLOWSHIP CRITERIA:

1. One or more characteristics that will contribute to the diversity of the OSU Graduate School. Examples include ethnic background, social or economic disadvantage, nominee status as a McNair Scholar, disability, or other characteristic.
2. Minimum cumulative undergraduate GPA of 3.1 (4.0 scale)
3. Minimum 40th percentile GRE scores averaged across verbal and quantitative components and minimum 3.5 on the analytical writing component.