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Admission to the M.A., M.F.A. and the Ph.D. is competitive and based upon undergraduate transcripts, GRE general test scores, three recommendations, and a writing sample. In addition, the Ph.D. applicant must have received a bachelor's or master's degree in English or its equivalent from a compatible institution and must satisfy the Graduate School's requirements for admission to doctoral study.

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