MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR ADMISSION IN THE UVM MECHANICAL ENGINEERING GRADUATE PROGRAM

**Background:**
Students entering the program have received a Bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering or a closely-related field in engineering. Applicants with other backgrounds outside engineering will be evaluated individually and must first complete undergraduate technical course work in the first semesters, as prescribed by the graduate studies committee.

**Admission deadlines:**
February 1 for fall admissions
September 1 for spring admissions

**Minimum required GPA:**
3.0/4.0 in both BS and MS degrees for all students
3.2/4.0 for UVM students wishing to enter the accelerated MS program

**GRE test scores:**
GRE scores must be within the last 5 years

**TOEFL/IELTS test requirements:**
If you are an international applicant, you must submit scores from the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or International English Language Testing System (IELTS). TOEFL and IELTS scores must be within the last 2 years.

Minimum acceptable TOEFL scores for admission are:
Internet based = 90
Computer based = 232
Paper based = 575

Minimum acceptable TOEFL scores for students wishing to receive a teaching assistantship:
Internet based = 100
Computer based = 250
Paper based = 600

If submitting the IELTS scores, applicants must take the academic test and achieve required scores of 6.5 for admission and 7.0 for funding.

**Other requirements:**
Students must provide three letters of recommendations

**More information can be found here:**
http://www.uvm.edu/~gradcoll/?Page=Appinstructions.html