

UMSL | Graduate School

Graduate Certificate Tropical Biology and Conservation

Degree Program

- A minimum of 18 credit hours of core courses and electives, of which 12 credits must be at the 5000 or 6000 level.
- Up to 3 credits may be taken at the 3000 level upon permission of the Graduate Committee.
- No more than 7 credit hours of electives may be taken outside of biology.

Program Website

<http://www.umsl.edu/~biology/Undergraduate%20Programs/Undergraduate%20Certificate%20Programs/gradcerttbconserv.html>

Application Requirements

1. Graduate School Application
 - a. <http://www.umsl.edu/gradschool/prospective/apply-now.html>
2. Official transcripts from all universities attended.
3. Undergraduate coursework in genetics, cell biology, and biochemistry.
4. Three Letters of Recommendation\
5. Entrance examination(s)
 - a. International applicants are required to document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination before a decision is made on admission.
6. Grade Point Average
 - a. Minimum of 3.0 on 4.0 scale.

Gainful Employment Disclosure

For more information about our graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, please visit our website at <http://umsl.edu/go/Brs>

Application Deadline

Applications are processed as they are submitted. However, applications that are not received by the posted date may delay admission until the following semester.

- Fall term – July 1
- Spring term – December 1
- Summer term – May 1

Application Fee

\$50 for domestic applicants; \$40 for international applicants

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