



# School of Physical and Occupational Therapy

EXCELLENCE THROUGH GROWTH

## Graduate Certificate in Assessing Driving Capabilities

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1. A B.Sc. Degree or equivalent in Occupational Therapy from a university of recognized reputation.
2. Evidence of a high academic achievement equivalent to a B standing, or a McGill CGPA of 3.0 (70-74%).

***A Graduate Records Examination Test (GRE) is recommended for those who have graduated more than 5 years ago; those who do not have a B.Sc. or equivalent from a Canadian University. Only the General Test is mandatory. For consideration, students must obtain a minimum score of 550 in the verbal and quantitative categories and a minimum score of 3.5 to 4 in analytical writing.***

For enquiries about Graduate Records Examination, please contact GRE Educational Testing Service, Princeton, NJ 08540 or at the following web site: <http://www.gre.org/>

Applicants must ensure that official test results are sent to McGill University directly by the testing service. Applications cannot be considered if test results are not available.

3. Non-Canadian applicants:

Applicants to graduate studies, whose mother tongue is not English and who have not completed an undergraduate degree or graduate degree from a recognized foreign institution where English is the language of instruction or from a recognized Canadian Institution (Anglophone or Francophone), must submit documented proof of competency in oral and written English, by appropriate exams, e.g. TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language) with a minimum score of 100 on the Internet-based test with each component score not less than 20 (School requirement), or IELTS (International English Language Testing Systems) with a minimum overall band score of 7.0. For more information, please refer to the following link: <http://www.ielts.org/>

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### Entrance requirements for POTH-673 Screening for at Risk Drivers

The same as above except that course POTH-673 is open to all health care professionals with an interest in screening for at risk drivers. Applicants interested in taking only POTH-673 must apply to become a special student. To do so, you must meet the requirements of the Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies Office and apply to be admitted into a non-degree program. If graduate special students subsequently

become candidates for higher degrees, they may receive academic credit for relevant graduate courses taken as a special student.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:**

Request and submission should be directed to:

Student Affairs Coordinator, Graduate Program  
School of Physical and Occupational Therapy  
3654 Promenade Sir-William-Osler, RM D5  
Montreal, Quebec  
Canada H3G 1Y5

Telephone: (514) 398-2271/FAX: (514) 398-6360

**E-Mail:** [graduate.rehabilitation@mcgill.ca](mailto:graduate.rehabilitation@mcgill.ca)

## Documents Required from the Applicant

1. The completed application form for admission to the Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies Office. You can apply on the Web <http://www.mcgill.ca/gradapplicants/apply/applynow/>
2. The application fee of CAD\$ 100. When applying on the web, a valid credit card number must be provided.
3. **Two (2) official up-to-date university transcripts**. It may be desirable to submit a list of the titles of the courses taken, if transcripts give code numbers only. In addition, **transcripts written in a language other than English or French must be accompanied by a certified translation**. An explanation of the grading system used by the applicant's University is essential in the evaluation of the application file.

**Note:** It is the applicant's responsibility to contact the institution(s) that he/she has attended and request that the transcripts be forwarded **directly** to the Graduate Program at the above address.

4. **Two (2) confidential letters of recommendation on original letterhead** from individuals who have known the candidate in an academic or work-related capacity. Letters from relatives of the candidate are not accepted. It is the applicant's responsibility to arrange that these letters are **originals** (signed in blue ink), and sent **directly** to the School by the referees named on the application for admission (do not include in your package). Referees should enclose their signed and dated letter in a sealed envelope, and sign their name across the flap.
5. A complete curriculum vitae, including relevant personal data, education and academic awards received, professional experience and affiliations, courses and seminars attended, research activities and publications.
6. A completed applicant statement on the web application describing your particular area of interest, objectives and expectations regarding the program, as well as career goals.
7. Official reports of scores for TOEFL/IELTS and/or GRE if required. In order for McGill to receive these test scores on time, you should consider writing the examinations up to six months preceding the beginning of the program.

### Dates for Guaranteed Consideration:

Consult the following website [www.mcgill.ca/gradapplicants/programs](http://www.mcgill.ca/gradapplicants/programs)

Then select the appropriate program.

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For more general information about Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies at McGill, please visit the Graduate Calendar that can be accessed at the following address:

<http://www.mcgill.ca/courses>