

## **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATE PROGRAMS/CERTIFICATES**

### **REGULAR ADMISSION:**

A student has a conferred bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited college or university recognized by Missouri Southern State University, AND has an undergraduate cumulative GPA of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale; OR a combined score of 300 on the verbal and quantitative sections of the Graduate Records Examination or minimum score on the GMAT (Business students only) of 450; AND meets specific departmental admission requirements for the program/certificate.

### **PROVISIONAL ADMISSION:**

A student who holds a bachelor's degree but does not meet course prerequisites for a specific departmental program/certificate or otherwise approximates but does not meet regular admissions requirements; OR is a senior seeking admission for a subsequent semester. Provisional admission will be granted for up to two consecutive semesters. Regular admission will be granted upon departmental approval.

### **GRADUATE READMISSION POLICY:**

The University requires students who have not been enrolled for one regular term (spring or fall) to apply to be readmitted to the program through the Office of Admissions to enroll in future courses if they are still within the degree completion time established by the graduate program. Students seeking readmission to the program should contact the Office of Admissions for guidance on the readmission process.

Students who did not complete the program or who cannot complete the program within the degree completion time outlined by the graduate program will not be readmitted under this policy. Students will need to work with the appropriate Graduate Coordinator to determine an appropriate path forward.

This Graduate Readmission Policy does not apply to students who have been dismissed from a Graduate program. Students who have been dismissed from a graduate program for plagiarism, academic integrity, or other violations constituting program dismissal, will not be eligible to apply for admission to any graduate program for a period of three years.