Application for Admission

Master's Degree Program

in Water Resource Management
California State University, Fresno

If you have not yet completed the online university application, go to www.calstate.edu (the program code is 49053) and apply to the university before submitting this program application.

Personal Information

Last Name: **First Name:**   **Middle Name:**

Semester of Admission - Spring   Admission Year - 2024

Application Deadline: December 1, 2023

Street
Address: Telephone:

City: Mobile
                                                  Telephone:

State/
Province: Email:

Postal (ZIP)
Code:

Country:

Educational Information

Institution	Degree	Major	Year	Overall GPA	Science GPA

Prerequisite Completion

Students are required to demonstrate proficiency in Geographic Information Systems (GIS). This prerequisite can be satisfied by a recent record of baccalaureate GIS classes, or technical classes offered through ESRI or other GIS software companies. The Program Coordinator will evaluate your experience and preparation to determine if you have satisfied the prerequisite. You will be contacted by the Program Coordinator with further information once you have submitted your application and been admitted to the program.

GIS Academic or Technical Classes	Dates	Software Version

Relevant Work Experience in GIS

Please describe any GIS experience that you have participated in at the professional level. Your description will serve as a measure of the level of your understanding of the software and your skill set for applying your GIS knowledge.

Please list all of your work experience that is relevant to your intended career goals in Water Resource Management. Also, please attach a <u>Curriculum Vita/Resume</u> detailing your additional education and related work experience applicable to this program.

Agency/Company	Duties	Dates

Letter of Recommendation

The program requires one letter of recommendation from an individual who is able to comment on your professional abilities, including your ability to perform well with graduate work, your personal character, and the likelihood that you will do well in the program. List the individual from whom we should expect to see a letter written on your behalf.
The letter should be e-mailed directly from the recommender to the Water Resource Management program with "WRM letter of recommendation for *students-name*" in the subject line. The recommender should send it to Wendy Larson (wlarson@csufresno.edu).

Name	**Agency/Relationship**	**Telephone / Email**

Personal Statements

Concisely answer the following questions in the space provided to you (please confine your answers to writing on this form). Failure to answer any question or any part of a question may be used as grounds to dismiss your application.

Why are you applying to the Fresno State Master's Degree Program in Water Resource Management? What makes the program attractive?

What aspect of Water Resource Management interests you most (e.g. climatology, hydrology, water use, political policy, management)? Explain why.

The delivery of the Water Resource Management program is all online. The success of the Water Resource Management program will involve forming self-supporting student cohorts as the student advances through the program. Describe your abilities to work within groups, and focus on any experiences where the groups are dispersed.

Documentation Checklist

Your application to the Water Resource Management Program is only complete when you are able to check each of the following:

☐   <u>All students</u>: Complete the Cal State Apply Online Application (the program code is 49053). Remember, we cannot evaluate your other application materials without the completion of an online application.

☐   <u>All students</u>: Complete the Master's Degree Program Application for Admission (this form, which is separate from Cal State Apply), and return it to the program.

☐   <u>All students</u>: Attach a <u>Curriculum Vita/Resume </u>detailing your additional education and related work experience applicable to this program.

☐   <u>All students:</u> Submit one letter of recommendation from an individual who is able to comment on your professional abilities, including your ability to perform well with graduate work, your personal character, and the likelihood that you will do well in your chosen career path. Please have the letter e-mailed directly from the recommender with "WRM letter of recommendation for *students-name*" in the subject line. The recommender should send it to Wendy Larson (wlarson@csufresno.edu).