University of Massa	chusetts Lowell
Application for	Undergraduate Admissions

Please type or print application. Complete all pages and return with your application fee to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions.

Date of Application	
	month / day / year
Application fee: \$60	

Biographical Information

Name				
Last/Family	First	Middle F	Previous Name/s (if app	olicable)
Preferred Name				_
Gender M F Date of Birth	/ / nonth day	year		
Social Security # or Individual Taxpayer Iden	tification			_
US Federal Law requires that we request your Social Sec return (1098-T). The 1098-T is used to determine your el or ITIN number readily available, you may use form W-95	igibility for federal educa	tion tax credits when filli		
Citizenship I am a citizen of the United S I am a permanent resident o I am an international applicar	f the U.S., holding		n card.	
Alien Registration Number	Date Is	ssued	Date I	Expired
(Enclose copies of both sides of Alien Registration	Card.)			
International Student F Visa J Visa Country of Citizens				-
Optional: Ethnicity 1) Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes, I am 2) Please check one or more of the following Asian White American Indian or Alaskan Native Mult	g groups in which y	You identify yourself	f as a member?	Black or African American
Military Status No Yes, please che Currently Serving on active duty, U.S. Military, U Branch Start date (month/yea Previously Served, Veteran of U.S. armed forces Branch Start date (month/yea Current Dependent	.S. Reserves or National ar) Er , U.S. Reserves or Natio	Guard nd Date (month/year) nnal Guard		
Permanent address				_
street city (International Students should list foreign address here.)	state	country of citizens	ship zip+4 digits	
Mailing address	state	country of citizens	ship zip+4 digits	-
Home phone: ()	Mobile pho	one: ()		
Email address				
Parent email address				
3 Enrollment Plans				
•	er year	🗌 January	year	
Intended Major				
Please choose your major. Be as specific a	as possible, includin	g major and conce	ntration if applicat	ble.

For example: "Music, Music Performance, Voice" and "Biology, Bioinformatics"

1st choice ___

2nd choice

You will find a list of our majors at uml.edu/Academics/undergraduate-programs

6 Admission Type

First-year

Non-Traditional First-year (3 years since high school graduation)
Mass Transfer (Massachusetts Community College)
UMass Intercampus Transfer (college-level credits taken at another UMass campus)

_____ Phone No: ____

Non-Matriculating (Please check one of the following)

☐ Visiting (matriculated at another college)

Visiting (has obtained a bachelor's degree)

6 Academic History

Secondary School Information

High School(s) Attended	City/State	Dates of Attendance	Graduation Year

Name of Guidance Counselor: ____

CEEB Number of Most Recent High School:	_ Guidance email:
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Check here if you have a GED: [] (GED applicants must submit high school transcripts.)

College Information:

Transfer College Report: A Transfer College Report must be completed for all colleges or universities you have attended.

(Transfer students must list all previous college enrollments, whether or not transfer credit is desired. Please list chronologically, beginning with current or most recently attended.)

College/University	City/State	# of Credits	Beginning Date	Ending Date	Degree Earned

Test Option and Dates Please circle SAT or ACT and enter the date(s) of test(s). (First-year applicants only.)

Required for the No Test Option:

Please select three questions below to answer, your response should be no more than 200 words.

- 1. Education happens inside and outside the classroom. Describe how an activity or community you are involved in (a workplace, a community-based organization, a church group, etc.) has helped shape your character.
- 2. Describe an instance in your academic career where you have successfully engaged with support services to make a meaningful difference in your life.
- 3. What specific characteristics make a leader effective? Please share with us how you are a leader in your home, school, or community.
- 4. What is it about UMass Lowell that compelled you to apply for admission and how do you see yourself being a contributing member to our campus community?
- 5. Overcoming hardship can build strength of character, resilience, and self-confidence. Please describe an instance in your personal life where you have overcome some adversity and how that experience has instilled these qualities in you.
- 6. Describe your experience, motivation, or character traits that will allow you to be a successful student at UMass Lowell.

SAT / ACT	SAT / ACT		SAT / ACT	
Date of Test	Date of Test		Date of Test	
Month / Year		Month / Year		Month/ Year
TOEFL (Test of English as a For	reign Language)			
Date of Test	Date of Test			
Month / Year		Month / Year		
ELPT (English Language Placen	nent Test)			
Date of Test	Date of Test			
Month / Year		Month / Year		

8 Supporting Materials Required FOR FIRST-YEAR APPLICANTS

Letter of Recommendation

One letter of recommendation is required for first-year applicants. This is not required for transfers. You should ask someone who is familiar with your abilities and experience (such as a teacher, guidance counselor, coach, employer, etc.) to complete the form at the end of this booklet. The letter of recommendation should be sent to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions along with your application.

Essay

On a separate sheet of paper, prepare a one-to-two page essay (about 500 words) answering one of the following questions:

- 1. What do you do in your spare time?
- 2. In your opinion, what is the greatest challenge your generation will face? What ideas do you have for dealing with this issue?
- 3. If you had to formulate the perfect admissions essay question, what would it be and how would you answer it?
- 4. Topic of your choice

9 Background Information Required

a. Have you ever been found responsible for a disciplinary violation at an educational institution you have attended from 9th grade (or the international equivalent) forward, whether related to academic misconduct or behavioral misconduct, that resulted in your probation, suspension, removal, dismissal, or expulsion for the institution? ____Yes ____No

b. Have you ever been convicted of a felony or other crime? ____Yes ____No

(Note: You are not required to answer "yes" to the criminal history question if the criminal adjudication or conviction: (1) has been expunged, sealed, annulled, pardoned, destroyed, erased, impounded, or otherwise ordered by a court to be kept confidential; (2) was a first conviction for misdemeanor drunkenness, simple assault, speeding, minor traffic violations, or disturbance of the peace; or (3) any conviction of a misdemeanor where the conviction occurred more than five years prior to the date of this application, unless you were sentenced to imprisonment upon conviction of the misdemeanor, or you have been convicted of another criminal offense within the five-year period.)

If you answered "yes" to either or both questions, please submit a separate sheet that gives the approximate date of each incident and explains the circumstances. Mail this directly to the Director of Admissions at the Office of Undergraduate Admissions and mark the envelope CONFIDENTIAL. We will carefully review the circumstances surrounding your situation. A "yes" answer does NOT necessarily disqualify you for consideration for admission to the University of Massachusetts.

OGeneral Information (None of your answers in this section will affect your admission decision.)

a. Are you interested in living in a campus residence hall?_____Yes _____No

b. Has either of your parents earned an:

Associate's degree	Yes	No	Year	Institution
Bachelor's degree	Yes	No	Year	Institution
Master's degree	Yes	No	Year	Institution
Doctoral degree	Yes	No	Year	Institution

c. Are there any circumstances you would like us to know about as we review your application? For example, these might include economic, educational, family-related, environmental or health-related challenges you have had to overcome. Yes___ No___

If yes, please explain the special circumstance and submit a separate piece of paper.

1 Tuition Residency Statement

Please read about Tuition Classification at uml.edu/residency.

Concealment of facts or untruthful statements may cause you to be subject to denial of admission and/or dismissal from the University of Massachusetts Lowell.

All applicants must complete and sign (under penalties of perjury) the appropriate section.

Residency:

I am at least 18 years of age and have continuously resided in MA for the 12 consecutive months prior to the start of enrollment.

I am under age 18 and my parent/guardian has continuously resided in MA for the 12 consecutive months prior to the start of enrollment.

or

My spouse has continuously resided in MA for the 12 consecutive months prior to the start of enrollment.

I am not a Massachusetts resident.

B Signature

The University of Massachusetts Lowell reserves the right to withdraw without notice any application not completed and received by the deadline. All materials submitted become the property of the University.

 I certify that all information submitted in the admission process—including this application and any other supporting materials—is my own work, factually true, and honestly presented, and that these documents will become the property of the university and will not be returned to me. I understand that I may be subject to a range of possible disciplinary actions, including admission revocation, expulsion, or revocation of course credit, grades, and degree should the information I have certified be false.*

I acknowledge that the fee associated with this application is a non-refundable payment.

- I agree to notify the university should there be any change to the information requested in this application, including disciplinary history.
- I understand that once my application has been submitted it may not be altered in any way; I will need to contact the university directly if I wish to provide additional information.
- I acknowledge that I have reviewed the application instructions for the university receiving this application. I understand that all offers of admission are conditional, pending receipt of final transcripts showing work comparable in quality to that upon which the offer was based, as well as honorable dismissal from the school.*

Print Name	Signature of applicant	Date
Parent's/Legal Guardian's Signature*		Date

*Signature is required for applicants under the age of 18 years.

Recommendation Form

Applicant will complete the top section of this form. Give all copies to referee. This form becomes the property of the University of Massachusetts Lowell.

Name of Applicant	Date				
	Last	First	Middle		
Proposed Undergraduate Major					
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Under the provisions of the Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act of 1974, I waive my right of access to this letter of recommendation. The University of Massachusetts Lowell may consider it confidential.

Signature of Applicant (optional) ___

If student has signed the above waiver, we assure the referee that this form will be held in strictest confidence. Please comment on the applicant's character and ability to carry on undergraduate study. Compare the applicant to other students you have known. You may write a separate letter (attach it to this form). Please put the completed form into an envelope, seal it, sign it and return it directly to the applicant or the university.

WOULD NOT _____ RECOMMEND THE CANDIDATE WITH ____ WITHOUT ____ RESERVATION. I WOULD 🗌

Characteristic	Top 1 or 2 %	Upper 10% but not top 1 or 2%	Upper 25% but not upper 10%	Upper half, but not upper 25%	Lower half	No basis for judgement
Oral Expression						
Emotional Maturity						
Scholastic Ability						
Imagination & Probable Creativity						
Perseverance						
Potential for success in baccalaureate program						

Name		Signature	
	Please Print or Type		Please Sign Here
Institution		Position	
Phone			
Email address		Website (if any)	
Street			
City		State	Zip



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