About the Program

The MBS is a two-year residential program that integrates interdisciplinary instruction in translational science, business, and regulatory affairs. The program emphasizes industry experiences throughout the curriculum, both within courses and directly.

Year 1
- Shared experience through group collaborations solving real problems facing industry
- Professional development course including skills workshops and industry talks
- Student chosen electives to focus on a particular field of interest

Summer
- Real-world experience during required industry internship
- Launching point into future careers

Year 2
- Focused studies through one of five career-oriented concentrations
  1. Bioprocessing
  2. Biotech Management
  3. Clinical and Regulatory Affairs
  4. Medical Devices and Diagnostics
  5. Pharmaceutical Discovery and Development
- Industry experience through the Team Master’s Project

HENRY E. RIGGS SCHOOL OF APPLIED LIFE SCIENCES

Master of Business and Science
MBS

KGI’s two-year MBS program prepares graduates for exciting careers in the bioscience industries. The program integrates graduate level courses in science and bioscience management. Students have opportunities to work with biotech, pharmaceutical, and healthcare companies, preparing them for influential careers and leadership positions in industry.
What can I do with this degree?

We measure the success of our program by the success of our alumni, and we are proud to share our record of achievement.

- Over 90% of alumni placed in industry within 6 months of graduation
- Over 70% of graduates earn their first job through a direct KGI connection
- Average salary over 3+ years, post graduation, is over $150,000

TOP FUNCTIONAL AREAS FOR KGI GRADUATES*

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*Some alumni work in more than one functional area

How to Apply

Dates and Deadlines

Start Terms: Fall

Application Deadline: December 15 (priority), rolling admissions thereafter

Application Requirements

An online application form is required that contains questions about your personal and educational background. Additional requirements can be submitted along with your online application or separately:

- Personal Statement
- Resume
- Letter of Recommendation
- Transcripts
- Standardized Test Scores (GRE, MCAT, or GMAT)
- English Language Proficiency (TOEFL, PTE, IELTS, iTEP)
- $75 non-refundable application fee

Admission Interviews: A phone, Skype, or on-campus interview is a requirement for admission. The Office of Admissions schedules individual interviews after an application is complete.

Application Review: The Admissions Committee is made up of faculty and senior administrators who will thoroughly and conscientiously review each application.

Admitted Students: Admitted students are required to submit a $400 non-refundable enrollment fee to hold their spot in the program.

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