

## Application Process for Combined Degree Program

**FORMS 1,2, and 3 ARE INCLUDED IN THIS PACKET**

- Fill out the Combined Degree Interest form (**FORM 1**).
- Meet with your undergraduate adviser in PATH to make sure you are eligible for our program. Have this packet with you.
- When your eligibility has been determined, fill out the Combined Degree Program Plan (**FORM 2**). The PATH adviser will sign the form and you will keep it for your records.
- Complete the UF Combined Bachelor's and Master's Degree Request form (**FORM 3**).
- Meet with the Chair of your undergrad program to review your Statement of Goals and sign **FORM 3**.
- Go to Weimer 2014 (Jody) to sign the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and obtain the signature of Sr. Associate Dean, Dr. Treise on **FORM 3**.
- Go to the PATH office to obtain the signature of Associate Dean Michael Weigold on **FORM 3**. Return **FORM 3** to the GRADUATE DIVISION for submission to Toby Shorey.

### **STATEMENT OF GOALS Required—**

- 300 words describing your purpose for pursuing the combined degree
- Questions to guide you:
  - Why did you decide to pursue a combined degree?
  - What do you feel you will accomplish both during and after you have completed the combined degree?
  - What interests you about the given field of study?
  - Which master's program do you intend on applying to?
  - What are your career goals and how will this combined degree help you achieve them?

If you are interested in applying to the combined degree program, please fill out this **FORM 1** and meet with your undergraduate adviser to ensure your eligibility. Complete the Combined Degree Program Plan (**FORM 2**) with your undergraduate adviser. When you have obtained the signature of your undergraduate adviser, meet with the chair of the undergraduate department you are in.

**Applicant Information**

UFID	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
Major	College	Expected Graduation Date	

**MAMC Program Information. Choose Professional or Research and Theory.**

- Professional
- Research and Theory (Choose one from below.)
  - Advertising
  - International Comm
  - Journalism
  - Public Relations
  - Science Health Comm
  - Telecommunication
  - JD/MAMC joint degree

**I am committing to apply to the MAMC program and take the GRE after the first half of the combined degree program.**

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Undergraduate Adviser Only**

- Eligibility:
- Junior/senior standing
  - Minimum of 3.0 GPA
  - Minimum of 6 available professional elective credits
  - No excess charges

I hereby certify that the student is eligible according to the above requirements.

Undergraduate Adviser Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Graduate Division Only**

- Combined Degree Interest **FORM 1**
- Combined Degree Program Plan **FORM 2**
- UF Combined Bachelor's and Master's Degree Request **FORM 3**
- Statement of Goals
- Memo of Understanding

**Final Destination: Graduate Division**

Combined Degree Program Plan

Current Semester	Semester: _____	Semester: _____	Semester: _____
Course and Credit Hours	Course and Credit Hours	Course and Credit Hours	Course and Credit Hours
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Semester: _____	Semester: _____	Semester: _____	Semester: _____
Course and Credit Hours	Course and Credit Hours-	Course and Credit Hours	Course and Credit Hours
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Take the GRE by: \_\_\_\_\_

Apply to the MAMC program by: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of undergrad department Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Final Destination: Student**



## Additional Information:

- Take the GRE after you are halfway through the program.
  - Example: If you are taking four graduate level courses during your undergrad, then you must plan to take the GRE after your second course.
- Application Deadlines for Master's Program:
  - Fall term: April 1 for domestic students, January 30 for international students.
  - Spring term: (not all areas have spring admissions) September 15 for domestic students, July 15 for international students.
- Minimum requirements for admission into master's program:
  - Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university
  - GPA of 3.0 or better for overall undergraduate studies
  - GPA of 3.0 or better for all upper-division undergraduate work
  - Submit a statement of goals
  - Submit a current resume
  - Earn suitable scores on the General Test of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE)
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  - Submit three letters of recommendation
- Nervous for the GRE? No worries! Here are some tips:
  - Buy a GRE prep book and PRACTICE!
  - Google some high frequency GRE words
  - Memorize the math formulas you need to know for the quantitative section
  - Don't stress – just prepare!
- Questions about the combined degree? Visit <https://www.jou.ufl.edu/current-students/masters/academics/combined-degrees/>
- Questions about the Master's degree? Email [sglee@jou.ufl.edu](mailto:sglee@jou.ufl.edu) or visit <https://www.jou.ufl.edu/current-students/masters>

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