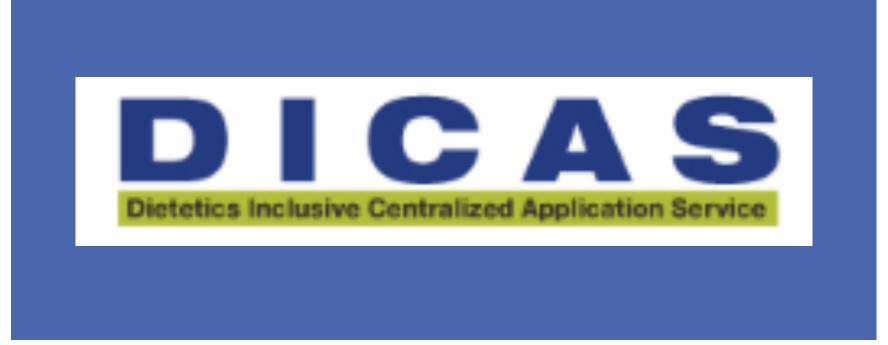
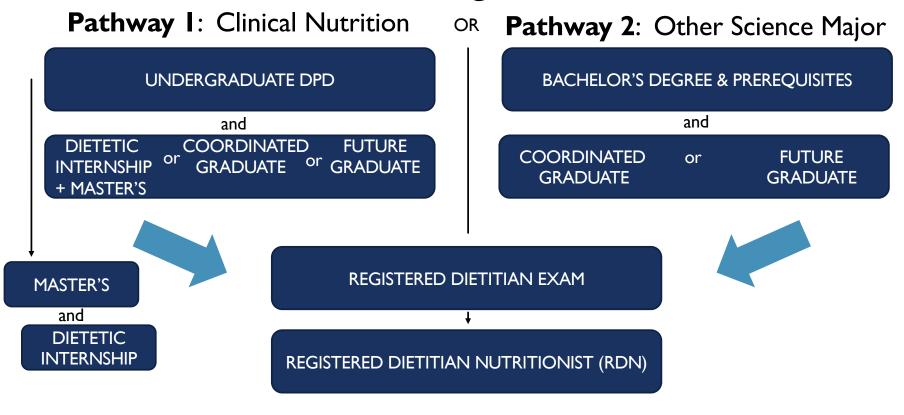
# DICAS WALK THROUGH: APPLYING TO SUPERVISED PRACTICE PROGRAMS

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## 2 PATHWAYS TO THE RDN

# Becoming a RDN



## **APPLICATION PROCESS**

- DI Application DICAS
  - Application video: <a href="https://vimeo.com/752082325/0893b172b9">https://vimeo.com/752082325/0893b172b9</a>



## **APPLICATION PROCESS - DICAS**

- Deadlines vary!
- Fees:
  - \$50 for first program
  - \$25 each additional program
- DI program supplemental application packets
  - Fees, etc.





A This is a testing environment for the application - no submission from this environment will be considered valid

## Welcome to DICAS

## Welcome!

Welcome to DICAS, the centralized application service for dietetics. DICAS is a service of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics.

DICAS offers a convenient, webbased application service that allows applicants to apply to participating dietetics supervised practice programs and/or graduate dietetics programs by completing a single online application.

If you need accommodations or assistance regarding the accessibility of DICAS, please contact customer support at 617-612-2855. Sign in with your username and password below. First time here? Select Create an Account to get started.

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## **APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

- GPA & Transcripts
- Resume
- Personal Statements
- Experience
  - paid
  - volunteer
  - class work
- References
- Intent to Complete / Verification Statement



People > Academics > Centers & Programs > Outreach >

## Dietetic Internship Application Materials

UC Davis Nutrition Department - Academics - DPD Handbook - Dietetic Internship Application Materials

The below materials are available to download in Microsoft Office (Access, Excel, Word) and Adobe PDF formats. Microsoft Office documents can be downloaded and edited in the appropriate Office application. Adobe PDF documents can be downloaded, edited in the free Acrobat Reader and saved (they can't be edited in your browser window). If you want to download the PDF file to edit, right click on the link (or for Mac press and hold cntrl and click on the link) and go to Save Link As and save the file to your desktop to edit. The free Adobe Reader is available for download.

#### Departmental Forms

- Form A: Faculty/Staff Recommendation Letter Request for Dietetic Internships updated 6/30/2021 (PDF, Word)
- Form A: Instructions updated 6/30/2021 (Word)
- Form B: Faculty/Staff Recommendation Letter Request for Graduate School only updated 6/30/2021 (PDF, Word)
- Form B: Instructions updated 6/30/2021 (Word)
- Confidentiality Walvers (PDF)
- Checklist for UCD Didactic Program in Dietetics updated 05/21/2019 (Excel, PDF)
- DPD Course List Required Supplemental Form updated 05/21/2019 (PDF)

#### Academy Forms

- Declaration of Intent to Complete Degree and/or CAADE-approved Minimum Academic Requirements (Word, PDF)
- 2020-2021 Applicant Guide to Dietetic Internships PDF format updated 10/06/2020
- 2020-2021 Applicant Guide to Dietetic Internships XLS format updated 10/06/2020

Please send questions or comments to:

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#### **DPD Course List Required Supplemental Form** To Be Completed By the DPD Program Director

<b>DPD Program Institution:</b>	University of California, Davis
<b>DPD Director:</b>	Dr. Francene Steinberg
<b>Website for Course Catalog:</b>	http://catalog.ucdavis.edu/programs.html

Abbreviations used on official transcripts listed.

() – Abbreviations used on student registration, unofficial transcripts, and catalog descriptions.

DPD Professional Courses	DPD Science Courses				
ECON (ECN) 1A or ECON (ECN) 1B	BIOLSCI (BIS) 2A				
UWRITNG (UWP) 1 or ENGLISH (ENL) 3	BIOLSCI (BIS) 2B				
COMUNCN (CMN) 1	CHEM (CHE) 2A				
PSYCH (PSC) 1	CHEM (CHE) 2B				
ANTHRO (ANT) 2 or SOCIOL (SOC) 1 or 3	CHEM (CHE) 2C				
FD S&T (FST) 100A	CHEM (CHE) 8A or CHEM (CHE) 118A				
FD S&T (FST) 100B	CHEM (CHE) 8B or CHEM (CHE) 118B				
NUTR (NUT) 106 or	MIC BIO (MIC) 102 and 103L				
FD S&T (FST) 101A and 101B					
NUTR (NUT) 111AY	AN BIOL (ABI) 102				
NUTR (NUT) 111B	AN BIOL (ABI) 103				
NUTR (NUT) 112	BIOLSCI (BIS) 101				
NUTR (NUT) 116A	NE PH B (NPB) 101				
NUTR (NUT) 116AL	NE PH B (NPB) 101L				
NUTR (NUT) 116B	STATIST (STA) 13				
NUTR (NUT) 116BL					
NUTR (NUT) 118					
NUTR (NUT) 190					
FDSRVMG (FSM) 120					
FDSRVMG (FSM) 120L					
FDSRVMG (FSM) 122					
AGRESEC (ARE) 112					

# DICAS REFERENCE FORM

Please rate the applicant on the qualities you fer student's readiness to function in a dietetic inter- signature on next page.									
Student's Name	Actual or Expected Date of Graduation								
O – Outstanding; MS - More than Satisfactory; SAT – Satisfactory; NI - Needs Improvement, U - unsatisfactory									
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Application of Knowledge Nutrition Content									
Medical Nutrition Therapy									
Foodservice Management									
Analytical Skills/Problem Solving									
Conceptual Skills									
Communication Skills Oral									
Written									
Interpersonal Skills Peers/Co-Workers									
Teachers/Supervisors									
Leadership Potential									
Initiative/Motivation									
Punctuality									
Adaptability									
Reaction to Stress									
Perseverance									
Creativity									
Organizational Skills									
Works Independently									
Responsibility/Maturity									
Overall Potential as a Dietitian									
Relationship to Applicant: Advisor: Teacher: Work Supervisor: Other:									
If Other, please indicate relationship:									
How long have you known applicant?									
How well do you know applicant?									
Do You:Highly RecommendRecommendNot Recommend(Check appropriate box.)5 □4 □3 □2 □1 □									

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Additional Information: Use to amplify or add to characteristics rated on previous page. Indicate applicant's strengths and those qualities that require further development. (May use a separate sheet or letter.)

Strengths:

#### Qualities that Require Further Development:

Name
Signature Date
Position
Place of Employment
Address
Phone E-mail

## **RESOURCES**

- Careers4RDN.com
  - 2023-2024 DI Open House Listing
- UC Davis Dietetic Internship Application Materials
  - https://nutrition.ucdavis.edu/academics/dpd/diet-intern-app-mats
- DICAS
  - https://dicas.liaisoncas.com/applicant-ux/#/login



QUESTIONS?