

**Graduate Application Form**  
**Department of Human Development and**  
**Family Science**  
**The University of Georgia**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_  
Program to which you are applying: M.S. \_\_\_\_\_ M.S. (Child Life emphasis) \_\_\_\_\_  
Ph.D. (post master's) \_\_\_\_\_ Ph.D. (post-baccalaureate) \_\_\_\_\_ Ph.D. (MFT emphasis, post master's only) \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Current Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
After March 1st \_\_\_\_\_ City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials sent to The Graduate School**

**Date sent/completed**

\_\_\_\_\_ Graduate School Application completed online: <https://www.applyweb.com/apply/ugagrad/>  
\_\_\_\_\_ A non-refundable \$75.00 application fee (\$100 for international applicants)  
\_\_\_\_\_ Two official transcripts from every institution at which credit was earned  
\_\_\_\_\_ Two official copies of GRE scores (also TOEFFL or IELTS scores for international applicants)  
\_\_\_\_\_ Three letters of recommendation completed online using the required form  
\_\_\_\_\_ Certificate of Finances (COF) form (ONLY for international students)

**Materials sent to the Department**

\_\_\_\_\_ This completed form  
\_\_\_\_\_ Departmental Application  
\_\_\_\_\_ Statement of Professional Goals  
\_\_\_\_\_ Unofficial Transcripts from each institution at which you earned credit  
\_\_\_\_\_ Copy of GRE Scores (as well as TOEFFL or IELTS for international applicants)  
\_\_\_\_\_ Copy of letters of recommendation sent to the department by the letter writers  
\_\_\_\_\_ Assistantship form (if you would like to be considered for an assistantship)

**Additional Materials only for Applicants to the Ph.D. Program with an emphasis in MFT**

**Date sent/completed**

\_\_\_\_\_ Clinical Experience Form

\_\_\_\_\_ Autobiographical Statement

### Departmental Application

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Phone \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_

### Undergraduate Education

Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Received: \_\_\_\_\_

### Previous Graduate Education

Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Major \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Received: \_\_\_\_\_

### GRE Scores

Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Quantitative \_\_\_\_\_ Writing \_\_\_\_\_ Date taken \_\_\_\_\_

Verbal \_\_\_\_\_ Quantitative \_\_\_\_\_ Writing \_\_\_\_\_ Date taken \_\_\_\_\_

TOEFL or IELTS Score \_\_\_\_\_ (International Applicants Only)

### Names of 3 individuals writing letters of recommendation:

1.

2.

3.

### **Statement of Professional Goals**

This statement is an important part of your application for admission to any graduate program in the Department of Human Development and Family Science. Be sure to include your goals for graduate study, how your goals relate to what you plan to do following graduation, why you want to study in this department, and how your interests are related to the research of one or more current departmental faculty members. **You may include relevant prior experiences which have influenced your decision to attend graduate school and contributed to your competencies. Limit to no more than 3 pages.**

## Graduate Assistantship Application

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_

**Honors, Awards, or Scholarships** (list the name of the honor, award, or scholarship, the organization conferring it, and the date awarded)

Name	Organization	Date
1.		
2.		
3.		

**Previous Research Experience** (list the job title/role you played, your primary tasks, and the school or organization at which you worked as a project manager, research assistant, lab assistant, etc., and date)

Title/Role	Primary Tasks	School /Organization	Date
1.			
2.			
3.			

**Previous Teaching Experience** (list the job title/role you played, the course name, and the school at which you taught or served as a teaching assistant, and date)

Title/Role	Course	School	Date
1.			
2.			
3.			

**Previous Outreach or Applied Program Implementation Experience** (list the job title/role you played, a brief description of the program, name of the organization, and the date)

Title/Role	Program Description	Organization	Date
1.			
2.			
3.			

**Previous Volunteer or Other Relevant Experiences** (you may list any volunteer as well as other professional or leadership experiences you believe are relevant to graduate study in Human Development and Family Science).

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

**GRADUATE RECRUITMENT OPPORTUNITIES (GRO) ASSISTANTSHIP:**

The Graduate School's Office of Recruitment and Retention has developed a program called the Graduate Recruitment Opportunity (GRO) Assistantship. This Program is designed to be inclusive such that any entering graduate student who is considered a first generation college graduate, educationally or economically disadvantaged, or has some aspects of a uniquely diverse background to add to their discipline of study may be nominated from graduate programs at The University of Georgia. If your application is approved, do you wish to be considered for this Assistantship?

\_\_\_\_\_No

\_\_\_\_\_Yes, see next paragraph

To be considered for this assistantship you must be a US citizen or permanent resident. Additionally, you must submit a 1 to 2 page typed essay explaining (1) how you qualify for the assistantship, (2) how you can contribute to the field of child and family development, and (3) how the assistantship will help you. You may submit this as supplementary information sent to the department. The document should be titled: Graduate Recruitment Opportunities (GRO) Assistantship Application

All Assistantship applicants must agree to the following statement:

If I accept a Graduate School Assistantship at The University of Georgia, I agree to abide by all policies and regulations which apply to the assistantship.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Clinical Experiences

**(This form is to be filled out ONLY by applicants to the doctoral program with MFT emphasis)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have not worked in any human service setting, please write "none" on the line under Agency where clinical work was done. If you have experience at more than one setting, please submit a completed form for each clinical site.

Agency where clinical work was done:

Agency Address:

Phone number:

Supervisor's name:

Phone Number:

Email:

FAX number:

Is this supervisor an AAMFT approved supervisor?      Yes      No

Supervisor's qualifications (credentials, licenses, etc):

Hours of client contact supervised by this supervisor:

Duties performed at this agency:

## **Autobiographical Statement**

**(This form is to be filled out ONLY by applicants to the doctoral program with MFT emphasis)**

Applicants to the MFT Program are required to submit an autobiographical statement that is separate from the Statement of Professional goals required in the departmental application by all applicants. The autobiographical statement should be 1200-1500 words and should address the following:

1. What factors have influenced your development and your decision to become a marriage and family therapist?
2. What are your professional goals upon completing your degree?
3. What are your strengths that will help you achieve your professional goals?
4. What are your areas of growth in achieving your professional goals?
5. Describe your experience working with individuals, couples, and families.
6. Describe previous training and coursework in counseling or family therapy.
7. Describe your background, experience and coursework in research.