MASTER OF FORENSIC SCIENCES

REQUIREMENTS

Specific admission requirements are shown on the Graduate Program Finder. (http://www.gwu.edu/all-graduate-programs)

The following requirements must be fulfilled:

The general requirements stated under Columbian College of Arts and Sciences, Graduate Programs (http://bulletin.gwu.edu/arts-sciences/#degreeregulationtext).

37 credits, including 18 credits in required courses, 19 credits in courses selected in consultation with the advisor, and successful completion of a master’s comprehensive examination.

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<td>FORS 6004</td>
<td>Fundamentals of Forensic Science I</td>
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<td>Graduate Seminar (taken twice)*</td>
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| Electives | 19 elective credits are selected in consultation with the departmental advisor. |

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*Students must register for FORS 6292 in their first semester and again after or during the completion of the required independent research project.