

SAGE Program Application Statement

Please answer the following questions in a word doc or pdf file. Please note that the SAGE Application Statement will be evaluated for content and writing skills. Please answer questions with complete sentences and proper grammar. Consider visiting the [SJSU writing center](#) for writing support.

a. Introduction and Background

1. What motivates you to pursue a graduate degree in the SAGE program at our department? (250-word limit)
2. Could you elaborate on your academic background and how it aligns with this program? (250-word limit)
3. Please share your work experiences or research projects that have contributed to your preparation for this program. (250-word limit)
4. How do you envision this graduate program fitting into your long-term career goals? (250-word limit)

b. Research Interest

1. Could you elaborate on your specific research interests? (250-word limit)
2. Please provide an overview of the upcoming research project you have in mind for the Department SAGE Program. What research questions or problems do you plan to address? (250-word limit)
3. What methodologies, techniques, or approaches do you anticipate using in your research to collect data? (250-word limit)
4. How do you see your research contributing to the advancement of knowledge or the real-world? (250-word limit)