How can I enroll into the GIST Graduate Certificate?:

There are 2 ways to enter the GIST program for graduate students.

A. Concurrently, as an MS or PhD program student pursuing the certificate
B. Student in GIST-CERT program only (non-degree seeking – financial aid ineligible; however eligible for support through GI bill)

For (A), send an email to Christine Sanchez, Graduate Coordinator at csanchez2@utep.edu and she will ask you to fill out a form. No need for this if you have already applied in a previous term or recently.

For (B), apply through the Graduate School website where you will need transcripts and a statement of purpose. If you are enrolled in coursework and are non-degree seeking, then you have already done this.

Program Details – [https://www.utep.edu/science/gist/about/gist.html](https://www.utep.edu/science/gist/about/gist.html)

15 credit hours (if concurrent, double-count toward degree)
Consist of required courses (Intro to GIST, Adv. GIST = 6 hours)
Elective courses (remaining 9 hours)

Courses listed in catalog at:
[https://www.utep.edu/science/gist/program/program.html](https://www.utep.edu/science/gist/program/program.html)

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