

Addendum to the Graduate Catalog 2021-22

1. **Changes to Transcript Submission Policy for domestic students only [Citizens and Permanent Residents]**

Effective Spring 2022 application process for admission to graduate programs, students can upload a copy of the unofficial transcript[s] for consideration. We encourage students to arrange for the submission of original transcripts as soon as possible. If admitted, students will be required to submit the original transcripts within 45 days of the start of the semester [not special session]. Official transcripts will only be received electronically or in a sealed envelope from the student's previous Institution [Students can obtain the sealed envelope from their institution and mail it or drop it off in the Graduate School's office]. CSU students need not submit original transcripts. If students don't submit the original transcripts in the prescribed time, a registration hold will be placed on the student's account.

There is no change of policy for International Students.

2. **International Student Financial documents:** International students are required to submit a certified bank statement along with the application. No other financial documents are needed.
3. **Foreign Credential Evaluations:** The following evaluation agencies have been added to the list:

Current Evaluations:

World Educational Services

Educational Credential Evaluation

New Evaluations Added:

Educational Perspective

Josef Silny & Associates, Inc.

Foreign Academic Credentials Service

4. English Language Proficiency: The following additional English language proficiency test scores will be accepted:

Currently accepted scores

TOEFL = 69 or above

IELTS = 6.0 or above

Additional Scores added:

TOEFL Essential = 8 or above

Duolingo = 95 or above

Pearson = 51 or above

5. Test Scores: GRE/GMAT test scores are waived by the Board of Trustees for the academic year 2021-22.