EAST ASIAN AND PACIFIC RIM STUDIES, M.A.
ADMISSIONS CHECKLIST

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

− A bachelor’s degree, or its equivalent, from an accredited university or recognized international institution
− Recommended cumulative undergraduate grade point average of 3.20 or higher
− Two years of college level Asian language coursework or the equivalent (must be completed by the end of the program)
− University of Bridgeport graduate application and $50 application fee (non-refundable)
  − Checks or money orders should be made payable to the University of Bridgeport

Supporting Materials:

☐ Official transcripts from every college or university attended
☐ Two letters of recommendation
  − Letters must be signed and come directly from employers, professors or professional associates. They should comment on your work ethic, communication skills and ability to complete a graduate degree program.
☐ Personal statement
  − In 250 – 500 words, detail why you are seeking this degree, how you expect to apply your degree to your professional career after graduation and why you seek to pursue your degree through the University of Bridgeport
☐ Professional resume or CV
☐ Optional: GRE scores

DEADLINES

Completed application and all supporting documents must be received on or before:
− May 1 for the fall semester
− November 15 for the spring semester

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please send admissions materials to:
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