Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP)
Application Materials Checklist

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 1**

The Graduate and International Admissions Center (GIAC) process applications for graduate admissions. To apply for graduate admission to the School of Nursing the admissions application must be completed electronically at [Apply Texas](https://www.applytexas.org) during the open application period of September 1 through March 1.

The following documents must be uploaded via the Online Status Check page by the APPLICATION DEADLINE of March 1:

- **Application**—GIAC process applications for graduate admissions. Applications are to be completed and paid at [Apply Texas](https://www.applytexas.org). For additional information on Graduate admissions, please visit the [University of Texas at Austin Graduate School](https://www.gradschool.utexas.edu) webpage.

- **Official Transcript(s)** from each four-year academic institution you have attended as well as transcripts from Community Colleges attended for prerequisite courses. Upload a copy of official transcripts dated one year or less; if admitted official, hard copy, transcripts are required.

- **Official** report of [GRE](https://www.ets.org/gre) scores; scores are valid 5 years prior to the program start date. GRE School Code: 6882 (a department code is not required).
  - GRE waiver may be applicable – contact DNP coordinator or program director for details

- **Current Curriculum Vitae (CV)** indicating educational background, professional experience, volunteer experience and other relevant information (e.g. publications, scholarship and awards, professional organizations and community activities).

- **Statement of Purpose**, double spaced, 1 inch margins, 12-point and maximum length of 2 pages, addressing the following:
  - Discuss the development of your interest in nursing graduate education.
  - Identify the clinical specialty area for which you are applying, describe the basis for your choice, and identify your personal and professional goals. Applicants should describe practice interests and goals.
  - Discuss any special circumstances that you believe require further clarification.

- **Three references.** Provide the name, position and email address for three recommenders on the application for admissions. Recommenders are sent an email with instructions on completing the reference form.

- **International applicants** must provide official report of [Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL)](https://www.ets.org/toefl).

**Please Note:** Former or current graduate student of UT Austin last enrolled in a graduate program, must pay and submit the [online application for Graduate Readmission](https://www.applytexas.org) and provide all applicable documents listed above on the [Online Status Check](https://www.applytexas.org) page.

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