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Doctor of Arts in Information Science



 **Nova University**
INFORMATION SCIENCES

Nova University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and admits students of any race, color, and national or ethnic origin.

Doctor of Arts in Information Science

The Doctor of Arts in Information Science (D.A.I.S.) is for professionals concerned with the effective transfer of information through systems from sources to users. The program is designed to provide a vehicle for individuals to advance in their professions by learning to apply to their organizations or institutions the latest developments in computer science, telecommunications, information science and strategic management.

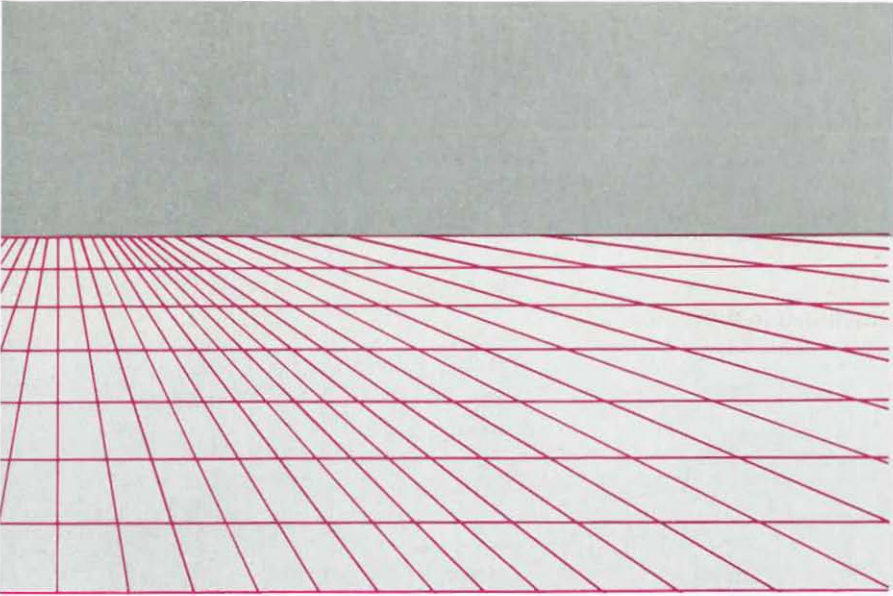
This program, by combining individual study, computer-based learning, teleconferences, regional seminars and a field project in the students' own place of work, permits them to acquire an advanced degree and, at the same time, make a significant contribution to the organizations in which they are employed.

This Information Science doctoral program is designed for those professionals who hold the following or similar positions:

- Library Director
- Information Scientist
- Media Specialist
- Learning Resource Center Director
- Information Retrieval Specialist
- Instructional Librarian
- Public Services Librarian
- Government Publications Librarian

Curriculum

In addition to allowing working professionals to pursue a systematic program of graduate study, the program is innovative in that the core courses are completed through a computer-based learning delivery



system available to the students in their locale. Teleconferencing and on-line interactive learning methods are used throughout the instructional sequence. The five core courses are:

- Digital Computers for Information Management* Computer-based Research and Statistics for Information Science
- Strategic Management for Libraries and Information Centers
- Telecommunications, Networking, and Computer Applications in Information Science
- Systems Analysis, Systems Design, Operations Research, and Computer Simulation in Information Science

Students are also required to attend four regional seminars each year of the three-year program. Seminars commence Friday evening and adjourn on Sunday afternoon. Seminars are held every three months in several geographical areas. The content of the regional seminars is integrated with the core courses, practicums and field project.

Seminars consist of presentations by recognized authorities, small group discussions and workshop sessions. The latest developments in digital computers, telecommunications and information science will be demonstrated. Pre and post-seminar study materials are provided to each student. Students are responsible for their own lodging and travel expenses at these seminars.

Other requirements include four practicums, a major field project and a comprehensive examination. Practicums are applied research projects undertaken by students to address significant problems in their institutions or organizations.

Admission

- A Master's Degree in Library and/or Information Science from a regionally accredited university
- Employed in a library or information center
- Minimum of two years professional experience in a library or information science field
- GRE Aptitude Score

Tuition

Tuition is \$3,500 per year. A partial payment plan is available. Included in the tuition are computer hardware, software and courseware necessary to complete the program. Each student will receive a terminal and equipment needed to interact with the computer at the university. Provisions will be made for tuition reduction for those students who already have a terminal available. Students must provide their own textbooks.

For more information contact: Information Sciences

(305) 475-7300

(Florida toll-free 1-800-432-5021)

OR

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YES, Please send more information about the Doctor of Arts in Information Science program.

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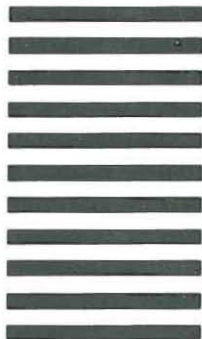
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