How to Get In

This Capstone Certificate in Applied Bioinformatics program is intended for University Special (non-degree seeking) students who hold a bachelor's degree or equivalent and is designed to "cap off" the undergraduate educational experience or to offer a focused professionally oriented educational experience.

Admission requirements for the Capstone Certificate in Applied Bioinformatics are:

- A Bachelor's degree
- A 3.0 undergraduate GPA
- Completion of one General Biology course with laboratory at the undergraduate level

The Capstone Certificate in Applied Bioinformatics accepts applications year-round:

- Applications are accepted for Fall through July 15
- Applications are accepted for Spring through December 15
- Applications are accepted for Summer through April 15

Application requirements include:

- Statement of purpose
- Resume/CV
- Transcripts from all post-secondary institutions. Unofficial transcripts may be submitted with the application; official transcripts will be required upon admission to the program.
- Two letters of recommendation
- Submit evidence of English language proficiency, if applicable. The required proficiency scores are: TOEFL IBT 92, PBT 580; or IELTS 7.0

Please refer to the program website for the application.

Adult Career and Special Student Services (ACSSS) is the admitting office for all University Special students, including capstone certificate students. However, the department offering the capstone certificate program makes the final admission decision upon review of all applicant materials.