The Certificate in Forensic Science and Law
Admissions Application

Individuals interested in enrolling in the Certificate in Forensic Science and Law program are required to complete an admissions application. Individuals may apply to either the undergraduate or post-baccalaureate program in one of two ways:

1) As full-program Certificate candidates

2) As matriculated students in any Duquesne University undergraduate or graduate program

It is the applicant's responsibility to inform the Institute of his or her admissions preferences by selecting the appropriate categories on the application. Admissions decisions will be made on a rolling basis, and applicants will receive written notice as those decisions are made.

Full-Program Certificate Candidates

Enrollment as a full-program undergraduate Certificate candidate begins in late August and concludes early the following May. Enrollment as a post-baccalaureate candidate, which begins at the same time, concludes early the following August. Tuition will be assessed at the University's standard rates, which are reviewed and adjusted every year. Further information will be made available upon request.

Application Deadline: **May 31**

Applicants unable to apply by May 31 should contact our office at 412-396-1330 to inquire about the possibility of an application deadline extension.

Matriculated Duquesne University Students

Individuals who intend to be matriculated undergraduate or graduate students at Duquesne University during the present academic year may enroll in the Certificate program with the permission of their home schools. Tuition will be equivalent to tuition in the student's home school. Those interested are asked to consult with their academic advisors regarding academic credit applicable from this program towards their degrees.

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Questions should be directed to the Wecht Institute at 412-396-1330 or wechtinstitute@duq.edu.

Please complete the following application and return it to:

The Cyril H. Wecht Institute of Forensic Science and Law
Duquesne University
600 Forbes Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15282

The Certificate in Forensic Science and Law
ADMISSIONS APPLICATION

Name: _____
        Mr./Ms./Mrs.   *First Name*   *Middle Initial*   *Last Name*

Address: _____

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Social Security Number: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Country of Citizenship _____

If you are a citizen of a nation other than the U.S.A., please give present immigration status: _____

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Telephone: _____E-mail: _____

Do you wish to be contacted by e-mail? _____

EDUCATIONAL HISTORY *(diploma/degree/certificate earned; institution; graduation year):*

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EMPLOYMENT HISTORY *(position; employer; months/years employed):*

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PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS *(organizations, associations, etc.):*

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ADMISSIONS CATEGORIES:

Please select one of the following: Please select one of the following:

_____**Full-program Certificate Candidate**   _____**12-Credit Undergraduate Certificate Program**

_____**Duquesne University Student**   _____**18-Credit Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program**

NOTE: Enrolled students will be billed at a later date. The University accepts the following methods of payment: personal checks, MasterCard, Visa, and Discover Card. Accepted students will be required to make a tuition deposit to hold their seat in the program.

CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION CREDIT:

If you are a member of one or more professions with continuing professional education requirements (e.g. Law, Nursing, Medicine, Accounting, etc.) please identify your accrediting body(ies) and their address(es) in this space:

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PERSONAL STATEMENT:

You are required to submit a personal statement indicating why you would like to enroll at the Institute and how you anticipate the Certificate program helping you with your academic and/or professional growth and advancement. You may attach a separate page if additional space is necessary.

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I certify that all statements made in this application to The Cyril H. Wecht Institute of Forensic Science and Law's Certificate program are true and complete.

Signature:_____ Date:_____