

Information, Risk, and Operations Management

*Master of Science in Information, Risk, and Operations Management
Doctor of Philosophy*

applicant's academic record, test scores, personal statement, résumé, and letters of recommendation. Students must enter the PhD program in the fall semester.

For More Information

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Facilities for Graduate Work

Faculty members and graduate students in information, risk, and operations management are involved in the work of the Center for Business, Technology, and Law, the Center for Research in Electronic Commerce, the risk management and insurance program, and the Supply Chain Center of Excellence. Additional research centers that support graduate work in the McCombs School, as well as the school's physical facilities and computing systems, are described in the business administration section under [Facilities for Graduate Work](#).

Areas of Study

The graduate degrees in Information, Risk, and Operations Management are offered with four independent concentrations: decision science; information systems; operations management; and statistics.

Graduate Studies Committee

The following faculty members served on the Graduate Studies Committee (GSC) in the spring 2025 semester.

Ashish Agarwal	Caleb Kwon
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Admission Requirements

Admission to information, risk, and operations management programs is extremely competitive. The admission decisions are based on the