

## **MS in CIS Admission Requirements Effective Fall 2025**

### **Admission Requirements of the Program:**

- Bachelor's degree from a recognized accredited college/university
- Official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended
- Two letters of recommendation
- Immunization automatically waived
- One of the following:
  - Minimum Undergraduate GPA of 3.0 (GRE/GMAT/essay waived) OR
  - Minimum Undergraduate GPA of 2.5 and one of the following:
    - GRE Score of 280 (Verbal plus quantitative) or equivalent GMAT Score
    - Two to three-page essay on experience in information systems field and why the student is an appropriate fit for the Northwestern State Computer Information Systems program. Format should be Times New Roman, 12-point font, 1-inch margins, and APA style.

For graduate transfer students, admission to the MS in Computer Information Systems program requires the following items:

- Bachelor's degree from a recognized accredited college/university
- Two letters of recommendation
- Official transcripts from all colleges/universities attended
- Nine earned graduate hours with a 3.0 or higher graduate GPA from a recognized accredited higher education institution