Applied Ethics and the Professions (Science, Technology and Ethics), MA

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ASU is not currently accepting applications for this program.

Program description

Degree awarded: MA Applied Ethics and the Professions (Science, Technology and Ethics)
The science, technology and ethics concentration of the MA program in applied ethics and the professions focuses on the ethical issues that arise from the multiple challenges involved in balancing economic, technological, environmental, social and cultural development in a world increasingly affected by science and technology. The program provides students with a general background in ethics and ethical systems, with an emphasis on ethical issues in science and technology. Students are also exposed to new challenges posed by rapidly evolving sociotechnical systems in such areas as:

- energy, environment and development
- genetic engineering and biotechnology
- information and communication technology
- nanotechnology
- risk assessment
- technology and security

At a glance

- **College/School:** College of Global Futures
- **Location:** Tempe

Degree requirements

30 credit hours including the required applied project course (AEP 593)

Required Core (3 credit hours)
AEP 501 Practical and Professional Ethics (3)

Concentration (3 credit hours)
HSD 598 Special Topics (3)

Concentration Electives (18 credit hours)

Culminating Experience (6 credit hours)
AEP 593 Applied Project (6)

Additional Curriculum Information
Electives are related to the concentration study. Students must request approval from the chairperson of the degree program before selecting elective coursework. Students should consult their advisor regarding the approved topic for HSD 598.

Admission requirements

Applicants must fulfill the requirements of both the Graduate College and the College of Global Futures.

Applicants are eligible to apply to the program if they have earned a bachelor's or master's degree in any field from a regionally accredited institution.

Applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in the last 60 hours of their first bachelor's degree program or a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00 (scale is 4.00 = "A") in an applicable master's degree program.

All applicants must submit:

1. graduate admission application and application fee
2. official transcripts
3. resume
4. personal statement of interest and qualification
5. two letters of recommendation
6. proof of English language proficiency

Additional Application Information
An applicant whose native language is not English must provide proof of English proficiency regardless of their current residency.

Tuition information

When it comes to paying for higher education, everyone's situation is different. Students can learn about [ASU tuition and financial aid](#) options to find out which will work best for them.

Contact information

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