

PhD Application Schedule/Deadlines 2019-2020

January 2020 Start Date

August 2020 Start Date

September 3, 2019

February 1, 2020

All applicants: the following must be received by the ReDOC office for the application process to continue:

1. Application form complete with all supporting documentation (Statement of Call and Commitment, Ethical Conduct, Church Endorsement, Transfer of Credit, Health Certificate, Proof of Immunization, 4 reference forms)
2. Application fee
3. Verification of GRE verbal, quantitative, and analytical writing scores
4. All official transcripts from colleges, universities, and seminaries (contact the ReDOC office concerning transcripts for courses in progress)
5. Written plan for completion of course prerequisites such as languages and hours in the major
6. Research paper from master's program
7. Criminal background check through CastleBranch
8. International students also must meet entrance requirements as outlined in the catalog under the section "International Students."

NOTE: Applications for the Doctoral Fellowship Program also are due by these deadlines.

September 30, 2019

March 9, 2020

NOBTS applicants (local applicants) take the entrance examination.

Applicants should consult the chairperson of the division for information concerning the entrance examination as well as any other division requirements.

October 3, 2019

March 12, 2020

Non-NOBTS applicants (and nonlocal NOBTS applicants) take the entrance examination.

Applicants should consult the chairperson of the division for information concerning the entrance examination as well as any other division requirements.

October 4, 2019

March 13, 2020

All applicants interview with the division faculty. Applicants should contact the chairperson of the division concerning time and location.

October 28, 2019

March 30, 2020

Doctoral Admissions Committee meets to review applications and make decisions.

November 4-18, 2019

April 20-May 4, 2020

Research doctoral students register for seminars/courses.