

# GUS Graduation Application: Student Instructions

## Overview

Every degree or certificate-seeking UAMS student is required to submit a graduation application for the semester in which he/she intends to graduate. The graduation application serves as a notification to university and college administrators of your intent to graduate and will initiate the process of reviewing your record for the completion or anticipated completion of all degree requirements. Once you have submitted the graduation application, you will begin to receive important emails and information regarding graduation from your college and student services offices like the Office of Financial Aid, the Bursar's Office, and the Office of the University Registrar. You may also start receiving information regarding Commencement activities.

## Applying to Graduate Takes a Few Minutes at Most!

Your last semester can be stressful, but applying to graduate only takes a few moments to complete!

1. Submit your application
2. Provide your Post-Graduation contact information and "degree" or diploma name that you want to appear on your diploma
3. Complete the graduation survey

## Submitting the Application for Graduation

**Step 1:** Log into your GUS account (<https://gus.uams.edu>) with your UAMS user ID and password (the same as your UAMS email).

Once you have successfully logged in, you'll land on the general student portal page. From the main page, select the

The screenshot shows the UAMS Student Portal main menu. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for "My Academics", "My Finances", and "Student Health Information". Below this, a vertical sidebar lists various student services. A large blue arrow points to the "MORE ... Student Center" link in the sidebar, which is underlined and highlighted in orange. The sidebar also includes sections for "My Academics" (Academic Advising, Class Schedule, Grades, Request Official Transcript, View Unofficial Transcript, Request Enrollment Verification, Transfer Credit), "My Finances" (Account Inquiry, Payment Profile, Make A Payment, Accept & Decline Awards, View Fin. Aid / Shopping Sheet), and "Student Health Information" (Student History/Reports).

- MORE ... Student Center**

**Step 2:** Next, use the drop down menu in the middle of the My Academics area and select Apply for Graduation.

The screenshot shows the 'My Academics' section of a university website. A blue oval highlights the 'Academic Planner' dropdown menu. Within this menu, the 'Apply for Graduation' option is circled in blue. The main content area displays 'This Week's Schedule' with five listed classes, each with a course number, title, and room information. Below the schedule are two links: 'weekly schedule' and 'enrollment shopping cart'.

	<u>Class</u>	<u>Schedule</u>
1	CSDM 5042-001 LEC (1137)	Room: TBA
2	CSDM 5122-001 LEC (1138)	Room: TBA
3	CSDM 5163-001 LEC (1131)	Room: TBA
4	CSDM 5293-001 LEC (1139)	Room: TBA
5	CSDM 5363-006 LEC (1145)	Room: TBA

**Step 3:** The Apply for Graduation page should look like the example below. Click Apply for Graduation next to the degree in which you intend to graduate from. Note: If you are in a dual degree program, you will need to apply to graduate for both degree programs in order for both records to be reviewed. Check with your colleges' policies about whether you must graduate from both programs in the same semester.



## Apply for Graduation

### Submit an Application for Graduation

Click on the Apply for Graduation link to proceed with your application. If the link is not visible you may not be eligible for graduation at this time. Please see your Academic Advisor for more information.

**Program: College of Health Prof GRAD**

**UAMS | Graduate**

Degree: Master of Science  
Specialization: Com Sciences and Disorders MS

[Apply for Graduation](#)

**Step 4:** Provide your Post-Graduation Address and Phone Number by selecting the “Add/Update Post-Graduation Contact details”. **Note:** This step is required before you can proceed to apply for graduation.

## Apply for Graduation

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### Select Graduation Term

You selected the academic program below to apply for graduation. If this is incorrect, return to the previous page and select a different academic program.

Select a valid term to apply for graduation by selecting a value from the dropdown. Only terms in which you are able to apply for graduation will be displayed.

Please see detailed instructions on how to complete the graduation applications at [Grad Application Student Instruction](#).

#### Post-Graduation Contacts

Post-Graduation Address, Phone Number and Email Address are required prior to applying for graduation. Please use the link below to add the information. You will not be able to proceed further without providing the contact details.

The link will direct you to the Personal Information Section. You can navigate to the address, phone numbers, and email address tabs to add/update the post-graduation information. After you complete your updates, use the “Return to Apply for Graduation” link at the bottom of the page to ~~proceed to the next step~~.

[Add/Update Post-Graduation Contact details](#)

Post-Graduation Address

Post-Graduation Phone

Not Available

Not Available

**Step 5:** Add your Post-Graduation Address by clicking the “Add a new address” button. The Post-Graduation Address is the address the University will use for all future communications and will be the address used to mail your diploma if you are unable to pick it up in person:

Personal Information    Credentials    Participation

Addresses | Names | Phone Numbers | Email Addresses | Internet Addresses | Emergency Contacts |

## Addresses

View, add, change or delete an address.

Address Type	Address		
Home	AR 72432		
Mail	Searcy, AR 72143		
Permanent	Searcy, AR 72143		

Add a new address



**Step 6:** Make sure to check the “Post Grad” Address Type checkbox before you save:

### Add a new address

Verify your address information below and select the address type(s) associated with it on the right.

An asterisk (\*) to the right of a type indicates that another address is already associated with this type. If you choose this type, you will automatically override the previous address. Any type that is grayed out is for display only or is otherwise unavailable for association with an address.

Add a new address

West Markham Little Rock, AR 72205	<a href="#">Edit Address</a>	<input type="checkbox"/> Home * <input type="checkbox"/> Mail * <input type="checkbox"/> Dorm <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent * <input type="checkbox"/> Preferred <input type="checkbox"/> Veteran <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Post Grad
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Date new address will take effect  (example: 12/31/2000)

[Save](#)



When you successfully saved the Post-Graduation Address, you will see the following message. Click OK to continue to the next step:

Add a new address

## Save Confirmation



The Save was successful.

OK

**Step 7:** Add the Post-Graduation Phone Number by selecting the “Phone Number” Tab on the top:

Personal Information	Credentials	Participation
Addresses	Names	Phone Numbers

## Phone Numbers

Enter your phone numbers below.

If multiple phone numbers are entered, specify your primary contact number by selecting the preferred checkbox.

*Phone Type	*Telephone	Ext
Mobile	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Home	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Add a Phone Number

Save

**Step 8:** Add your Post-Graduation Phone Number by clicking the “Add a Phone Number” button, then select the “Post-Graduation” Phone Type and enter the Phone Number:

Personal Information    Credentials    Participation

Addresses | Names | **Phone Numbers** | Email Addresses | Internet Addresses | Emergency Contacts

### Phone Numbers

Enter your phone numbers below.

If multiple phone numbers are entered, specify your primary contact number by selecting the preferred checkbox.

*Phone Type	*Telephone	Ext	Country
Mobile	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Home	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Post Graduation	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

**Add a Phone Number**

**Save**

When you successfully saved the Post-Graduation Phone Number, you will see the following message. Click OK to continue to the next step:

### Phone Numbers

#### Save Confirmation



The Save was successful.

**OK**

**Step 9:** Use the “Return to Apply for Graduation” link at the bottom of the page to proceed to the next step:

<a href="#">Personal Information</a>	<a href="#">Credentials</a>	<a href="#">Participation</a>			
<a href="#">Addresses</a>	<a href="#">Names</a>	<a href="#">Phone Numbers</a>	<a href="#">Email Addresses</a>	<a href="#">Internet Addresses</a>	<a href="#">Emergency Contacts</a>

## Phone Numbers

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Enter your phone numbers below.

If multiple phone numbers are entered, specify your primary contact number by selecting the preferred checkbox.

*Phone Type	*Telephone	Ext	Country
Mobile	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Home	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
Post Graduation	501/ [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

[Add a Phone Number](#)

[Save](#)

\* Required Field

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 [Go to top](#)

[Return to Apply for Graduation](#)

**Step 10:** Select the “Apply for Graduation” link to continue:

Search Plan Enroll My Academics

## Apply for Graduation

### Submit an Application for Graduation

Select the Apply for Graduation link to proceed with your application. If the link is not visible you may not be eligible for graduation at this time. Please see your Academic Advisor for more information.

**Program: College of Nursing GRAD**  
**UAMS | Graduate**

Degree: Master of Nursing Science      Specialization: Family Nurse Pract MNSc      [Apply for Graduation](#) 

**Step 11:** Select the term for which you are applying. If your term is not yet available, DO NOT select a term that is prior to your graduation term. If you accidentally apply to graduate for the wrong term, email [registrar@uams.edu](mailto:registrar@uams.edu) and we will remove your application for that term. Press Continue.

**Post-Graduation Contacts**

If you wish to update your post-graduation contact, please use the link below.

The link will direct you to the Personal Information Section. You can navigate to the address, phone numbers, and email address tabs to add/update the post-graduation information. After you complete your updates, use the “Return to Apply for Graduation” link at the bottom of the page to proceed to the next step.

Add/Update Post-Graduation Contact details

Post-Graduation Address      Post-Graduation Phone  
West Markham Little Rock      501/526-5600  
AR 72205 USA

**Program: College of Nursing GRAD**  
**UAMS | Graduate**

Degree: Master of Nursing Science      Specialization: Family Nurse Pract MNSc

Expected Graduation Term  

**Step 12:** Complete the Graduation Survey. Please note that all the questions on the survey are required. After you complete the survey, click "Continue":

## Apply for Graduation

### Submit Graduation Survey

#### Program: College of Nursing GRAD

#### UAMS | Graduate

Degree: Master of Nursing Science

Specialization: Family Nurse Pract MNSc

Expected Graduation Term Fall 2020

#### Degree/Diploma Name

First Name

Middle Name

Last Name

The "Degree/Diploma Name" above will be used to print your Diploma and shown in all graduation related publications.

#### UAMS Email Address

Post-Graduation Email Address

Note: Official graduation communications for current students will only be sent to your UAMS email address.

Will you attend GradFest?  ▾

Will you participate in your college convocation?  ▾

**Step 13:** Review the information you selected and press Submit Application.

## Verify Graduation Data

**Program: College of Nursing GRAD**

**UAMS | Graduate**

Degree: Master of Nursing Science

Specialization: Family Nurse Pract MNSc

Expected Graduation Term Fall 2020

### Graduation Instructions

Note: The availability and format of the 2021 UAMS Commencement and college convocation events have not been determined at this time. More details will be provided as they become available.

The deadline to submit a graduation application and the graduation survey is 10/31/2020. The graduation application and graduation survey are REQUIRED in order for your academic record to be reviewed for graduation standards.

Diplomas: Diplomas are available approximately 6-8 weeks after the degree conferral has been processed for Summer and Fall, and are usually available the Thursday following Commencement for Spring. Diplomas may be picked up directly from the Office of the University Registrar, located in CHP Building 2, Room 100. Diplomas not picked up by July 1 will be mailed to the student's permanent address on record. The diploma indicates the student's degree and major field of study but not the concentration or specialization. However, the concentration or specialization is indicated on the official transcript. The size of the diploma is 11" x 14".

[Select Different Program](#)

[Submit Application](#)

[Select Different Term](#)

The following page will inform you that you have successfully completed the application. You can also use the "Download Graduation Survey application" to get a PDF copy of your responses to the Graduation Survey.

## Apply for Graduation

## Submit Confirmation



You have successfully applied for graduation.

[Download Graduation Survey application](#)

**Step 14:** An email will be sent to your UAMS email as well as your Post-Graduation email to confirm that you have successfully submitted your graduation application.

## Questions?

For questions about the graduation application, degree audits, and general graduation timelines, contact the Office of the University Registrar by emailing [registrar@uams.edu](mailto:registrar@uams.edu) or calling 501-526-5600.

For questions about the graduation fee(s), contact the Office of the Bursar by calling 501-686-6128.

For questions about Commencement, please email [commencement@uams.edu](mailto:commencement@uams.edu)