



# GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN THE SCHOOL OF ARTS & SCIENCES

**K**NOWN FOR ITS ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE and extraordinary faculty, Hunter College has a long-standing commitment to graduate education. Graduate courses were introduced at Hunter College in September 1921. Most departments of the school offer graduate programs leading to MA, MS, and MFA degrees. Many departments offer PhD degrees through the Graduate School and University Center of the City University of New York.

Graduate programs at Hunter College prepare students for careers in applied fields, research, scholarship, creative work and teaching. Hunter College provides graduate students with fully equipped laboratories, computer and media facilities, libraries and recreational facilities.

**Departments offering master's degrees or doctoral-level coursework include:**

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| ANTHROPOLOGY                   | HISTORY                    |
| ART                            | MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS |
| BIOCHEMISTRY                   | MUSIC                      |
| BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES            | PHYSICS AND ASTRONOMY      |
| CHEMISTRY                      | PSYCHOLOGY                 |
| CLASSICAL AND ORIENTAL STUDIES | ROMANCE LANGUAGES          |
| ECONOMICS                      | SOCIOLOGY                  |
| ENGLISH                        | THEATRE                    |
| FILM AND MEDIA STUDIES         | URBAN AFFAIRS AND PLANNING |
| GEOGRAPHY                      |                            |

Some of these departments include a number of discrete programs, and in other departments there are various concentrations. For example, the Department of Romance Languages offers master's degrees in French, Italian, and Spanish. In addition to its MA in English, the Department of English also offers an MFA in creative writing. The Department of Geography offers graduate courses in

Geographic Information Systems through a post-baccalaureate certificate program. Many of Hunter's master's-level graduate programs work closely with the School of Education to prepare future teachers. These include the programs in biological sciences, chemistry, classics (Latin education), English, geography, history, mathematics and statistics, music, physics, and Romance languages. In addition, there are joint-degree programs with several other units of the City University of New York, such as that between the Department of Urban Affairs and Planning and John Jay College. There are also opportunities for non-degree advanced study.

All applicants for matriculant admission must satisfy the college's general graduate admission requirements unless otherwise specified by a department.

Prospective students apply to the program of their choice through the college's Office of Admissions 695 Park Avenue, Room 203 North, New York, NY 10021; 772-4490. For further information on admission and degree requirements, consult individual departmental listings in this catalog and at our Website: [www.hunter.cuny.edu](http://www.hunter.cuny.edu).

Most graduate programs of the School of Arts and Sciences are housed at the East 68th Street campus of Hunter College (at Lexington Avenue) in the East, West, Thomas Hunter, and North Buildings; Studio Art is located in a West Side building near Times Square at 450 West 41 Street.

