Saint Louis University is a Catholic, Jesuit institution that values academic excellence, life-changing research, compassionate health care, and a strong commitment to faith and service.

Founded in 1818, the University fosters the intellectual and character development of nearly 14,000 students on two campuses in St. Louis, Missouri, and Madrid, Spain. Building on a legacy of nearly 200 years, Saint Louis University continues to move forward with an unwavering commitment to a higher purpose, a greater good.

**OVERVIEW**

Saint Louis University’s School for Professional Studies offers a Master of Science in applied analytics. With courses offered in online and blended formats in an accelerated eight-week term, this 36-credit-hour program makes advanced education more accessible for working professionals.

Information technology (IT) has revolutionized society and created industries that are vital to the world’s economy, stability and to human life. As a result of this growth and development, organizations are now presented with new opportunities and avenues for using IT to achieve their strategic objectives.

The master’s degree in applied analytics capitalizes upon these new opportunities and provides professionals with an education relevant to advancing their career. Applied analytics combines the interaction of technology with human and organizational structures to support knowledge discovery, management and dissemination. It prepares career-oriented, working professionals in the areas of:
- Organizational leadership
- Information retrieval
- Evidence-based decision making
- Information visualization and presentation
- Project management
- Organizational dynamics
- Programming and problem solving

Foundation courses:
- IF 500: Foundations of Applied Analytics
- IF 505: Programming and Problem Solving
- IF 510: Information Retrieval

Technology and leadership development courses:
- IF 515: Evidence-Based Decision Making
- IF 520: Information Visualization and Presentation
- IF 525: Project Management
- IF 575: Contemporary Issues in Analytics
- ORLD 500: Organizational Dynamics or ORLD 501: Contemporary Organizational Leadership
- ORLD 502: Applied Research Methods
- ORLD 503: Applied Analytics

Capstone courses:
- IF 590: Applied Analytics Project I
- IF 595: Applied Analytics Project II

All courses listed are three credit hours.

Career Paths:
Saint Louis University’s master’s degree in applied analytics prepares you to pursue careers in today’s dynamic multidisciplinary workplace. You will combine the use of technology with organizational leadership to support knowledge discovery and dissemination, assisting decision makers across a variety of academic disciplines and professional fields.

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Transcript(s)
- Two letters of recommendation
- Resume
- Personal statement
- Three years of work experience
- Undergraduate GPA above 3.0*  
  *If a student possesses less than a 3.0 undergraduate GPA, the student may be admitted conditionally.

**ADMISSION CRITERIA**

- Three years of work experience
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- Course work in the following areas:
  - At least one course in information systems, information technology or a programming language
  - At least one basic statistics or research methods course

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SCHOOL FOR PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Applied Analytics

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APPLICATION DEADLINE

M.S.

FALL | July 1
SPRING | Nov. 1
SUMMER | April 1

Deadlines for assistantships are listed online.

DEGREES OFFERED

• Master of Science (M.S.) in Applied Analytics

COURSES AVAILABLE

DAYS ☑ NIGHTS ☑ WEEKENDS ☐ ONLINE ☑

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT

For information on scholarships and financial aid, please visit the student financial services office online at finaid.slu.edu.

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