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Submit following documents to:

School of Nursing - Nurse Anesthesia
Arkansas State University
P.O. Box 910
State University, AR 72467-0910
Phone: (870) 972-3074
Fax: (870) 972-3021

- Application to Nurse Anesthesia Program.
- Three recommendations attesting applicant's professional ability. One recommendation must be from the applicant's current nurse manager.
- Resume.
- Professional goal statement.
- Personal interviews with qualified applicants.

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING IN NURSE ANESTHESIA

The MSN in Nurse Anesthesia is a 28-month, 88-credit hour, full time program that prepares registered nurses for entry into nurse anesthesia practice. Upon completion of the program, graduates are eligible to take the national certification examination administered by the National Board for Certification and Recertification of Nurse Anesthetists. Satisfactory performance is necessary in order to practice as a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist.

The Nurse Anesthesia Program begins annually in January. Interviews are by invitation only. The application deadline is June 1. To be considered for early admission, application materials must be submitted by April 1.

The Nurse Anesthesia Program offers a full scope of practice and educational experiences with clinical sites in Arkansas, Mississippi, Missouri and Tennessee.

If you have questions, you may email
the MSN Program Director: aschmidt@astate.edu,
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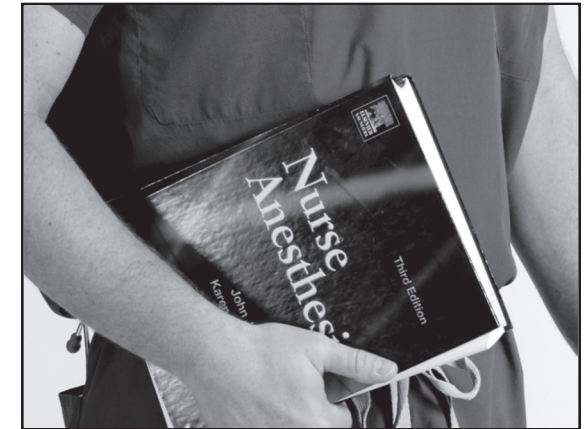
■ ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- A Registered Nurse with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from a nationally and regionally accredited college or university.
- Completed application to the Graduate School and Nurse Anesthesia Program.
- Undergraduate GPA of 3.0 overall or 4.0 scale.
- Graduate level descriptive and inferential statistics.
- Current unrestricted/unencumbered license to practice as a Registered Nurse.
- Two years of critical care experience as a Registered Nurse in a critical care area with emphasis on interpretation and use of advanced hemodynamic monitoring techniques, psychomotor skills and independent decision making.
- CCRN or CSC required
- Current BCLS, ACLS and PALS certification.



ACADEMIC COURSE PROGRESSION

NURS 6523 Basic Principles of Anesthesia I	3
NURS 6113 Anesthesia Pharmacology I	3
NURS 6223 Anesthesia Anatomy, Physiology and Pathophysiology I	3
NURS 6042 Technology and Equipment For Nurse Anesthesia	2
NURS 6413 Advanced Chemistry and Physics related to Anesthesia	3
NURS 6311 Clinical Practicum I	1
NURS 6533 Advanced Principles of Anesthesia I	3
NURS 6123 Anesthesia Pharmacology II	3
NURS 6233 Anesthesia Anatomy, Physiology and Pathophysiology II	3
NURS 6043 Regional Anesthesia and Analgesia	3
NURS 6322 Clinical Practicum II	2
NURS 6543 Advanced Principles of Anesthesia II	3
NURS 6243 Anesthesia Pharmacology III	3
NURS 6253 Anesthesia Anatomy, Physiology and Pathophysiology III	3
NURS 6333 Clinical Practicum III	3
NURS 6553 Advanced Principles of Anesthesia III	3
NURS 6103 Research Design and Methodology	3
NURS 6346 Clinical Practicum IV	6
NURS 6203 Theory Development in Nursing	3
NURS 6423 Professional Aspects of Nurse Anesthesia	3
NURS 6736 Clinical Internship I	6
NURS 6723 Synthesis Seminar I	3
NURS 6787 Clinical Internship II	7
NURS 6773 Synthesis Seminar II	3
NURS 6797 Clinical Internship III	7
NURS 6023 Advanced Assessment and Diagnostic Evaluation	3
Total credit hours	88



Arkansas State University offers a Master of Science in Nursing in Nurse Anesthesia. The anesthesia program is accredited by:

The Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs
222 S. Prospect Avenue
Park Ridge, IL 60068-4001
Phone: (847) 655-1160 Fax: (847) 692-7137

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