

GRADUATE & PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL FAIR

September 15, 2022

11am - 3pm

Speaker's Platform

The Graduate & Professional Schools Fair is an excellent opportunity to learn more about masters, doctoral, certificate, and credential programs at CSULB and other colleges and universities across the country. Before speaking to program representatives, please take a moment to review the sample questions below.

Admissions

- When is the application deadline?
- Is there an early admission deadline?
- What is the application process/timeline (application material due date, test scores, etc.)?
- How many letters of recommendation do you need?
- What is the academic profile of a competitive applicant? What are the average SAT/ACT scores?

What additional experience (volunteer, internship, work) do I need to be competitive? How many years?

What types of funding are available (fellowships, assistantships, scholarships, loans)?

Do you reserve spaces for in-state residents?

On-campus housing?



- Are there opportunities for students in the program to conduct research?
- Are there opportunities for students in the program to teach?
- Will I complete an internship as part of the program? How much choice will I have about where I do my internship?
- How big is the department/program (faculty and students)?
- What is the average cohort size? What is the projected size of the entering cohort?
- Could you tell me more about the facilities (labs, lecture rooms, etc.).
- Is a thesis, dissertation, or comprehensive examination(s) required for completion of the degree?
- How long does it take a student to graduate from your program on average? What is the attrition rate?

Career development

- Will completion of the program meet the educational requirements for licensure or certification needed to enter a particular occupation?
- Where are the graduates of the program employed?
- What percentage of your graduates is employed in a relevant field u celhj (ax) 4p) 0h(ea p) 0[c]T-J0]T/4

