



BLENDED PROGRAM STUDENT APPLICATION

Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science in Geography to Master of Arts in Geography

Semester & Year:

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last: First: MI:

Other Names (as may appear on transcripts):

Student ID#:

Email: Phone:

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Major(s): Minor(s):
Overall GPA: GPA in Major(s):
Total units completed: Total upper-division discipline-specific units completed:

COURSE COMPLETION INFORMATION

Course	Univ/College Completed	Semester & Year	Course Number & Name	Grade
GEOG 340				
GEOG 360				
GEOG 380				
BS ONLY GEOG 300				

*You may apply without completing the prerequisites. If no grade received yet, type: IP (in progress). Must be taken @ 5xx level when available.

BLENDED PROGRAM APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Submit the following to Gary.Hytrek@csulb.edu or cla-geo-grad-advisor@csulb.edu by Nov 1 for Spring consideration or June 1 for Fall consideration.

- Program Application (this form).
- Unofficial Transcripts from CSULB and all universities/colleges where major-specific prerequisite courses were completed.
- Current Resume/CV.
- Statement of Purpose: (approx. 2 pages), in which you address: your research interests in Geography; your professional or personal goals in seeking a graduate degree; how your research interests relate to our core strengths and faculty expertise; and any special skills you have which you hope to build on in graduate studies.
- Writing sample: please submit a paper, report, or mapping project that you feel best showcases your research and writing abilities and potential. Links to other material, if any, may be embedded in your document.
- Two Letters of Reference: Names & Email addresses of two recommending CSULB faculty members.

Background: The blended program is intended to streamline access to our MA degree program for qualified and promising undergraduates. A maximum of 12 units may be double-counted as part of the BA degree and the MA degree. These courses must be taken at the 500-level for those that are cross-listed as 400/500-level courses. Excluded courses include all GEOG 600-level courses. GEOG 596 may be included as an elective with senior status and Graduate Advisor Consent.

Review Process: Within 30 calendar days of the application deadline, no fewer than two faculty from the Master's Program will review applications, render decisions, notify the applicants, and when applicable, inform Enrollment Services via the Advisor Request System.