Online Application Procedures for M.A. Program in Communication Sciences and Disorders

The Cal State University-Fullerton (CSUF) M.A. Communication Sciences and Disorders (CSD) program will process applications using an online service entitled Communication Science and Disorders Centralized Application Service (CSDCAS). This online application shall be required in addition to the mandatory application submitted at CSU APPLY.

The CSDCAS is administered by an independent third party provider and is not associated with the California State University or the CSU APPLY application system. The CSDCAS is a fee-based service that enables applicants to conveniently apply to multiple institutions. All applicants to CSUF's M.A. program in Communication Sciences and Disorders must submit an application to both CSU APPLY and CSDCAS. ***Hard copy application materials will no longer be accepted to the university. Completed applications must be received by January 15th (8:59 pm, PST) of the admission year.*** It is the responsibility of an applicant to ensure the completion of his or her application at **both** CSDCAS and CSU APPLY by the posted deadline. ***Neither incomplete applications nor late submissions will be reviewed.***

If you have questions about CSDCAS process, refer to their FAQ or contact CSDCAS Customer Service (available Monday thru Friday from 9:00AM to 5:00PM, EST) at (617) 612-2030, or email them at csdcasinfo@csdcas.org. For questions about the application process with CSUF, please refer to CSU APPLY FAQs and/or CSD FAQs for any additional questions you may have. For any other unaddressed questions regarding application, please feel free to send an email to Dr. Tsao at ytsao@fullerton.edu.

The Two-Step Application Process for all Applicants

Step 1 – Apply to CSU APPLY

Apply to CSD M.A. program and pay the admission application fee to CSUF Admissions and Records Office by **8:59 pm (PST) on January 15th of the admission year.** The university requires the CSU APPLY application in order to assess your overall admissibility to the university and to provide you access to the CSUF Student Portal.

(If you are a student, undergraduate or postbac, from CSUF, what you need is to request transcripts for classes taken elsewhere.)

Step 2 – Apply to [CSDCAS](#)

Follow the link in the Department auto-reply, when you apply to CSU APPLY.
You will create an account and submit required application materials (a letter of intent/personal statement or an essay, three letters of recommendation, and a copy of official transcripts to CSDCAS from all institutions).

To meet the application deadline of January 15th (8:59 pm, PST) it is best that you request your transcripts at least 4 to 6 weeks in advance.

NO need to submit your transcripts or personal statement/essay to CSU APPLY.
(If asked by CSU APPLY system, you will simply state "*not applicable*")

 Your application will NOT be reviewed unless you have completed both processes: CSU APPLY and CSDCAS.