

# MSc(OT) Supplementary Application Form 2020-21

Completion of the form online is mandatory. No paper copies will be accepted.

#### Please note:

- You will need a Banner number to complete the MSc(OT) Supplementary application. If you do not already have one, please register with Dalhousie Faculty of Graduate Studies.
- See below for the information you should gather in advance of completing the online application. Please see the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) for further explanations

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### Section 1: Identification and Application History

- First Name, Middle Name (optional), Last Name
- Dalhousie Banner Number
- Corresponding Email
- Have you applied to our program before? If yes, what year(s)

### Section 2: Residency Status

Please note that your province of residence corresponds with where you would apply for a government student loan. For further information please refer to the residency guidelines on the School of Occupational Therapy website.

Permanent Residency and Home Address

- Atlantic Canadian Permanent Home Address
- Non-Atlantic Canadian Permanent Address
- International Permanent Address

### Section 3: Pre-requisite Course Information

Please record the pre-requisite courses you would like to have considered as meeting the MSc(OT) pre-requisite requirements – either completed or in progress. Please include the corresponding course numbers, institutions and year completed/anticipated from **your submitted transcript(s).** Applicants are required to have a total of six credit hours: 3 credit hours in Human Anatomy and 3 credit hours in Human Physiology. A minimum GPA of 3.0 is required in the prerequisite courses for eligibility.



# Section 4: Current Degree, Previous Degree(s) and Course Upgrade Information

- A 4-year Bachelor's degree is a minimum requirement (completed prior to June 15, 2020).
- All completed course/degree transcripts must be received at the School of Occupational Therapy on or before January 31, 2020.
- Transcripts for courses/degrees in-progress must be received by the School of Occupational Therapy on or before June 15, 2020.
- UPGRADING: As per DAL's Faculty of Graduate Studies, for the purpose of upgrading, applicants may take a maximum of five courses at the 3rd/4th year level to be substituted with **a** maximum of five courses.

# Section 5: Equitable Admissions Information

 Aligned with the Dalhousie University Faculty of Health Equitable Admissions Policy, the School of Occupational Therapy is committed to improving the representation of Aboriginal/Indigenous ancestry (especially Mi'kmaq), members of racialized groups, persons of African descent (especially African Nova Scotians), Acadians, persons with dis/Abilities, and persons belonging to sexual orientation and/or gender identity (SOGI) minority groups in the program. Applicants from these groups who meet the minimum application requirements will be given preference in the admission review process. If you belong to one of these groups and wish to take advantage of this policy, you may voluntarily provide this information about yourself. Please note that students who will require accommodations for a disability are required to register with the Dalhousie University Student Accessibility Centre.

### Section 6: Personal Statement

• What experiences and/or qualities make you well-suited to occupational therapy? Please note the personal statement is limited to 1500 characters.

Please <u>type your response directly into the form</u> (or copy from a text editor). Do not cut and paste from a word processing file as it does not us the same character format count.

### Section 7: Requirement and Expectations of Students admitted to the MSc(OT) program

• Review, understand and agree that if I am accepted into this program, I will be expected to fulfill these requirements and meet these expectations.

### Section 8: Criminal Records Check

• Review and understand that some professional regulatory bodies may require a satisfactory record check as a condition of professional licensure.