TEMPLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PODIATIC MEDICINE

Dean: John Mattiacci, DPM

GENERAL INFORMATION

TUSPM is an integral component of Temple University’s internationally renowned comprehensive academic health sciences center, joining the schools of medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, and the college of public health. As a result of this alliance, the school of podiatric medicine is able to provide enhanced clinical, academic and research opportunities for its students.

Located in the heart of Philadelphia’s historic, cultural, and medical communities, the TUSPM campus is composed of the six-story Academic Building, the Foot and Ankle Institute and the seven-story student apartment complex, All Temple University (TU) facilities, services and activities are available to students, including numerous libraries, computer resource centers, and sports and cultural events.

TUSPM students participate in clinical rotations at Temple University Hospitals, which provides a unique opportunity to collaborate with Temple University’s Medical School, other TU professional schools, and health care professionals in the Temple University Health System. Through this collaboration, TUSPM students are able to provide services, develop and implement health education and health care programs, both nationally and in the Philadelphia region. Furthermore, TUSPM is affiliated with over 150 hospitals across the country where our students participate in clinical externships.

Our students gain invaluable clinical experiences as first year students participating in Standardized Patient evaluations.

The Foot and Ankle Institute (FAI) experiences, on average for the past 4 years, over 35,000 patient visits per year and has specialty areas for the care of podiatric, diabetic, vascular disease and sports medicine patients. The FAI clinical centers: Chiropractic Center, Limb Salvage Center, Lymphedema Clinic and our two Diabetic and Wound Healing Centers; allow for an interdisciplinary approach to patient centered care. Also within the Institute is the 2,500 square foot full body Physical Therapy Center. The Academic Building provides modern classrooms with state of the art multimedia technology, teaching laboratories, two outpatient surgery suites, a clinic skills lab, the Bioengineering Research Laboratory and the Cast Study Center. The Krausz Library provides the most comprehensive information on podiatric medicine and surgery.

MISSION STATEMENT:
To educate highly qualified, ethical and professional podiatric medical students, who upon completion of the curriculum, are prepared for licensure and entry into post-graduate medical education; and to advance our profession through research, quality patient care and community service.

TYPE OF INSTITUTION: PUBLIC
DATE FOUNDED: 1914 (TEMPLE COLLEGE OF CHIROPODY)
TERM TYPE: SEMESTER

BACcalaureate Degree preferred: YES
ACCEPtable minimum number of semester hours: 90
QUARTER UNIT HOURS: 135

ACCEPTS ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP) CREDITS: YES

ACADEMIC PREPARATION OF 2018 ENTERING CLASS:
BACcalaureate: 90
# OF STUDENTS APPLIED: 495
# OF STUDENTS MAtICULATED: 95
PH.D OR OTHER DOCTORATE: 0

PREREQUISITE REQUIRED RECOMMENDED LAB REQUIRED CREDITS

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PREPARATION EXTRAS: NOT REPORTED

MCAT

MCAT: MANDATORY

MCAT EXAMS TAKEN MORE THAN THREE (3) YEARS PRIOR TO APPLICATION CYCLE START DATE ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE.

LATEST MCAT TEST ADMINISTRATION ACCEPTABLE FOR APPLICATION CYCLE: JUNE

2018 GPA RESULTS

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<td>SCIENCE GPA</td>
<td>2.8 - 3.9</td>
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<td>2.8 - 4.0</td>
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**ENTERING CLASS DEMOGRAPHICS (CONTINUED)**

- **WHITE**: 46%
- **SPANISH-SPEAKING LATINO/LATINA**: 4%
- **ASIAN**: 4%
- **BLACK OR AFRICAN AMERICAN**: 4%
- **OTHER**: 8%

**AGE**
- RANGE: 20 - 37
- AVERAGE: 23.5

**COMBINED DEGREES OFFERED**

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**SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES**

- **PRE-PODIATRY**
  - FREE SUMMER AND WINTER INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS
  - FALL AND SPRING OPEN HOUSES
  - INDIVIDUAL CAMPUS VISITS

**CURRENT STUDENT SERVICES**

- **SUMMER ACADEMIC REINFORCEMENT PROGRAM**
- **STUDENT, FACULTY AND ALUMNI MENTORING**
- **RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES**
- **GRADUATE HOUSING AND FITNESS CENTER**
- **PEER TUTORING**
- **ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO LECTURES**
- **ALL STUDENTS RECEIVE AN IPAD UPON ENTRANCE**

**PENNSYLVANIA**

**APPLICATION PROCESS**

**APPLICATION SERVICES**: AACPMAS

**EARLIEST FILING DATE**: OPENING DATE OF AACPMAS

**LATEST FILING DATE**: THE FINAL APPLICATION DEADLINE DATE IS JUNE 30TH OF EACH YEAR FOR FALL ADMISSION OF THE SAME YEAR

**SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION REQUIRED**: NO

**RECOMMENDATION LETTERS**: YES

**SEND LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION BY**: LETTERS BY LIASON: YES INTERFACIAL: YES VIRTUAL EVS: YES

**SEND PAPER LETTERS TO**: OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS TEMPLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE 148 N, 8TH STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19127

**MANDATORY ON-CAMPUS INTERVIEW**: YES

**DEPOSIT**

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**PREREQUISITES**

- BIOLOGY
- CHEMISTRY
- PHYSICS

**INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

International students, who have attended a foreign university, including Canadian students, are required to have their academic transcripts evaluated by:

- WORLD EDUCATION SERVICES
  BOWLING GREEN STATION
  P.O. BOX 5087
  NEW YORK, NY 10276-5087
  212-966-6313
  WWW.WES.ORG

- JOSEF SILNY & ASSOCIATES, INC.
  3101 SW 102 AVENUE
  MIAMI, FL 33173
  305-273-1616
  WWW.SILNY.COM

**INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS (CONTINUED)**

The TOEFL is required for students for whom English is not their first language and who have not attended an English-speaking University.

USMLE Step 1 and II accepted in place of MCAT

**FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION**

- 90% OF TUSPM’S STUDENTS RECEIVE FINANCIAL AID
- THREE BASIC TYPES OF FINANCIAL AID:
  - LOANS, SUCH AS FEDERAL DIRECT STUDENT LOANS AND DIRECT GRADUATE PLUS LOANS
  - HEALTH PROFESSIONS STUDENT LOANS
  - MEDFUND
- SCHOLARSHIPS BASED ON ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE, FINANCIAL NEED AND/OR COMMUNITY SERVICE
- MORE THAN 60 SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE ANNUALLY TO CURRENT STUDENTS, INCLUDING MERIT SCHOLARSHIPS
- APPROXIMATELY $500,000 AWARDED IN MERIT SCHOLARSHIP, WITH LIMITED RENEWAL, FOR INCOMING STUDENTS BASED ON UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT
- FEDERAL WORK STUDY IS PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT FOR STUDENTS WITH FINANCIAL NEED

**TUITION**

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<th>FIRST + FOURTH YEAR</th>
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<td>Tuition (Resident)</td>
<td>$39,984</td>
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| BOOKS & SUPPLIES | $1,500 |

| FIRST/SECOND YEAR ESTIMATED LIVING EXPENSES | $18,000 |
| THIRD/FOURTH YEAR ESTIMATED LIVING EXPENSES | $19,500 |

We anticipate a 2% tuition increase for the 2018-2019 academic year.

Each podiatric medical college makes every effort to provide accurate, current information. Tuition and fees are subject to change without notice. For the most up-to-date information, please visit the college’s financial aid website.

**EXTRAS**

- FACEBOOK.COM/TEMPLEPODIATRY
- TEMPLEDO.COM/TEMPLEPODIATRY