The Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) was established more than 60 years ago to promote the sharing of higher education resources among Western states. One of the programs WICHE created to meet this goal is the Western Regional Graduate Program (WRGP).

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How do I apply for the WRGP resident tuition rate? Apply for admission directly to the department of the program in which you wish to enroll, or to the institution’s graduate studies department. Applicants must meet all of the institution’s admissions requirements and apply within the program’s deadlines. Identify yourself as a “WICHE WRGP” applicant to be considered for the discounted tuition rate. Programs give a limited number of WRGP reduced tuition seats each year, so apply early. For more information about the programs, visit our website.

How do I establish residency for the program? You must be a resident of your home state for at least one year before applying for admission as a WRGP student. Determination of residency is made by the institution at which you are enrolling. Residents of Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawai‘i, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands are eligible for consideration.

Can I enroll through WRGP as a part-time student? Yes. Part-time students are eligible to participate in WRGP.

How are new programs added to WRGP? WICHE welcomes programs interested in participating in WRGP to submit their nomination. Department heads or graduate deans of programs should contact the WICHE Student Exchange Program office at info-sep@wiche.edu. For more details see the last page of this handout.

OTHER WICHE STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

Western Undergraduate Exchange (WUE) The Western Undergraduate Exchange provides an opportunity for residents of participating Western states to enroll in designated public undergraduate programs in other participating WICHE states at resident tuition plus 50 percent, an amount considerably less than regular nonresident tuition. For more information, visit www.wiche.edu/WUE.

Professional Student Exchange Program (PSEP) The Professional Student Exchange Program allows students with to enroll in out-of-state professional programs in 10 healthcare fields and pay reduced tuition. The fields are dentistry, medicine, occupational therapy, optometry, osteopathic medicine, pharmacy, physical therapy, physician assistant, podiatry, and veterinary medicine. For more information, visit www.wiche.edu/PSEP.
PARTICIPATING PROGRAMS (BY FIELD)

★ = NEW IN 2015  ✈️ = ONLINE OPTIONS

AGRICULTURE
Agriculture (Integrated resource management), MAg, Colorado State University
Food Safety and Quality, MFSQ, Utah State University ✈️
Food Science, MS and PhD, Washington State University
Horticulture (Water efficient landscaping), MS, Utah State University
Tropical Plant and Soil Sciences, MS and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa

ARCHITECTURE
Architecture, MArch, Arizona State University
Architectural Studies, MSAS, University of Utah ★
Built Environment, MSBE, Arizona State University
City and Metropolitan Planning, MCMP, University of Utah ★
Community Planning, GRAD CERT, Northern Arizona University ✈️
Design and Planning, PhD, University of Colorado Denver
Historic Preservation, MS, University of Colorado Denver
Interior Architecture, MLA, Arizona State University
Landscape Architecture, MLA, Arizona State University
Landscape Architecture, MLA, University of Colorado Denver ★
Landscape Architecture, MLA, University of Washington ★
Urban Design, MUD, Arizona State University
Urban Design, MUD, University of Colorado Denver
Urban and Regional Planning, MA and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Urban and Regional Planning, MURP, University of Colorado Denver

AREA, ETHNIC, CULTURAL, AND GENDER STUDIES
American Indian Studies, MS, Arizona State University
American Studies (Interdisciplinary), MA and PhD, University of New Mexico
American Studies (Folklore Specialization), MA/MS, Utah State University ★
American Studies (Interdisciplinary), MA and PhD, Washington State University
Gender and Women’s Studies, MA/JD, University of Arizona
Gender and Women’s Studies, PhD, University of Arizona
Latin American Studies, MA and PhD/MBA, University of New Mexico
Northern Studies (Interdisciplinary), MA, University of Alaska Fairbanks ✈️
Pacific Islands Studies, MA, University of Hawai‘i, Manoa
Rural Development, MA, University of Alaska Fairbanks ✈️

BIOLOGICAL AND BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES
Animal Reproduction and Biotechnology Laboratory, MS and PhD, Colorado State University
Biological Sciences, MS, PhD and DA, Idaho State University
Biomedical Science (Biotechnology and stem cell science), PSM, San Francisco State University
Biomedical Sciences, MBS, University of Northern Colorado ★
Biomedical Sciences and Biotechnology, MS, University of Colorado Denver Anschutz Medical Campus ★
Biomedical Sciences (Tropical medicine), MS and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Biostatistics, MS and PhD, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Cancer Biology (Graduate Interdisciplinary Program), PhD, University of Arizona
Computational Bioscience, PhD, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, PhD, University of Arizona
Entomology, Tropical, MS and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Genetics (Interdisciplinary), PhD, University of Arizona
Integrative Genomics, MS, Black Hills State University
Marine Biology, MS and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Microbiology and Immunology, MS and PhD, Montana State University, Bozeman
Modern Human Anatomy, MS, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Neuroscience (Interdisciplinary), PhD, University of Arizona
Neuroscience (Interdisciplinary), PhD, University of Utah
Neuroscience (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, Washington State University
Physiological Sciences (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, University of Arizona
Primate Behavior, MS, Central Washington University
Raptor Biology, MS, Boise State University
Rehabilitation Science, PhD, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Toxicology, MS and PhD, Utah State University

BUSINESS
Business Administration, MBA, Northern Arizona University
Global Supply Chain Management, MS, University of Alaska Anchorage
Healthcare Management, MBA, University of the Pacific
Hotel Administration, MS, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Human Resources, MHR, Utah State University
Management Information Systems, MS/MIS, University of Nevada Las Vegas
Management Information Systems, MMIS, Utah State University
Nonprofit Leadership and Management, MA, Arizona State University, Downtown Phoenix Campus
Project Management, MSPM, University of Alaska Anchorage

COMMUNICATION, JOURNALISM, AND TECHNOLOGY

Communication (Documentary studies), MA, Northern Arizona University
Communications, MA, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Communication and Information Sciences (Interdisciplinary), PhD, University of Hawai‘i, Manoa
Communication Studies, MA, Arizona State University, West Campus
Communication Studies, MA, University of Montana, Missoula
English (Professional Writing Emphasis), MA, Northern Arizona University
Environmental Science and Natural Resource Journalism, MA, University of Montana, Missoula
Public Communication and Technology, MS and PhD, Colorado State University
Social Technologies, MAST, Arizona State University West Campus

COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCES

Computer Science and Information Systems, PhD, University of Colorado Denver
Geographic Information Science, MS, University of Utah
Geographic Information Systems, M Eng., University of Colorado Denver
Human Language Technology (Interdisciplinary), MS, University of Arizona
Information Systems, GRAD CERT and MSIS, University of Utah
Media Arts and Computer Science, MA and MS, New Mexico Highlands University
Computational Science (PSM), PMST, University of Utah

EDUCATION

Autism Spectrum Disorders (School-based), GRAD CERT, Northern Arizona University
Bilingual and Multicultural Education (ESL), MEd, Northern Arizona University
Career and Technical Education, MEd, Northern Arizona University
Chemical Education, MS and PhD, University of Northern Colorado
Chemistry Education, MS, South Dakota State University

Deaf Education, MS, Idaho State University
Deaf Education, MEd, Utah State University
Early Childhood Special Education, MA, University of Alaska Anchorage
Education, MA, Valley City State University
Education and Human Resource Studies (Interdisciplinary), PhD, Colorado State University
Education (Visually impaired learner), MS, Portland State University
Educational Leadership (Community college/higher education; educational foundations; school leadership; principal K-12), MEd and EdD, Northern Arizona University
Educational Linguistics, PhD, University of New Mexico
Educational Technology, GRAD CERT and MEd, Northern Arizona University
Elementary Education (Continuing professional/reading K-12), MEd, Northern Arizona University
Exercise and Sport Science (Sport pedagogy), MS, University of Utah
Higher Education Administration & Leadership, MA and GRAD CERT, Adams State University
Human Relations, MEd, Northern Arizona University
Mathematics Education, MS, Northern Arizona University
Online Teaching and Learning, GRAD CERT, New Mexico State University
Reading Option, MEd, Montana State University Billings
Science Teaching, MA, Northern Arizona University
Special Education (Low prevalence disabilities), MA and EdD, University of Northern Colorado
Teaching and Teacher Education, PhD, University of Arizona
Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), MA, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Teaching Science with Certification, MA, Northern Arizona University

ENGINEERING

Aerospace Engineering Sciences, MS, ME, and PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
Bioengineering, PhD, University of California, San Francisco and Berkeley
Bioengineering, MS and PhD, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Chemical and Materials Engineering, MS and PhD, New Mexico State University
Chemical Engineering, ME, MS, and PhD, University of Utah
Computational Sciences and Robotics, MS, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
Electrical Engineering (Space studies), MS and PhD, Utah State University
Engineering (Energy systems), MS, San Francisco State University

A DNP program is not available in my home state of Nevada, which has been one of the hardest hit by the economic crisis. The University of Utah’s ‘distance option’ and the resident WRGP tuition rate allowed me to consider furthering my education. Now I’m pursuing my dream of becoming a pediatric nurse practitioner and making a difference in the lives of the kids of Nevada. I am a first generation college graduate in my family, so years ago I never would have dreamed that I would now be preparing a doctorate. Thank you!”

– Angela, Nevada resident, Doctorate of Nursing Practice, University of Utah
Engineering for Developing Communities, GRAD CERT, MS and PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
Engineering (Mechatronics or railroad engineering), MS, Colorado State University-Pueblo
Engineering Space Operations, ME, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Environmental Engineering Science, MS and PhD, Colorado School of Mines
Environmental and Sustainability Engineering, MS and PhD, University of Colorado Denver
Geological Engineering, MS, ME, and PhD, Colorado School of Mines
Geoscience (Geology, geochemistry, geological engineering, geophysical engineering, hydrogeology, and hydrogeological engineering), MS, Montana Tech of The University of Montana
Industrial and Systems Engineering, MS, Colorado State University, Pueblo
Materials Engineering and Science, MS and PhD, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
Materials Science and Engineering, PhD, Montana State University
Metallurgical/Mineral Processing Engineering, MS, Montana Tech of The University of Montana
Mining and Earth Systems Engineering (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, Colorado School of Mines
Petroleum Engineering, MS and PhD, Colorado School of Mines
Space Studies, MS, University of North Dakota

**ENGINEERING: APPLIED SCIENCES & TECHNOLOGIES**

Construction Management, MS, Colorado State University
Construction Engineering and Management, MEng and GRAD CERT, University of Colorado Denver
Solar Energy Engineering and Commercialization, PSM, Arizona State University
Telecommunications and Business, MS/MBA, University of Colorado Boulder

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

Creative Writing, MFA, Eastern Washington University
English, MAE, Arizona State University West Campus
English and the Teaching of English, MA and PhD, Idaho State University
English (Composition studies and pedagogy; literary and cultural studies; international program/TESL/TEFL), MA, Humboldt State University
English (Rhetoric and composition studies), MA and PhD, Washington State University
English (Rhetoric, writing and digital media studies), MA, Northern Arizona University
Rhetoric and Professional Communication (Interdisciplinary), PhD, New Mexico State University
Technical Communication, MSTC, Montana Tech of The University of Montana

**FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES**

Gerontology, MA, University of Northern Colorado
Gerontology (Interdisciplinary), MS, University of Utah
Human Development and Social Policy, MS, University of Utah

**FOREIGN LANGUAGES, LITERATURE AND LINGUISTICS**

Anthropology-Linguistics, PhD, University of Arizona
East Asian Languages, MA and PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
East Asian Languages and Literatures, MA and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Foreign Languages (Spanish teaching) MA, University of Northern Colorado
German Studies, MA/MBA, University of Colorado Boulder
Linguistics, MA and PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
Native American Languages and Linguistics, MA, University of Arizona
Second Language Acquisition and Teaching (Interdisciplinary), MA, GRAD CERT, PhD, University of Arizona
Second Language Studies, MA and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Second Language Teaching, MSLT, Utah State University
Spanish, MA, New Mexico State University

**HEALTH PROFESSIONS & RELATED CLINICAL SCIENCE**

Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology
Audiology, AuD, University of Colorado Boulder
Audiology, AuD, University of Northern Colorado
Audiology, AuD, Idaho State University
Audiology, AuD, University of Utah
Audiology, AuD, Utah State University
Audiology, AuD, University of Washington
Audiology/Speech Language Pathology, PhD, University of Utah
Communication Disorders, MS, Eastern Washington University
Speech-Language Pathology, MA, University of Colorado Boulder
Speech-Language Pathology, MA, University of Northern Colorado
Speech-Language Pathology, MS, Idaho State University
Speech-Language Pathology, MA/MS, Utah State University
Speech-Language Pathology, MS, University of Washington

**NURSING**

Adult/Gerontological Nurse Practitioner, DNP, New Mexico State University
Clinical Nursing Informatics, MS, University of Utah
Innovation in LEadership and ADministration (i-LEAD) in Nursing, MS and GRAD CERT, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Neonatal Nurse Practitioner, DNP, University of Utah
Nurse Educator, MS, University of Wyoming
Nurse Midwifery, DNP, University of Utah
Nursing, MS, Northern Arizona University
Nursing, PhD, University of Arizona
Nursing, PhD, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Nursing, PhD, University of North Dakota
Nursing, PhD, University of Utah
Nursing Administration, MSN, New Mexico State University
Nursing (Border health issues and disparities), PhD, New Mexico State University
Nursing (Care coordination and nursing educator), MS, Arizona State University
Nursing (Administration, education and gerontology), MSN, California State University, Stanislaus
Nursing Education, MS, Eastern New Mexico University
Nursing Education, MS, University of Arizona
Nursing Executive and Organizational Leadership, NEOL DNP, University of New Mexico
Nursing (Health care informatics), MS, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Nursing and Healthcare Innovation, PhD, Arizona State University
Nursing Practice, DNP, University of Arizona
Nursing Practice, DNP, Arizona State University
Nursing Practice, DNP, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Nursing Practice, DNP, Oregon Health & Science University
Nursing Practice, DNP, University of Wyoming
Nursing Science, MS, University of Alaska, Anchorage
Nursing Science, PhD, Oregon Health & Science University
Outreach Nurse Practitioner, DNP, University of Utah
PhD in Nursing, PhD, University of New Mexico
Public/Community Health Nursing, DNP-P/CHN, New Mexico State University
Women's Health Nurse Practitioner, DNP, University of Utah

“One of the biggest worries for prospective and enrolled graduate students is funding. WRGP opens doors by providing out-of-state students with in-state tuition. This makes graduate studies far more affordable and gives students from the West some level of preferential admission. The money I’ve saved by enrolling through WRGP has allowed me to put that savings towards research, attending conferences, and networking; taking advantage of these opportunities is imperative for me to become a successful professional. WRGP has allowed me to pursue my goals of providing mental health services to combat veterans, many of whom I served with in the Iraq War.”

– Christian, U.S. Marine Corps (Combat Veteran), California resident, Clinical Health Psychology, PhD, University of Colorado Denver

PUBLIC HEALTH

Community Health Education, MPH, New Mexico State University

Epidemiology, MS and PhD, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus

Health Services Research, PhD, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus

Health Services Research, Policy and Administration, MS, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus

Public Health, MPH and DrPH, University of Arizona

Public Health, DrPH, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus

Public Health, MPH, jointly offered by Colorado State University, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus, and the University of Northern Colorado

Public Health (Global health studies and public health sciences), GRAD CERT, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus

Public Health, MPH, Idaho State University

Public Health, MPH, University of Nevada Reno

Public Health (population health analytics or health management and policy), MPH, University of North Dakota

Public Health, GRAD CERT, eMPH, University of Washington

OTHER HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS

Addiction Studies, MA, University of South Dakota

Assistive Technology, GRAD CERT, Northern Arizona University

Athletic Training, MS, Montana State University, Billings

Athletic Training, MS, South Dakota State University

Biomedical Informatics, GRAD CERT, MS and PhD, University of Utah

Coaching Wellness, MS, University of Utah

Dental Hygiene, MS, Eastern Washington University

Dietetics, Nutrition, and Exercise Physiology, MS, Washington State University, Spokane

Environmental Health Sciences, MS and PhD, Colorado State University

Health Administration, MHA, Montana State University, Billings

Health and Policy Administration, MHPA, Washington State University, Spokane

Health Informatics, MS, Dakota State University

Healthcare Administration, MBA/MHA, MPA/MHA, MPH/MHA, University of Utah

Human Rehabilitation, PhD, University of Northern Colorado

Medical Laboratory Science, MS, Idaho State University

Medical Laboratory Science, MS, University of North Dakota

Occupational Therapy, OTD, University of Utah

Public Administration (Health administration), MPA:HA, Portland State University
Public Economics (Health economics), MA and PhD, University of New Mexico
Radiological Health Sciences, MS and PhD, Colorado State University
Rehabilitation Counseling with the Deaf, MS, Western Oregon University
Sport and Exercise Science (Biomechanics, social psychology, exercise physiology), MS and PhD, University of Northern Colorado

**HISTORY**

American Studies/Historic Preservation (Interdisciplinary), MA, University of Wyoming
Historic Preservation (Interdisciplinary), MS, University of Oregon
Historical Resources Management, MA, Idaho State University
History, DA, University of North Dakota
Public History, MA, Eastern Washington University
Public History, MA and PhD, Washington State University

**MATHEMATICS**

Educational Mathematics, PhD, University of Northern Colorado
Mathematics, DA, Idaho State University
Mathematics (Math ed), MS, Montana State University, Bozeman

**NATURAL RESOURCES, CONSERVATION, AND SUSTAINABILITY**

Applied Marine and Watershed Science, MS, California State University, Monterey Bay
Arid Lands Resource Sciences (Interdisciplinary), PhD, University of Arizona
Climate Science and Solutions, PSM, Northern Arizona University
Cultural and Environmental Resource Management, MS, Central Washington University
Ecology of the Northern Great Plains, PhD, University of North Dakota
Environment and Natural Resources, Dual Masters, University of Wyoming
Environmental Education, MS, Southern Oregon University
Environmental Science and Management, MS, Idaho State University
Environmental Sciences and Policy, MS, Northern Arizona University
Environmental Sciences, MEM, MS, and PhD, Portland State University
Environmental Studies (Interdisciplinary), MS/MBA, University of Colorado Boulder
Environmental Systems, MS, Humboldt State University
Forestry, MF, Northern Arizona University
Land Rehabilitation, MS, Montana State University, Bozeman
Mineral and Energy Economics, MS and PhD, Colorado School of Mines

**Natural Resources**

Natural Resources, MS, Humboldt State University
Natural Resources and Environmental Management, MS and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Natural Resources Conflict Resolution, GRAD CERT, University of Montana, Missoula
Sustainability, MSS, Black Hills State University
Sustainability, Grad Cert, University of Utah
Water Science and Management (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, New Mexico State University
Watershed Science (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, Utah State University

**PARKS, RECREATION, AND TOURISM; LEISURE, AND FITNESS STUDIES**

Community Resources and Development, MS and PhD, Arizona State University, Downtown Phoenix Campus
Parks, Recreation and Tourism, MS, PhD, and EdD, University of Utah
Recreation and Tourism, MS, California State University, East Bay

**PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

Philosophy, MA and PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
Philosophy (Asian and comparative), MA and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa

**PHYSICAL SCIENCES**

Applied Chemistry, MS and PhD, Colorado School of Mines
Applied Environmental Geoscience, PSM, Utah State University
Applied Geospatial Sciences, MS, Northern Arizona University
Astrophysical and Planetary Sciences, PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
Atmospheric Sciences, MS and PhD, University of Arizona
Atmospheric and Environmental Sciences, MS and PhD, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
Chemical Physics, PhD, University of Nevada, Reno
Chemistry, MS and PhD, New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology
Climate Science, MS and PhD, Utah State University
Coatings and Polymeric Materials (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, North Dakota State University
Earth Sciences, MA, University of Northern Colorado
Geochemistry, MS, PSM, and PhD, Colorado School of Mines
Geosciences for Professionals, MGeo, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Hydrologic Sciences, MS and PhD, University of Nevada, Reno
Hydrology (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, Colorado School of Mines
Infrared Astrophysics, MS and PhD, University of Wyoming
Nanoscience, PSM, Arizona State University
Nanoscience and Nanoengineering, PhD, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
Natural Science, MNS, Arizona State University
Oceanography (Interdisciplinary), MS and PhD, University of Hawai‘i at Manoa
Optical Science and Engineering, MS and PhD, University of New Mexico
Optical Sciences, GRAD CERT, MS and PhD, University of Arizona
Paleontology, MS, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology
Physics, MS and PhD, New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology
Physics (Space physics), MS, New Mexico State University
Physics (General), MS and PhD, University of Colorado Boulder
Science Instrumentation (PSM), PMST-SI, University of Utah
Upper Atmospheric Physics, MS and PhD, Utah State University
Water Resources Administration, MWR, University of New Mexico

PSYCHOLOGY AND MENTAL HEALTH
Applied Behavioral Analysis for Special Education, GRAD CERT and MS, Montana State University, Billings
Clinical-Community Psychology, joint PhD, University of Alaska Anchorage/University of Alaska Fairbanks
Clinical Health Psychology, PhD, University of Colorado Denver
Clinical Mental Health Counseling (Couples, marriage and family therapy), MA, University of Northern Colorado
Clinical Mental Health Counseling/Counselor, MA/MS, Southern Oregon University
Clinical Psychology, PhD, Idaho State University
Counseling (Student affairs), MEd, Northern Arizona University
Counseling and Human Services, MA, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Counseling Psychology, MA and PhD, University of Northern Colorado
Counseling Psychology, PhD, University of North Dakota
Counselor Education and Supervision, PhD, University of Northern Colorado
Educational Psychology, MA and PhD, University of Northern Colorado
Experimental Psychology, PhD, Idaho State University
Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, MS, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus
Family Psychiatric Mental Health Nursing/Nurse Practitioner, DNP, New Mexico State University
Positive Behavior Support, GRAD CERT, Northern Arizona University
Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner, MS, University of Utah
Psychology, MS, Arizona State University, West Campus
Psychology (Psychological sciences), MA, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Rehabilitation Counseling, MA, University of Northern Colorado
Rehabilitation and Mental Health Counseling, MS, Montana State University, Billings
School Counseling, MA, University of Northern Colorado
School Psychology, PsyD, University of Colorado Denver
School Psychology, EdS and PhD, University of Northern Colorado
Social Psychology (Interdisciplinary), PhD, University of Nevada, Reno

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND SOCIAL SERVICE PROFESSIONS
Administration, MA, Northern Arizona University
Administration of Justice, MA, University of Alaska Fairbanks
Disability Policy and Practice, GRAD CERT, Northern Arizona University
Public Administration, PhD, Arizona State University
Public Administration, GRAD CERT and MPA, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Public Administration, MPA, Portland State University
Public Administration (Gender-based violence and public policy), MPA, University of Colorado Denver
Public Administration (Nonprofit organizations), GRAD CERT and MPA, University of Colorado Denver
Public Administration (Public affairs), PhD, University of Colorado Denver
Public Policy, MPP, University of Utah
Social Work, MSW, University of Alaska, Anchorage
Social Work, MSW and PhD, Arizona State University
Social Work, PhD, University of Utah
Social Work, MSW and GRAD CERT, University of Wyoming
Social Work (Rural and changing communities), MSW and PhD, Colorado State University
Social Work (Rural regional and small urban), MSW, Eastern Washington University

SOCIAL SCIENCES AND LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES
Anthropology and Business, MA/MBA, University of Colorado Boulder
Anthropology, MA, University of Colorado Denver
Applied Anthropology (Archaeology, linguistic anthropology, and sociocultural anthropology), MA, Northern Arizona University
Applied Geography, MA, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
Applied Geography (Geospatial science), MAG, New Mexico State University
Applied Sociology, MA, Northern Arizona University
Archaeology, MA and PhD, Washington State University
Criminal Justice, MCJ, New Mexico State University
Economic Development, DED, New Mexico State University
How Graduate Programs Join WRGP

WRGP is a western regional tuition reciprocity agreement that helps departments build robust programs by diversifying their student enrollment and filling seats in distinct programs that might otherwise go unfilled. Students can enroll directly in the program through WRGP and are not dependent upon the approval of their home state to participate, because the student’s home state does not provide funding for each individual student. This represents a tremendous opportunity for WICHE states to share distinctive programs (and the faculty who teach them) and build their workforce in a variety of disciplines, particularly healthcare.

To participate in WRGP, programs must agree to charge students no more than resident tuition. The receiving institution/department does not receive additional tuition support for WRGP students from the enrolling student’s home state.

If you know of a particular program that is interested in applying to participate in the WRGP network, have the program chair or graduate studies dean contact WICHE’s director of Student Exchange Programs at 303.541.0214.