



COLLEGE OF INFORMATION STUDIES

HCIM | MASTER OF SCIENCE IN
HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION

HCIM SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

For your supplemental application, please select any **THREE** of the following five questions to answer. Copy the questions you choose into a single document, then answer each one in the space beneath in 150 words or less. Answer each separately, not as a single essay. Upload all three answers as a single document.

- Find a current job opening that you could see yourself pursuing upon completion of the HCIM degree. What is the job, and how will the HCIM program prepare you for it?
- Describe a situation when a professional superior assigned you a task that went against your personal code of ethics. How did you handle it?
- Can you share an example of a project where you encountered a problem that seemed unsolvable within the confines of traditional methods but was ultimately resolved through an interdisciplinary approach?
- HCI and the field of User Experience involves understanding user behavior and anticipating their needs. Can you describe your research approach and how you uncover insights about user motivations and behaviors?
- Select a book that you believe would be invaluable for the HCIM program and describe why it holds such significance. What unique insights or perspectives does this book offer that align with the objectives of the HCIM program or the vision and mission of the INFO college?
- When it comes to interactions between humans, which characteristic of humans do you find most intriguing and why?