



## Master of Arts in Social Justice and Human Rights Admissions Checklist

This checklist is provided to assist you with the application process. All applicants must submit the following materials to The Graduate College at ASU via the online application.

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- Application for Graduate Admission including the application fee. Please refer to <http://graduate.asu.edu> for the most up to date information on application fees.
- Transcripts (One official copy of all undergraduate and graduate course work)  
*You do not need to submit transcripts for work completed at Arizona State University.*

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Arizona State University  
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- Test Scores
  - International students should submit TOEFL scores (<http://graduate.asu.edu/admissions/international.html>)
  - Official GRE Scores are required. GRE Institution Code: 4007
- M.A. in Social Justice and Human Rights supplemental materials include (all will be uploaded to online application):
  - 2-3 page written Statement of Purpose  
*Statement should outline academic and career goals and the areas of study you wish to pursue in the program. What academic or professional experience has prepared you for this program? If necessary, please offer more details about classes/work experiences that apply to the program. Please give some indication of your experience with social justice and human rights issues. Include any information either of a personal, academic, or career nature that indicates the suitability of this program for you.*
  - Writing Sample (No more than 30 pages)  
*Writing sample can be of scholarly work or an example of professional activities (e.g., a technical report, a grant proposal, or report for an NGO) that demonstrates not only that you can write well, but also that you can think critically and analyze and integrate resources effectively.*
  - Resume
- Two Letters of Recommendation.
  - When you apply online, you will be asked for the name, email, and organizational affiliation of each of your three recommenders. Recommenders will submit letters electronically.

*Letters may be from former professors or employers. It is strongly recommended that at least one letter be from a former faculty or academic professional, or from someone who can address your academic ability. You may also include letters from instructors who offered training related to your career.*

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If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the Graduate Program Coordinator, Tosha Ruggles, at 602.543.6241 or [Tosha.Ruggles@asu.edu](mailto:Tosha.Ruggles@asu.edu). For more detailed information please visit us online at <http://newcollege.asu.edu/programs/>.

