

# BRYN MAWR COLLEGE

## THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

### Application for Admission

Applications for admission with financial support must be postmarked by January 3, 2011.

Applications for admission only, except to the program in Clinical Developmental Psychology, must be postmarked by June 30, 2011.

No applications to Clinical Developmental Psychology will be accepted after January 3, 2011.

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| ID                    |
| DEPT.                 |
| AWARD                 |
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| REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:   |
| TRANSCRIPT(S)         |
| RECOMMENDATIONS 1 2 3 |
| STATEMENT OF PURPOSE  |
| GRE V Q A             |
| GRE SUBJECT           |
| TOEFL                 |
| TSE                   |
| RESEARCH OR ESSAYS    |
| APPLICATION FEE       |

**I. PERSONAL INFORMATION** (please type or print)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mr., Mrs., Miss, Ms.) (Give full name, underlining family name)

Please designate in full the name you prefer for correspondence:

\_\_\_\_\_

Present address: \_\_\_\_\_ Valid until: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number (present address) \_\_\_\_\_ (work) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number (permanent address) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Citizenship \_\_\_\_\_

If not a U.S. citizen, are you a permanent resident? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your visa status? \_\_\_\_\_

**II. PLANS FOR GRADUATE STUDY AT BRYN MAWR**

1. When do you wish to enter (month/year)? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Do you wish to be considered for financial support? \_\_\_\_\_

3. In what department do you wish to study? \_\_\_\_\_

Specializing in \_\_\_\_\_

4. Degree sought (please check) M.A. \_\_\_\_\_ Ph.D. \_\_\_\_\_

If M.A., do you wish to continue to the Ph.D? \_\_\_\_\_

**Postmark deadline January 3** for all applications for admission with financial support.

### III. ACADEMIC HISTORY

1. List in chronological order all colleges and universities attended with degrees received or expected:

| Undergraduate Institution | Major Field | Dates Attended | Degree |
|---------------------------|-------------|----------------|--------|
|                           |             |                |        |
|                           |             |                |        |
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| Graduate Institution      |             |                |        |
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2. Honors, scholarships or prizes received \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

### IV. LANGUAGES AND RESEARCH SKILLS

English (to be answered by applicants whose native language is not English):

1. How well do you read, write and speak English? \_\_\_\_\_

2. How did you acquire this ability? \_\_\_\_\_

(Note: proof of proficiency in English is required of all applicants whose native language is not English;  
 see page 4, #7)

Other (to be answered by all applicants):

1. What languages other than English can you read?

| Language | Indicate Years of Study |         |                        |
|----------|-------------------------|---------|------------------------|
|          | Secondary School        | College | Other (please specify) |
|          |                         |         |                        |
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2. What computer languages do you know? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Have you had any training in statistics? Describe \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

4. Have you had training in mathematics beyond college algebra? Specify course(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**V. CAREER**

Profession for which you are preparing (e.g., teaching, research, government service, business, industry)

\_\_\_\_\_

Previous employment, occupation or practical experience, with dates (include a c.v. if you prefer)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Publications \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**VI. OTHER INFORMATION**

**The following items are optional. No information you provide will be used in a discriminatory manner.** Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Place of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security number, if any \_\_\_\_\_

*City State or Country*

First language, if other than English: \_\_\_\_\_ Language spoken at home \_\_\_\_\_

If you wish to be identified with a particular ethnic group, please check all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> African American, Black  | <input type="checkbox"/> Mexican American, Chicano         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native American, Alaska native (tribal affiliation _____ enrolled _____) | <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian, Pacific Islander |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian American (country of family's origin _____)                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Puerto Rican                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian, including from Indian subcontinent (country, family origin _____) | <input type="checkbox"/> White or Caucasian                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic, Latino/Latina (country, family origin _____)                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify _____)             |

Person to be notified in case of emergency:

a) In the United States \_\_\_\_\_

Name Telephone

Address \_\_\_\_\_

b) In home country \_\_\_\_\_

Name Telephone

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied previously to Bryn Mawr College? If so, indicate date and program

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I certify that all the information supplied on this application is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: If you are accepted for admission, the Graduate School will send you a health form which must be completed before you will be permitted to register

APPLICATION FEE (not refundable:) \$50.00

IN SUPPORT OF YOUR APPLICATION YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT:

1. **Official transcripts** of your academic record (graduate and undergraduate) from every college or university you have attended. If individual courses are not shown, please send a list with grades, signed by the appropriate administrator.
2. **Letters of recommendation** from at least three people who can speak specifically to your ability to successfully complete a graduate degree in the field in which you are applying, including at least one professor in your proposed area of specialization. Letters should be sent by the referees directly to the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences at the address below.
3. **A statement of your particular interest** in the field in which you are applying, the advanced work you have done in it, and your reasons for studying it at Bryn Mawr.
4. **Official scores of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE)**. For information see [www.gre.org](http://www.gre.org).
5. **If applying in Classical and Near Eastern Archaeology, History of Art, or Greek, Latin and Classical Studies**, a recent research paper or critical essay written for an advanced course or publication.
6. **If applying in French**, two essays, one in French written for an advanced undergraduate course or graduate seminar, and one in English.
7. **If applying in Clinical Developmental Psychology**, a description of your relevant research and clinical experience, areas of current research interest and future career goals. Please be sure to indicate the Psychology faculty member(s) whose research is of *particular* interest to you. For more information follow this link: <http://www.brynmawr.edu/psychology/cdpp/applying.shtml>.
8. **If applying in Physics**, the results of the GRE Subject Test in Physics.
9. **If your native language is not English**, you must submit official scores of the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) or the International English Language Testing System (IELTS). Your application *will not be considered* if the scores are below the required minimums; for TOEFL: 600 (paper-based); 250 (computer-based); 100 (iBT); for IELTS: 7. Exceptions to the TOEFL/IELTS requirement may be made for applicants who (a) have lived in the U.S. for three years or more, or (b) have graduated from a college or university at which the language of instruction is English. You must provide proof of residency or a transcript.
10. **The application fee of \$50.00**. The fee is waived for McNair scholars and Fulbright nominees if they so identify themselves. Applicants for whom the fee poses a hardship may request a waiver from the Dean. No application will be considered until the fee has been paid or a waiver granted.

List letters, test scores, transcripts and other documents that will arrive separately:

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**This application, the supporting documents listed above and the application fee must be sent to  
Graduate School of Arts and Sciences  
Office of Admissions  
Bryn Mawr College  
101 N. Merion Avenue  
Bryn Mawr, PA 19010, U.S.A.**