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*Application Form
Academic Year 2026-27*

1. Name and Contact Information:

Name (first, middle initial, last) _____

Email _____

2. Education Information:

Present institutional affiliation _____

Degree field _____

All requirements for degree except thesis completed? Yes No

If not, what stage? _____

When do you expect to receive the degree? _____

3. Military service:

Have you served, or are you serving, in the military? Yes No

If yes, list service, dates, and highest grade _____

4. Provide the names, titles, and email addresses of three references:

5. Application checklist:

Curriculum vitae
Research proposal (not to exceed 1,500 words)
Writing sample (not to exceed 25 pages)

6. I certify that the foregoing statements are true and complete to the best of my knowledge:

Signature Day, month, year

No later than 1 May 2026, email this application form and all materials to
Dr. Seth Givens at seth.givens@usmcu.edu

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