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# Admissions Q&A Workshop: Master of Nursing (MN) & Post-Master Nurse Practitioner Diploma (PM-NP)

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# Introductions



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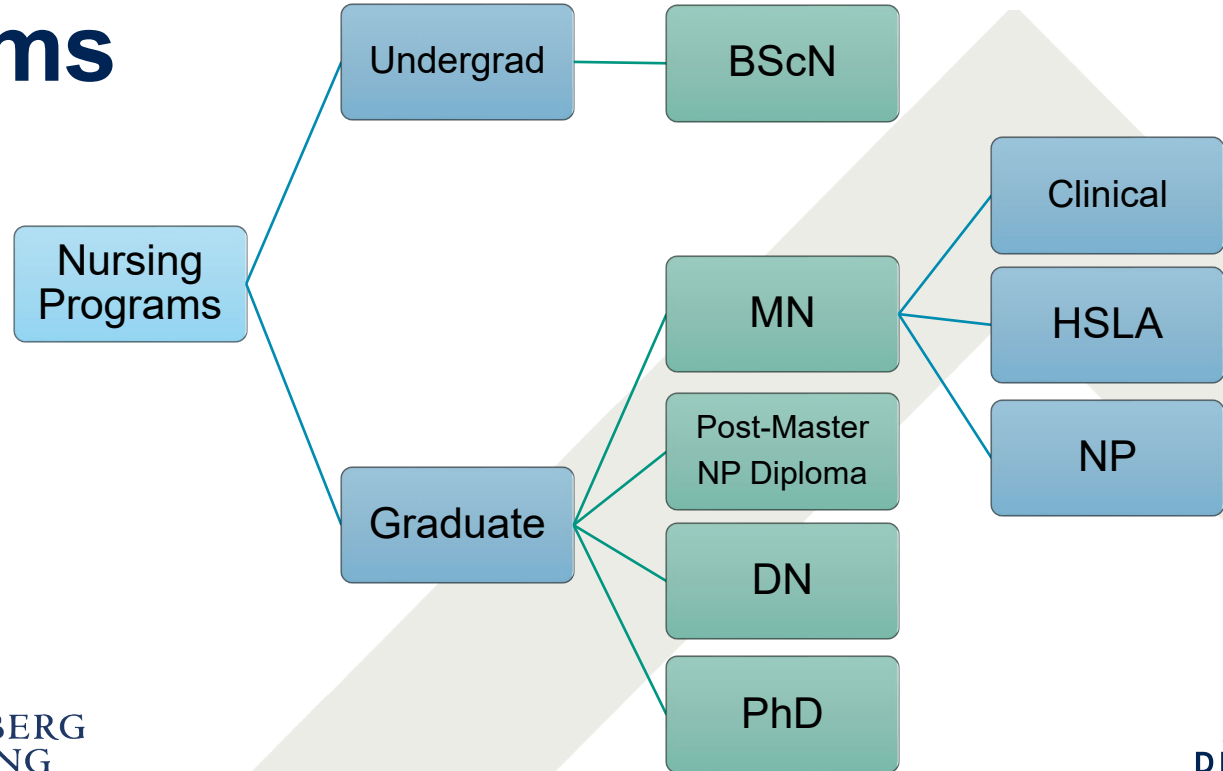Admissions & Recruitment Officer

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# MN & PMNP Admissions Q&A Workshop



- Overview of admissions and eligibility requirements
- Reviewing the steps for applying
- Answering pre-submitted questions categorized by theme:
  - Application process
  - Eligibility
  - Letter of Intent and CV
  - References
  - Transcripts
  - Admissions Statistics
  - Other questions

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# Minimum Admission Requirements

☑ Bachelor's degree in nursing, equivalent to U of T BScN

☑ PM-NP applicants must hold a Master of Nursing degree

☑ Mid-B or 75% standing in **both** final 2 years of BScN (or equivalent) study

☑ RN registration with CNO (or equivalent in your home jurisdiction)

☑ Proof of English Facility (if degree is from outside of Canada and English is not the primary language of instruction)

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# Minimum Admission Requirements

☑ HSLA program applicants must have 3,900 hours of RN practice prior to beginning the program

☑ NP program applicants must have 3,900 hours of hands-on clinical RN practice prior to beginning the program

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# Documents Required

Letter of Intent

Curriculum Vitae – please follow formatting as outlined on our website

2 Letters of Reference (Academic and Manager/Direct Supervisor)

Official Transcripts (e-transcripts)

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# Letter of Intent Questions:
# MN Nurse Practitioner (NP)

- In ~200 words please describe how your previous health studies, and your professional and clinical leadership experiences have led you to pursue the NP program.

- In ~200 words please describe your short and long-term career objectives and how they will be advanced by the Nurse Practitioner program.

- In ~200 words please outline what you hope to gain from your clinical placements.

# Letter of Intent Questions: MN Clinical Nursing & HSLA

- In ~300 words please describe your short and long-term career objectives and how they will be advanced by the MN degree.

- In ~300 words please outline any leadership contributions (formal or informal), at the undergraduate or professional level, that are important for the Admissions Committee to know about.

# Categories to Help Develop the CV

You will be asked to upload your Curriculum Vitae (CV) to the online application. **Use the categories listed below to help develop your CV.** If a particular heading does not apply, you may leave it out.

- Academic education (post-secondary degrees, diplomas, certificates)
- Continuing education (including workshops, professional development)
- Awards and honours (e.g., practice awards from employing organization, bursaries, scholarships)
- Professional employment (Please note whether roles were full-time, part-time, or casual)
- Relevant presentations / publications / research
- Current membership in professional organizations
- Committees (e.g., work-related, professional)
- Clinical / administrative / practice innovations (please provide brief descriptions or examples)
- Membership in research-oriented organizations (please specify role)
- Relevant volunteer activities

# Academic Reference



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- From a professor/lecturer/instructor who taught you, graded your written work during your BScN (not a preceptor or CI)

# Manager/Direct Supervisor Reference

- A manager or direct supervisor who is familiar with your work and professional accomplishments (e.g. leadership, contribution to nursing, involvement in professional organizations)

- Please note: a colleague is not an appropriate professional reference

# How to apply

Apply here:
https://admissions.sgs.utoronto.ca/apply

Early deadline for awards consideration (MN only): **January 15**

Final deadline: **April 30**

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# Pre-submitted Questions

Please refer to the PDF of the Q&A Transcript

- ➤ We added the questions asked live during the workshop to the document

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## Questions?

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