Core Requirements for Admission to ERHS Graduate Programs

1. Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution
2. A copy of the applicant's resume or curriculum vitae
3. Minimum GPA of 3.0/4.0 in all prior college-level work for regular admission
4. Graduate Record Exam (GRE) scores in the general examination (verbal, quantitative and analytical writing) within 5 years
5. One official transcript from all undergraduate and graduate institutions attended (Note: CSU transcripts are not required)
6. Written statement of background, interests, motivation and goals
7. Three letters of recommendation from academic or professional sources

International students only

8. TOEFL/IELTS SCORES

The minimum TOEFL score for unconditional admission is 213 (computer based); 550 (paper based); or 80 (internet based)

The minimum IELTS score for unconditional admission without condition is 6.5

Additional Toxicology Requirements:

Although not required, course work in Bio-Chemistry, Organic Chemistry and Physiology is highly recommended

Please contact Dr. Marie Legare before submitting your application to the Toxicology Ph.D. Graduate program for availability of positions within this program.
Program Course List

Core Courses:

- ERHS 502  Fundamentals of Toxicology (3)
- ERHS 601  Metabolism and Distribution of Toxic Agents (3)
- ERHS 602  Toxicological Mechanisms (3)
- ERHS 603  Toxicological Pathology (3)

Departmental Electives:

A. At least one course must be selected from the following options:

- ERHS 520  Environmental and Occupational Health Issues (3)
- ERHS 566  Clinical and Forensic Toxicology (3)
- ERHS 568  Pharmaceutical and Regulatory Toxicology (3)

B. At least two courses must be selected from the following options:

- ERHS 448  Environmental Contaminants: Exposure and Fate (3)
- ERHS 547  Equipment and Instrumentation (3)
- ERHS 549  Environmental Health Risk Assessment (3)
- ERHS 567  Cellular and Molecular Toxicology Techniques (3)
- ERHS 733  Environmental Carcinogenesis (3)

Course(s) from Departmental Electives category A not used to fulfill that requirement may be counted toward the category B requirement.

Other Requirements:

- Seminar (1)
  - Select one credit of a seminar course. Eligible seminar courses include all approved course listings in seminar format.
- Out of Department Requirement (3)
  - Three credit minimum of 500-level or above. Eligible courses determined by advisor and graduate committee.
- Electives (7)
  - No more than a total of four (4) credits in Independent Study, Group Study, Research and Internship course numbers may be included.

Program Total: 32 Credits

Students must also pass a required comprehensive examination.