

# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN ACADEMIC ADVISING

The online Academic Advising Certificate is designed for both beginners and experienced individuals interested in academic advising for higher education institutions. This certificate will provide enhanced training for academic advising professionals and is also valuable for individuals who have supervisory or leadership responsibilities in academic advising. The certificate requires 15 hours of graduate credit.

This Graduate Certificate is eligible to receive Title IV funding – Direct Unsubsidized Loans and Graduate PLUS loans by request. To be considered for aid, students need to submit a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Applicants seeking admission to the graduate certificate in academic advising must submit the following directly to the Office of Graduate Admissions (<https://www.shsu.edu/dept/graduate-admissions/prospective-students.html>):

1. Graduate Application (<http://www.shsu.edu/admissions/apply-texas.html>)
2. Application fee (<http://www.shsu.edu/dept/graduate-studies/application-fee.html>)
3. Official transcript from the baccalaureate degree granting institution
4. Three Recommendation Forms

## Application Deadlines

1. November 1 - Spring
2. April 1 - Summer
3. July 1 - Fall

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Code	Title	Hours
<b>Graduate Certificate in Academic Advising</b>		
<b>Specified Courses</b>		
HIED 5367	Diverse Student Populations	3
HIED 5370	Career Advising in Higher Education	3
HIED 5390	Concepts in Academic Advising	3
HIED 6360	Student Services In Higher Education	3
HIED 6372	Practicum in Higher Education <sup>1</sup>	3
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>15</b>

<sup>1</sup> Selection of a practicum site should be made in consultation with the Graduate Advisor.