



MS-Quantitative Analysis Program

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Application for Admission

You must also complete the Online Application to the UC Graduate School at <https://www.grad.uc.edu/admissions/app/>

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<i>Also send your resume, in addition to this application form.</i>	

Last (family) name	First (given) name	Middle initial/name
E-Mail <i>(Please give only one ... it is very important that it be reliable and that you check it frequently ... this will be our primary way of communicating with you during the admissions process ... please print very clearly.)</i>		
Complete mailing address (number, street, apartment number, city, state, postal or zip code, country)		
Home telephone (with country and area/city code)	Work telephone (with country and area/city code)	
Home fax number	Work fax number	
Resident of Ohio <i>for tuition purposes</i> (see http://www.uc.edu/registrar/residency.html)? (Yes/No)	Home state	
Country of present citizenship (international applicants must answer additional questions at the end of this application)		

<i>This section is optional and would be used only for statistical purposes, not for admissions or aid decisions.</i>			
Date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Gender	Marital Status	Ethnicity

List all colleges and universities attended (give a copy of the Transcript Request Form on p. 7 below to the registrar of each college or university attended, to request that complete official transcripts be sent to us):

Institution	Location	Date entered – date left	Degree

Undergraduate major(s)	Undergraduate minor(s)	Undergraduate cumulative GPA
Graduate major(s)	Graduate minor(s)	Graduate cumulative GPA

Either the GMAT or the GRE may be taken (you must also request scores to be reported officially):

<i>GMAT</i>								
Date(s) taken or to be taken	Quant. score	Quant. % below	Verbal score	Verbal % below	Analytical (Writing) score	Analytical (Writing) % below	Total score	Total % below

<i>GRE</i>								
Date(s) taken or to be taken	Quant. score	Quant. % below	Verbal score	Verbal % below	Analytical (Writing) score	Analytical (Writing) % below	Total score	Total % below

International applicants must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) (you must also request the score to be reported officially):

<i>TOEFL</i>		
Date(s) taken or to be taken	Computer- or paper-based?	Score

Other graduate schools where you have applied or will apply for admission:

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Distinctions, honors, and awards you have received (academic, extracurricular, military, community, or other).

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How did you learn about the MSQA program at the University of Cincinnati?

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Essays: the following two questions are to be answered on separate pages. Put your name on any separate pages you submit with you application. *(The information you provide in response to these questions is important. Your responses are carefully evaluated and are an important part of the admission review process. Please take time to formulate your responses thoughtfully.)*

Question #1. Describe a challenging assignment or task that you successfully completed. Include details about the difficulties you encountered, as well as the steps you took to complete this activity successfully.

Question #2. What are your career aspirations, and how will an MSQA degree from the University of Cincinnati help you accomplish them?

References: please list at least two people well-acquainted with your previous work and academic ability who will be providing your letters of recommendation. Please give a copy of the Letter of Recommendation form on pp. 5-6 below to each of your references. *(Personal friends and family members should not be encouraged to submit recommendations.)*

Name	Position

Signature of applicant _____ **Date of application** _____

International applicants:

Country of birth	Native language
Years of English instruction	Fluent in what languages?
In what countries have you lived?	If you are currently in the U.S., what visa do you hold?

The University of Cincinnati reaffirms its policy that discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sex orientation, age, physical or mental handicap, or status as a disabled veteran of the Vietnam era will not be practiced in any of its activities. Additionally, where past or present discriminatory behavior continues to have an adverse effect upon university community members, the university will take affirmative action to eliminate that effect. Issues and complaints concerning this policy should be addressed to: Director of Affirmative Action, Office of Affirmative Action, Room 203 Beecher Hall, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio 45221-0214, +1-513-556-5503

**Letter of Recommendation
MS-Quantitative Analysis Program
University of Cincinnati**

<http://www.business.uc.edu/msqa>

Applicant name:

Last (family) name	First (given) name	Middle initial/name

The Family Educational and Privacy Act of 1974 opens many students records for the student's inspection. The law also permits the students to sign a waiver relinquishing his or her rights to inspect letters of recommendation. The applicant's signature below constitutes a waiver; no signature means the student will have the right to read this recommendation.

Signature of applicant:

Date:

To the recommender: When you have completed the recommendation form, please place it in an envelope, sign your name across the seal, and return it to the applicant. The applicant will then submit the sealed envelope to our Graduate Programs Office as part of the application process. Please accept our thanks for your help in assessing the applicant's qualifications.

How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

Please rate the candidate's ability or level in the following areas:

	Superior	Above average	Average	Below average	Unable to judge
Skill in written communication					
Skill in oral communication					
Mathematical aptitude					
Intellectual aptitude					
Maturity level					
Motivation level					
Ability to work with others					

Please give an overall recommendation:

Strongly recommend	
Recommend	
Recommend with reservations	
Do not recommend	

In the space below or on separate pages, please provide a narrative evaluation of the applicant and your recommendation.

Signature of recommender:

I understand that the application may have access to this information unless the waiver statement near the top of the preceding page has been signed by the applicant.	
Signature of recommender:	Date:

Recommender's contact information:

Name	Position or title
Organization (school, firm)	
E-mail	Telephone
Mailing address	

The MSQA Program at the University of Cincinnati thanks you sincerely for your time and attention.

Transcript Request Form
MS-Quantitative Analysis Program
University of Cincinnati

<http://www.business.uc.edu/msqa>

Applicant name:

Last (family) name	First (given) name	Middle initial/name
Social security number		
School	Enrollment dates	Degree/year

I hereby authorize the release of a transcript of my academic record to the Graduate Programs Office, College of Business, University of Cincinnati.

Signature of applicant:

Date:

To be completed by registrar:

Please complete the items below and enclose this form in an envelope along with an official transcript. Seal the envelope, sign or place your seal on the back flap, and return to the applicant. Please be sure to include instructions on how to interpret the transcript and an explanation of your grading system. If the transcript is not in English, include an English translation. In the event that your policy does not allow returning the sealed envelope to the applicant, please send it directly to us at the following address:

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Cumulative grade-point average on a 4.0 scale:	
Rank in graduating class:	