**Request for waiver of GRE for applicants to the**

**Master of Public Administration or Master of Public Policy programs**

The MPA and MPP programs allow applicants to request a waiver of the Graduate Records Examination (GRE) as required by the UD Office of Graduate and Professional Studies. No waiver is guaranteed and we encourage each applicant to consider taking the GRE as part of the application process. The GRE is one of the benchmarks we evaluate to ensure that an applicant may successfully handle the rigors of the MPA and MPP programs. Yet, for those applicants with significant work experience or academic achievement, we can consider waiving the GRE requirement.

Applicants **may** be granted a waiver of the GRE requirement by meeting **both** of the following conditions (Please check all boxes that apply):

* *2+ of full time, relevant career experience*
* *An undergraduate GPA of 3.0 and a recommendation from a current supervisor/colleague.*

To be considered for a waiver of the GRE requirement, please provide the following information and upload this form in the online application under **supplemental documents**.

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| First and Last Name: |  |
| Years of Work Experience |  |
| Undergraduate Degree |  |
| Undergraduate GPA |  |
| Graduate Degree (or credits  toward a graduate degree) |  |

*If you do not meet one of the two qualifications above but would still like to request a GRE Waiver based on your relevant work experience or academic achievements; please write a brief essay explaining your rationale for requesting a GRE waiver. You may use a second page if needed.*