

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

1. A baccalaureate degree or equivalent from a regionally accredited U.S. institution or a degree from a non-U.S. institution judged to be equivalent to a U.S. Bachelor's degree by the College of Graduate Studies
2. Completion of a Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD) accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education of Nutrition & Dietetics with coursework completed within the last 10 years
3. Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale with a minimum grade of "C" in prerequisite DPD, mathematics, and science coursework
4. Dietetic-related volunteer and work experience in the fields of nutrition, food science, health, laboratory or clinical research, foodservice, food industry, nutrition education, or health promotion
5. Submission of GRE scores
6. Minimum TOEFL iBT score of 80 with a minimum score of 20 in each exam sub-section (international students only)
7. Submission of the online College of Graduate Studies and Dietetic Internship applications and fees

For more information, visit:

<http://chhs.georgiasouthern.edu/hk/graduate/dietetic-internship/admissions-process/>

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## DIETETIC INTERNSHIP

*a 12-month post-baccalaureate graduate certificate program*

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## THE DIETETIC INTERNSHIP AT GEORGIA SOUTHERN

The Georgia Southern Dietetic Internship (DI) is a full-time, 12-month, post-baccalaureate graduate certificate non-degree dietetic internship program, with concentrations in community nutrition and school nutrition. The program prepares students to become successful entry-level registered dietitians who embrace the values of integrity, collaboration, commitment to lifelong learning, wellness and social responsibility.

The Georgia Southern Dietetic Internship offers 13 credit hours of graduate coursework and 1,200 hours of supervised practice experiences designed to meet ACEND Core Competencies for the registered dietitian (RD).

Graduates of a Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD) are eligible to apply to the Georgia Southern Dietetic Internship. A maximum of 20 interns are admitted annually to the Georgia Southern Dietetic Internship: 10 in the Community Nutrition concentration and 10 in the School Nutrition concentration.

Upon successful completion of the DI, interns are eligible to sit for the Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) registration examination for dietitians.



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## SUPERVISED PRACTICE EXPERIENCES

### COMMUNITY NUTRITION\*

Coastal Health District WIC  
Bulloch County Food Bank  
UGA Cooperative Extension  
Mainstreet Farmers Market  
Georgia Southern Wellness

### SCHOOL NUTRITION\*

Lee Family Farms  
Georgia Southern Eagle Dining  
Various acute care foodservice operations  
Georgia Board of Education School Nutrition Program  
Various local school nutrition programs

*\*Additional sites include various acute and long-term care clinical facilities*

