Welcome to Graduate Studies.  
Drexel University.
What you bring to the table.
“I know the world is going to change.

And therefore, the University must change with it.”

- Anthony J. Drexel
Drexel University

A comprehensive research university and experiential learning leader in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

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A comprehensive research university and experiential learning leader in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

- Founded 1891
- 8,967 Graduate Students
- 13 Colleges and Schools
- Over 120 Degree Programs
- 3 Total Philadelphia Campuses
- 89% Employed after Graduation
- $71,668 Annual Starting Salary
- Over 100* International partnerships & exchange programs

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College of Arts & Sciences
School of Biomedical Engineering, Science and Health Systems
LeBow College of Business
College of Computing & Informatics
School of Education
College of Engineering
Charles D. Close School of Entrepreneurship
Kline School of Law
Westphal College of Media Arts & Design
College of Medicine
College of Nursing and Health Professions
Goodwin College of Professional Studies
Dornsife School of Public Health
- 97th overall “America’s Best Colleges” (*U.S. News & World Report 2020*)
- 23rd Nationally Ranked “Most Innovative Schools” (*U.S. News*)
- 73rd Military Times “Best Colleges” (*Military Times 2020*)
- 74th Best Value School (*U.S. News*)
- The University was named one of America’s "Top 25 Most Connected Campuses" (*The Princeton Review/Forbes.com*)
- Drexel was ranked among the top 25 universities for producing CEOs of Fortune 100 companies (*Newsweek/The Daily Beast*)
Because the world can't wait.
A Complete Process

**Research**
- Right fit
- Program meets goals
- Viable candidate

**Read**
- Communications
- Department website
- Application instructions

**Review**
- Application Checklist
- Connection opportunities
- Portal Status

**REACH OUT**
The Timeline

- Deadline awareness & competitiveness
- Prepare & request materials for submission
- Identify potential funding early on
- Long-term planning – post graduate degree

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Drexel Candidates

- Professionalism with a dedication to field of interest
- Strong interest in real-world application
- Excellent verbal and written communication
- Demonstrated academic success in undergraduate coursework
- Diversity of background with eye towards innovation

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GRADUATE STUDENTS

8,967 total enrollment

MAKE UP

36% of overall student body

REPRESENT ALL 50 STATES AND 86 DIFFERENT COUNTRIES

CONSIST OF MORE THAN 350 U.S. VETERANS AND MILITARY DEPENDENTS

STUDY ON CAMPUS (59%) AND ONLINE (41%)

RESEARCH AT DREXEL

over

1,100 research faculty

$120 million in grants awarded

482 U.S. patents received

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A complete process
Graduate Application Materials

1. Application
   - Drexel Website

2. Transcripts
   - Official
   - All institutions

3. Letter(s) of Recommendation
   - Number varies
   - Academic and professional

4. Essay
   - Read prompt
   - Submit electronically

5. Resume
   - Submit electronically

6. Test Scores
   - GMAT or GRE
   - TOEFL, IELTS, or PTE
   - MAT
   - MCAT
Supplemental Documents

Portfolio and work samples:
- Demonstrate professional or artistic experience
- Writing samples from thesis work of research

Interview:
- Dependent on program
- Invitation by department
- Not guaranteed
Next steps

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After document submission

- Monitor status on portal: discover.drexel.edu
- Review and decisions can take up to 4 to 6 weeks

After admission

- Confirm your enrollment via portal
- Pick up accounts: accounts.drexel.edu
- Prepare I-20 documentation (International)
- Graduate academic advisor

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Financing Your Education

- Complete FAFSA (U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident)
- Merit Based Scholarships (Dean’s Fellowship & College-based awards)
- Graduate Assistantships (RA & TA)

Drexel Central –
- Offices of the Bursar
- Financial Aid
- Registrar

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Veteran spaces and benefits
Graduate Virtual Experience

DREXEL.EDU/GRAD/VIRTUAL