College of Science Graduate Programs - Application Deadlines & Requirements

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Fall 2020 Deadlines by Program

Student Type	Application Deadline
For international students applying for initial F1 visa:	Fall 2020 no longer available; apply for Spring 2021
For PhD Students:	Fall 2020 no longer available; apply for Fall 2021
For international students applying for graduate certificate or MS degree and will participate in NUFlex /online courses from home country:	August 15, 2020
International students in the United States transferring existing I-20:	August 1, 2020
Domestic students:	August 15, 2020
Special Student:	August 25, 2020

MS Degrees/Graduate Certificates

* = These are part-time programs and do not support International students that require F-1 visa sponsorship from Northeastern. X = Required

Program	# Letters of Recommendation	GRE General	GRE Subject	TOEFL, IELTS, PTE	Transcripts	Personal Statement	Resume	Additional
MS Applied Physics & Engineering	3	Х		Х	Х	Х	Х	
MS Bioinformatics	2			Х	Х	Х	Х	
Grad Certificate Bioinformatics	2			Х	Х	X	Х	
MS Biotechnology	2			X	X	X	Х	Pre- requisite Form
*MS Chemistry (part- time)	2			Х	Х	Х		
MS Environmental Science & Policy	3			Х	Х	Х		

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MS Marine Biology	3			Х	Х	Х	Optional	Optional: writing sample
MS Math	3	X	X – Math	Х	X	Х		
MS Applied Mathematics	3	X		Х	X	Х		
MS Operations Research	3	X		X	X	X		
MS Physics	3	Х		Х	Х	Х		
*Grad Certificate Nanomedicine	2			X	Х	Х	X	

Special Student/Non-Degree

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Program	# Letters of Recommendation	GRE General	GRE Subject	TOEFL, IELTS, PTE	Transcripts	Personal Statement	Resume
*Bioinformatics Special Student	0			Х	Х	Х	
*Biology Special Student	0			Х	Х	Х	
*Biotechnology Special Student	0			X	Х	Х	Х
*Chemistry Special Student	0			X	Х	X	
*Marine & Environmental Sciences Special Student	0			X	Х	X	
*Math Special Student	2			X	Х	X	

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*Network Science Special Student	0			Х	X	Х	
*Physics Special Student	0			Х	X	Х	
*Psychology Special Student	0			Х	Х	Х	

PhD Programs

X = Required

Program	# Letters of Recommendation	GRE General	GRE Subject	TOEFL, IELTS, PTE	Transcripts	Personal Statement	Resume	Additional
Biology PhD	3	Х		Х	Х	Х		
Chemistry PhD	3	Х		Х	Х	Х		
Industry-Entry Chemistry PhD	3 + Letter of Support from Industry Sponsor	Х		Х	X	Х		
Marine & Environmental Sciences PhD	3	Х		Х	Х	х		
Math PhD	3	Х	X – Math	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Network Science PhD	3	Х		Х	Х	Х		Research Advisors
Physics PhD	3	Х	Recommended	X	X	X		
Psychology PhD	3	Х		Х	Х	X	х	Writing Sample; Research areas/advisor s

Biotechnology Certificates

X = Required

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Biopharmaceutical Analytical Sciences Certificate	2			х	х	X	Х
Biotechnology Certificate	2			Х	Х	Х	Х
Experimental Biotechnology	2			Х	Х	Х	Х
Biotechnology Enterprise Certificate	2			х	х	х	Х
Manufacturing and Quality Operations Certificate (Fall 2020)	2			X	X	X	X
Molecular Biotechnology Certificates	2			Х	Х	Х	Х
Process Sciences Certificate	2			Х	Х	Х	Х
Pharmaceutical Technologies Certificate	2			Х	Х	Х	Х
Regulatory Science Certificate	2			Х	Х	Х	Х