

International Students

The Master of Counseling program at CityU combines theory and hands-on experience to help students become professional mental health counselors. Students will gain experience, while also learning the skills and techniques necessary to become effective counselors in CityU's CACREP (Council for Accreditation of Counseling & Related Educational Programs) accredited program.

WHY CHOOSE CITY UNIVERSITY OF SEATTLE?

- Downtown Seattle location
- Courses are taught by licensed professionals
- No GMAT/GRE required
- Internships and Scholarships available up to \$5,000

Start Date	October 1
Application Deadline	August 1 (September 1st for students holding current F-1 Visa)
Program Length	24-36 months
Estimated cost for one year of studies*	\$24,930 (2017-2018)
Scholarships	Merit Based Scholarships available up to \$5,000.

*Tuition and fees are subject to change without notice

PROGRAM DETAILS (90-98 Quarter Credits)

Multicultural Counseling
Professional Ethics and Law
Career Counseling
Testing and Assessment

Human Growth and Development
Marriage, Couple, and Family Counseling
Group Counseling
Crisis, Disaster, and Trauma Counseling

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INTERNSHIPS AND PRACTICA

Counseling students are also required to complete 100 supervised hours of practicum in the CityU Counseling center, followed by 600 supervised hours of internship in the community, giving them relevant, hands-on experience.

ADMISSIONS

The Master of Counseling program at CityU is a competitive program with limited space available – if you are interested please contact an Admissions Advisor who will help guide you through the process.

REQUIREMENTS

- Any Bachelor's Degree from an accredited or CityU recognized institution.
- Overall GPA of at least 2.75 in Bachelor's Degree studies.
- Two professional and one personal reference letter, these must include name, title, email, and phone contact information.
- Writing sample describing professional goals and prior counseling experience (if any). Guidelines are attached to the application packet.
- English Proficiency: A bachelor's degree from an English speaking country, (defined by CityU policy) or English proficiency test score: TOEFL 87, IELTS 6.5, iTEP 4.5, PTE 59 or higher.

GENERAL APPLICATION DOCUMENTS:

1. International student application form
2. \$50 application fee
3. Original or certified copies of diplomas and transcripts (with certified English translations)
4. Proof of English language proficiency (TOEFL, IELTS, ITEP, and PTE are accepted)
5. Consent to release information (if applying through CityU's approved agents)
6. Copy of passport
7. Bank statement and financial declaration form, plus sponsor statement, if applicable
8. After arrival in the U.S.: Copies of I-94, visa, and entry stamp
9. For transfer students coming from another U.S. college: International student transfer evaluation form and copies of I-20s
10. Additional requirements may apply depending on program and start date.



Pei-Ru Liao
Taipei, Taiwan

CityU helped change my future goals. There are many assignments are designed to guide students towards a deeper insight of themselves and their career. It helped me identify what I really want to do in the future.

My favorite class was Family system theory, it was very interesting to learn about. Since Asian people are more collaborative and emphasize family relationships, this course can really connect with my own experiences in Taiwan. A course that is connected to my life experience is much more fun to me.

There is a lot to do in Seattle! Snowboarding is my favorite thing to do during the winter time, but during the summer time, I prefer go to beaches, go paddleboarding, and hike.

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