

Graduate Admissions

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Topics Overview

- Overview of decision to go with UniCAS (Texas A&M University GraduateCAS)
 - Applicant View of TAMU GradCAS
 - Overview of WebAdMIT
 - Admissions Reminders
 - Contact Information
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UniCAS Decision

- Spring 2019 TAMU began looking into alternatives to ApplyTexas for graduate application submission system as with ApplyTexas 3 systems were being used to review applications.
- Liaison LLC has been providing a Centralized Application Services (CAS) for over 20 years that services more than 7,000 programs on over 800 colleges and universities.
- A Working Group consisting of Admissions, OGAPS and the GOC Deans and a Functional Group consisting of Admissions, OGAPS, PITO and EIS reviewed the products offered by Liaison.

Top 10 Reasons for UniCAS



10 REASONS Why TAMU Chose Liaison's UniCAS™ For its New Graduate Student Application

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UniCAS will be managed by TAMU.

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A better experience for students will promote completion and increase visibility for TAMU graduate programs.



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Programs will be able to control the questions asked, materials collected and rubrics used for review.

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Liaison provides comprehensive on-site training on the use of UniCAS.

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UniCAS unifies data and reporting across campus.

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Colleges and programs will visually showcase their unique brands.



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The UniCAS administrative backend allows stakeholders across campus to:

- ✓ Configure individual program pages and application questions.
- ✓ Perform individual or group queries and tasks.
- ✓ Access a 360-degree view of applications and score applicants with their academic program's rubric.
- ✓ Holistically review applicants using a consistent method and rubric.
- ✓ Configure decision making workflows that match a program's process needs.

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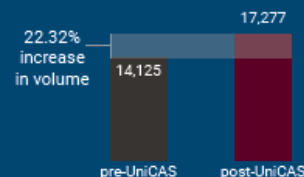


9 out of 10 of the nation's largest 100 graduate campuses use Liaison's Centralized Application Services.

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It worked for the California State University system:

1ST CYCLE APPLICATION VOLUME RESULTS



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...and it worked for Weill Cornell Graduate School of Medical Sciences:

“ [With UniCAS], our applicant pool has risen by 12%, due in part to our new application, our incomplete applicant pool is less than 1% and our application review time has reduced from 8 days to 1-2 days. ...and we were implemented in just 10 weeks! ”

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Associate Director of Enrollment and Education Operations
Weill Cornell Graduate School of Medical Sciences

CAS Across Campus

- **BusinessCAS** – Mays Business School
 - **EngineeringCAS** – College of Engineering
 - **HAMPCAS/SOPHAS/SOPHAS Express** – School of Public Health
 - **NursingCAS** – College of Nursing
 - **UniCAS** – CLAG, CLAR, CLDN, CLED, CLGB, CLGE, CLLA, CLMD, CLCP, CLSC, CLVM, TAMUGV, IDP
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TAMU GraduateCAS

<https://texasam2021.liaisoncas.com/>



Welcome to the Texas A&M University GraduateCAS

Texas A&M University GraduateCAS is the Centralized Application Service (CAStm) for most graduate programs at Texas A&M University.

The 2020-2021 application cycle will open on August 3, 2020. Applicants seeking to apply to Summer 2021, Fall 2021 and Spring 2022 terms will be able to find their program selections and complete their application starting August 3, 2020 onward. Applicants are limited to one application per entry term.

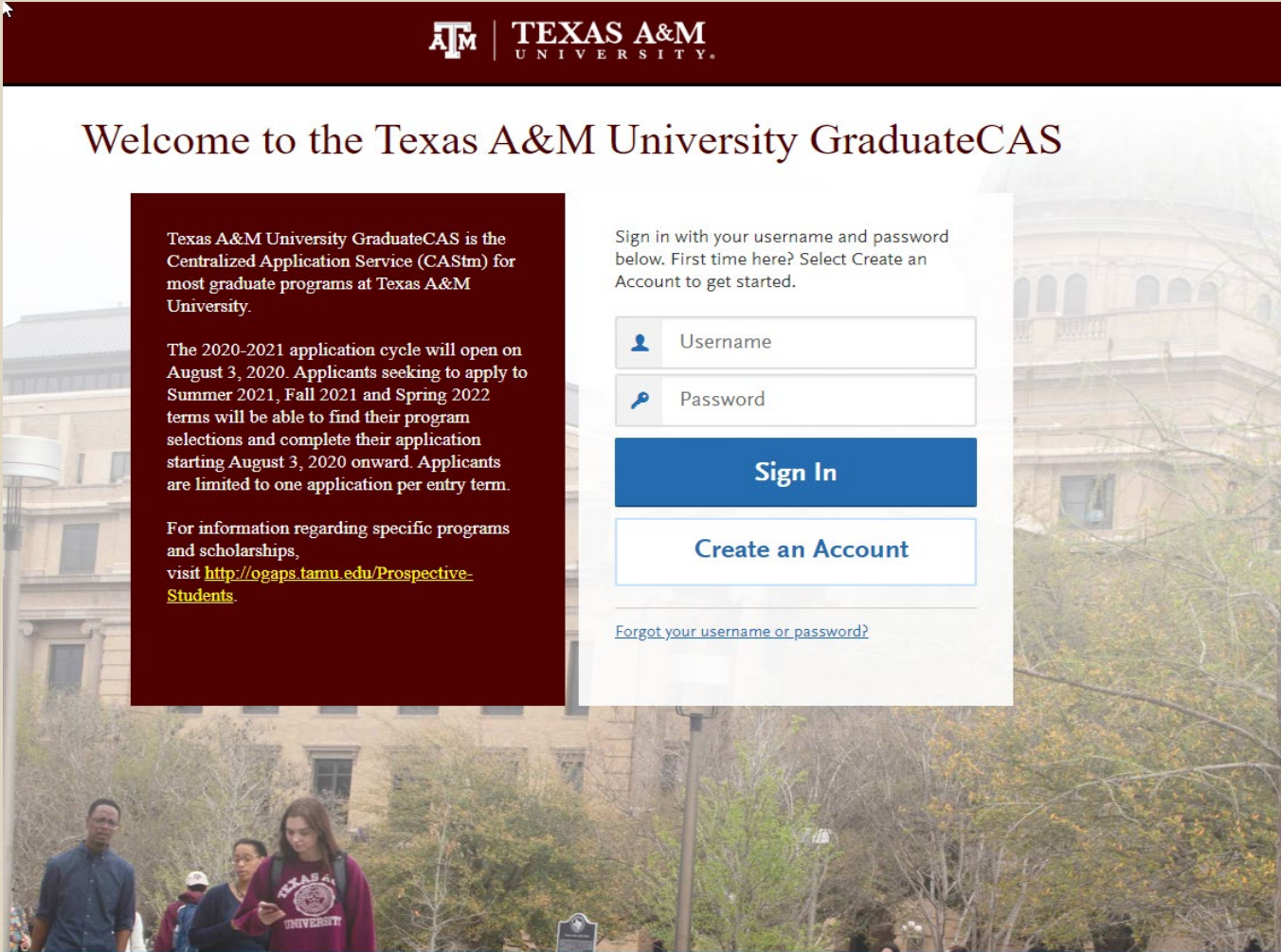
For information regarding specific programs and scholarships, visit <http://ogaps.tamu.edu/Prospective-Students>.

Sign in with your username and password below. First time here? Select Create an Account to get started.

Sign In

Create an Account

[Forgot your username or password?](#)





Four Quadrants w/in Application

My Application

Add Program

Submit Application

Check Status

My Application

This dashboard is your application home providing access to each part of the application you need to complete and a high level overview of your progress.

Latest Notifications

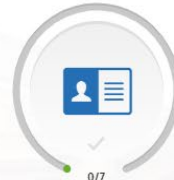
Welcome to the Texas A&M University GraduateCAS application (save this email!) 08/19/2020

[View My Notifications](#)

Getting Started?

Speed up your application by entering your colleges attended first.

Personal Information



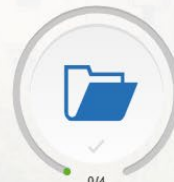
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Sections Completed

Academic History



0/5
Sections Completed

Supporting Information



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Sections Completed

Program Materials

You have not selected any programs to apply to. Add a program to start this section and complete your application.

[Add A Program](#)



Program Selection

The “deep link” will auto-filter to programs in your Organization

ATM | TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Help | Catherine Roueche | CAS ID: 7147922780 | Sign Out

My Application | Add Program | Submit Application | Check Status

Add Programs

Select a program by clicking the plus sign. You can apply to only one program per cycle. Remember to check your program's deadline requirements.
Enrolled graduate students: if you need a program change, contact the Office of Graduate and Professional Studies (OGAPS).

[Add Program](#) | Selected Programs

Search for a Program or Organization [Enter Invitation Code](#)

Showing results for: Available Programs

Add	Program Name	Campus	City	Start Term	Delivery	Program Level	Department	Deadline	Academic Year
BUSH SCHOOL OF GOVERNMENT & PUBLIC SERVICE									
+	Fall 2021 Certificate in Advanced International Affairs	College Station	College Station	Fall	Online	Certificate	Department of International Affairs	07/25/2021	2021
+	Fall 2021 Certificate in Homeland Security	College Station	College Station	Fall	Online	Certificate	Department of Public Service and Administration	07/25/2021	2021
+	Fall 2021 Executive Master of Public Service and Administration	College Station	College Station	Fall	Online	Master's	Department of Public Service and Administration	07/11/2021	2021

[Skip for Now](#)



WebAdMIT Dashboard View



- ▼ Applicants
- Search
- Search Assignments
- Search Interviews
- Clipboard
- Search Correspondence
- ▼ Applicant Lists
- CBCC Positive Responses
- List Manager
- ▼ Reports & Exports
- Export Manager
- Report Manager
- PDF Manager
- Recent Files
- Management
- ▼ Help
- Help Center

Dashboard

▼ Recently Submitted Designations

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Name	Texas A&M University ID	Designation	Date Submitted
Baertestmay, Jtestmay	5534893584	Fall 2021 AGBU-MAB	June 04, 2020
18, test 18	1995859990	Fall 2021 AGBU-MAB	May 27, 2020
Jokovich, Movak	8870815938	Fall 2021 CDEV-GCT	May 27, 2020
Souza, Anil	6211699793	Fall 2021 ALEC-PHD	May 26, 2020
Johnson, Sally	7745404784	Fall 2021 ANSC-PHD	May 25, 2020

▼ Recently Updated Applicants

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Name	Texas A&M University ID	Section Updated	Date Changed
Baertestmay, Jtestmay	5534893584	Designation	June 04, 2020
Baertestmay, Jtestmay	5534893584	Preferred Mailing Address	June 04, 2020
Baertestmay, Jtestmay	5534893584	Current Mailing Address	June 04, 2020
Baertestmay, Jtestmay	5534893584	Permanent Mailing Address	June 04, 2020
Baertestmay, Jtestmay	5534893584	Personal	June 04, 2020

▼ Recent Status Changes

No events have been recorded.

▼ Designations by Local Status

- 56 None
- 0 Final ADMITS for ADMI
- 0 Final DENIES for ADMI
- 0 Pull this PDF
- 0 Under CBCC Review
- 0 CBCC Reviewed and Cleared
- 56 Total

▼ Designations by Decision

- 56 None
- 0 Withdrew
- 0 Offer Declined
- 0 Deferred
- 0 Rescinded
- 0 Offer Accepted
- 0 Offer Made
- 0 Denied
- 0 Wait Listed
- 0 Matriculated
- 0 Application Received
- 56 Total

▼ Designations by Application Status

- 31 In Progress
- 18 Received
- 0 On Hold
- 7 Complete
- 0 Manual
- 56 Total

WebAdMIT Features

- View “in progress” applications for recruitment measures
 - Fine-grained access control for users
 - Create lists for pulling specific populations
 - Perform batch actions
 - Utilize assignments (review sheets) with custom scoring models
 - Develop email templates for communications
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Application Deferrals

- Because summer/fall 2021 review will be completed in WebAdMIT, applications from prior semesters will not be deferred to summer/fall 2021.
- Applicants will need to apply again, but if they paid the application fee in ApplyTexas, they are eligible to receive a coupon code to cover the fee in TAMU GradCAS.
- These applicants should contact the Fees Office for more details.

Chinese Credentials

- Credentials from China will need to be verified by CHESSIC and CDGDC beginning w/students entering summer/fall 2021
- Transcripts by the China Higher Education Student Information and Career Center (CHESSIC) - <https://www.chsi.com.cn/en/>
- Diplomas by the China Academic Degrees and Graduate Education Development Center (CDGDC) - <http://www.chinadegrees.cn/en/>

Uploaded Transcripts

- Applicants who were admitted based on uploaded transcript(s) **MUST** submit the official, hard copy transcript(s) to the Office of Admissions **BEFORE** initial enrollment. Admitted applicants with uploaded transcript(s) **ONLY** have a registration hold until the official transcript(s) have been submitted.
- This does not mean the final transcript must be provided prior to initial enrollment, but *at minimum*, we must receive the official partial transcript(s) to replace the uploaded partial transcript(s).

Contact Information - Admissions



Liaison chart in the Graduate Advisor's Handbook

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