

## PhD Admission Requirements

1. All general regulations of the Faculty of Graduate Studies are applicable.
2. Applicants must have a completed baccalaureate degree in nursing from a recognized university.
3. Applicants must have a completed Master's degree in nursing or other relevant discipline from a recognized university.
4. Applicants must have current registration in a Canadian jurisdiction with no practice restrictions. Must be registered with the College of Nurses of Ontario prior to registration for thesis credits.
5. Applicants must have a minimum 77% (B+) average in their Master's program.
6. Three confidential reports must be completed by academic/professional referees, with at least one from an academic who has taught the applicant and one from a recent employment supervisor.
7. Curriculum Vitae (CV).
8. A statement of research interest and a career plan.
9. Two examples of independent scholarly work (e.g., publications, research reports, course assignments).
10. Official transcripts of all undergraduate and graduate work from all colleges or universities attended.
11. For international students, successful completion of an English Language Proficiency Exam may be required. IELTS—minimum score: 7.0 or Canadian English Language Benchmark Assessment for Nurses (CELBAN): Minimum scores: Writing - 7, Speaking - 8, Listening - 10, Reading - 8.
12. Applications for admission with required documents must be submitted by January 15<sup>th</sup>.
13. An interview may be required.