

**LINCOLN MEMORIAL UNIVERSITY
 MASTER OF EDUCATION PROGRAM
 APPLICATION FOR GRADUATE EDUCATION STUDIES
Counseling Program**

A non-refundable application fee of **\$50** must accompany all applications for Graduate Education Studies. Application, fee, and transcripts must be returned to: *Lincoln Memorial University - Cedar Bluff, Counseling and Guidance Program, 421 Park 40 North Blvd., Knoxville, TN 37923.*

Please print or type.

Name _____ **SS#** _____
 Last First Maiden/Middle

Mailing Address _____
 Street

_____ **Sex: Male** _____ **Female** _____
 City State Zip

Date of Birth _____ **Are you a US Citizen?** ___ Yes ___ No
If not, country of citizenship _____
Will you need a student visa to attend ___ Yes ___ No

Telephone Number _____ **Race:** _____
 (area code/number) Work Home *Voluntary - reporting purposes only*

E-Mail Address _____

When do you plan to enter Lincoln Memorial University?

Fall Semester _____ **Exceptions for a desired Spring or Summer start time may be**
 ___ Aug ___ Yr. **made on a case-by-case basis, but no guarantee is made that requested**
courses will be available every semester to those outside of a cohort group.

Proposed area of emphasis (check one): _____ **Counseling (Mental Health Counselor)**
 _____ **Counseling (PreK-12 School Counselor)**

Class site: Harrogate _____ **Cedar Bluff** _____

List all colleges or universities attended (include LMU). The applicant must request that two official transcripts from each school attended be sent directly to the Graduate Office.

Name of Institution	Location	Dates Attended	Major Area	Degree

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Three Graduate Education Program Recommendation Forms are required. The following persons will forward a Recommendation Form to the Graduate Education Office.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

PROFESSIONAL STATEMENT

Please prepare a professional statement addressing points 1-4 on the outline below. The content and writing style will provide the college with important information about you and your understanding of the goals and values of the counseling and guidance profession. Please type double-space on 8 ½ x 11 inch paper.

1. **Motivation for counseling and guidance and a career in the profession.** Explain why you want to pursue counseling and guidance education, any particular reason for applying to this college, and your professional interests and career goals.
2. **Perspectives on Diversity.** Please share your perspectives, experience and future plans related to working with diverse client populations and issues.
3. **Capacities for professional counseling and guidance education.** Comment on the nature and circumstance of any particular strengths and/or problems, including emotional and/or social, which might serve to enhance or limit your study.
4. **Limitations.** Please describe any personal limitations, e.g., time availability, lack of experience or other situational problems which might affect your success in the rigorous intellectual, emotional, and physical demands of graduate study.

The Application for Graduate Education Studies allows students to enroll in graduate course work. Before the completion of nine (9) semester hours of graduate course work, the student must make application for admission to the graduate education degree program by completing the Application for Degree Candidacy and other Level II requirements. Contact the Graduate Office for additional information.

I hereby certify that the information given on this application is complete and accurate.

Signature

Date

APPROVED:

Dean, School of Education

Date