Special Admissions Programs

Dual Admissions Programs


Pre-Professional Admissions Programs

Pre-Medical Health Scholar Program and Accelerated Option Programs: Dentistry, Pharmacy, Podiatry, Physical Therapy

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Pre-Med Health Scholar Program

The Pre-Med Health Scholar Program is offered to highly talented High School Seniors interested in pursuing a career as a physician. It is designed to recruit exceptional students to Temple University by offering a Linkage Agreement with Temple University School of Medicine. Students entering Temple University as Pre-Med Health Scholars may consider an Accelerated BA/MD (3+4) Degree option.

Accelerated Programs for: Dentistry, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, and Podiatry

Accelerated Programs allow Pre: Dentistry, Pharmacy, and Podiatry (3+4 Tracks) as well as Physical Therapy (3+3 Track) students the option of earning both their Bachelor of Arts and Graduate Degrees in a shorter period of time after successfully passing all courses in the first year of professional school.

Applications for Accelerated Programs for Pre: Dentistry, Pharmacy, Podiatry and Physical Therapy tracks become available to interested students during their first semester at Temple University. The Accelerated Programs are designed for high-achieving students who have distinguished themselves with impressive high school academic records and a demonstrated interest in their respective field. Applications are available in The Office of Pre-Professional Health Studies, 1810 Liacouras Walk, Suite 100. For further information, please visit the health advising web site.

Temple Law Scholars Program

www.temple.edu/vpus/opportunities/LawScholars.htm

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The Temple Law Scholars program provides an opportunity for outstanding students in the College of Liberal Arts and the Fox School of Business and Management to gain provisional admission to Temple University School of Law at the same time they are accepted into an undergraduate program. As Temple Law Scholars, students are expected to complete the University Honors Certificate Program in conjunction with their undergraduate degree, after which they enroll in the Temple University School of Law, leading to the degree of Juris Doctor. While most Law Scholars complete their undergraduate degree before entering Beasley School of Law, Law Scholars can choose the Accelerated Option and enter Beasley School of Law after their third year of undergraduate study. This 3+3 option is currently available only to students in the College of Liberal Arts and the Fox School of Business and Management. A Law Scholar who chooses the Accelerated Option applies the first year of law school coursework toward undergraduate degree requirements and receives a Bachelor's Degree in his or her chosen major(s) after the first year of Law School. Law Scholars interested in pursuing the 3+3 option must indicate their interest in doing so during the first semester of their first year of undergraduate study. For more information or an application, please visit the Temple Law Scholars Program (http://www.temple.edu/vpus/opportunities/LawScholars.htm) web site.

University Honors Program

The University Honors Program is open to students enrolled in every undergraduate school and college. No special application is required for incoming first-year students. (All applications are screened for Honors.) Current Temple students or transfer students who would like to be considered for the
program must apply through the Honors web site (http://honors.temple.edu/apply). Applications are reviewed at the end of each semester after grades have been posted.

For more information on the Honors program, please visit the Honors web site (http://honors.temple.edu).

Also see University Honors Program (http://bulletin.temple.edu/archives/2014-2015/undergraduate/about-temple-university/academic-opportunities/#honors) in the Academic Opportunities section of this Bulletin.

Russell Conwell Learning Center

Recipient of the National "2011 Lee Noel - Randi Levitz Retention Excellence Award"

Working through the Office of Admissions, the Russell Conwell Learning Center (RCLC) provides university admission for students who have a strong academic record in high school, but may not have "aced" the SAT/ACT or are academically underprepared. Once selected by the Office of Admissions as a university student, students are enrolled in the RCLC, which serves as their freshmen academic advising unit and academic support community through graduation. The RCLC offers a wide range of services to help students achieve their academic and educational goals, including:

- Academic Coaching and Peer Mentoring
- Academic assessment and advisement
- Tutorial services (Individual, Group and Team approaches)
- Learning assessment and instruction
- Academic/Educational workshop series
- Financial and budget management instruction
- Supplemental Instruction in challenging courses and those with high failure rates
- Career assessment and major exploration and match
- Freshmen and Transfer acculturation and transition assistance
- Professional Development Program (workforce and professional training for student employees)
- Certificate Series Program (proficiency training in Public Speaking, PowerPoint, Web page design, etc.)
- Community Service and Engagement Program (training to tutor and mentor high school students)
- Cultural and social activities
- Leadership development and service opportunities
- Standardized test taking preparation (SAT and GRE)
- Student Employment Program
- Six computer labs and a laptop loan program
- And more!

For further information, contact the Office of Admissions at 215-204-7200.

For more descriptive information about the services provided at the RCLC, refer to the Academic Support (http://bulletin.temple.edu/archives/2014-2015/undergraduate/about-temple-university/academic-support/#russell-conwell-learning-center) section of this Bulletin, view the RCLC web site (http://www.temple.edu/rcc/site) or call the RCLC at 215-204-1252.