ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

1. The candidate should be an applicant who meets the conditions required for admission as a full-time student to one of the Kuwait University graduate programs (Master or PhD).
2. The applicant’s GPA and major GPA of his/her Bachelor’s and Master’s degree should not be less than 3.00 on a scale of 4.00, or its equivalent. The degree must be conferred by an academic institution approved by Kuwait University.
3. The applicant must have a good command of English language (spoken and written) to an extent that allows him/her to pursue graduate studies and research in an effective way. This requirement can be satisfied by providing a minimum TOEFL score of 550, or its equivalent.
4. The applicant must have satisfied the pertinent program requirements in terms of international admission test scores (program specific).
5. The applicant must have a good GRE score of 3 in Analytical Writing and 145 in Verbal Reasoning. For applicants to the MA program in Economics, the GRE score must include the Quantitative Reasoning section (not less than 155).
6. The applicant must have demonstrated a good command of the language of instruction in the selected program.
7. Applicants to the Sharia & Islamic studies programs are exempted from the GRE test. However, a recitation of 15 chapters of the Holy Quran is required.
8. The application must fulfill any additional conditions specified by the
9. College of Graduate Studies and required by the selected program.