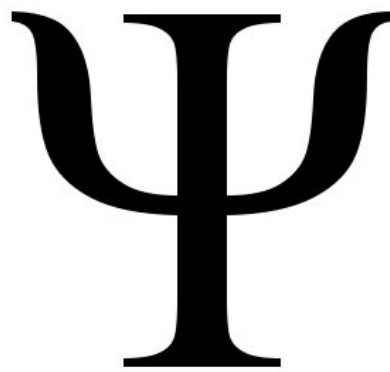


# Guide to Graduate Programs in Art Therapy

*A resource to help start your graduate school  
search*



# Graduate Schools:

\*For more information visit the graduate school's website\*

General Resource(s):

[www.onetonline.org](http://www.onetonline.org)

[www.bls.gov](http://www.bls.gov)

[www.apa.org](http://www.apa.org)

[www.atcb.org](http://www.atcb.org)

[www.arttherapy.org](http://www.arttherapy.org)

Loyola Marymount University <i>Los Angeles, CA</i>	<p><b><u>General Guide to Finding the Program:</u></b></p> <p><i>All websites are different but here are some general steps for finding the program landing page.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Do a general search in Google (ex: Art Therapy at Loyola Marymount University) or...</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Do a general search in Google for the university name</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Select Admissions</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Select Graduate Programs</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Select desired program from list</li> </ul> <p><i>**Know that this list is not exhaustive but merely a sampling of the schools you could look into.</i></p>
Notre Dame de Namur University <i>Belmont, CA</i>	
Phillips Graduate University <i>Chatsworth, CA</i>	
Naropa University <i>Boulder, CO</i>	
Albertus Magnus College <i>New Haven, CT</i>	
The George Washington University <i>Washington DC</i>	
Florida State University <i>Tallahassee, FL</i>	
Adler School of Professional Psychology <i>Chicago, IL</i>	
School of the Art Institute of Chicago <i>Chicago, IL</i>	
Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville <i>Edwardsville, IL</i>	

# Programs Summary Table

College/University	Program Title	Program/Years to complete
Loyola Marymount University	Marriage and Family Therapy with specialized training in Clinical Art Therapy	MA: 2-3 Years
Notre Dame de Namur University	Art Therapy (MA) Marriage and Family Therapy (Art Therapy Psychology) Art Therapy (PhD)	MAAT/Post MA: 2-3 Years PhD: 5 Years
Phillips Graduate Institute	MFT Art Therapy	MFT Art Therapy: 2-3 Years
Naropa University	Clinical Mental Health Counseling - Transpersonal Art Therapy	CMHC with AT specialization: 2-3 Years
Albertus Magnus College	Masters of Arts in Art Therapy and Counseling	MAAT: 2-3 Years
The George Washington University	Art Therapy (MA) Art Therapy Practice (MA)	MAAT and BAAT: 2-3 Years
Florida State University	Art Therapy (MS) PhD or EdD in Art Education with a Concentration in Art Therapy	MSAT: 2 Years
Adler School of Professional Psychology	Masters of Arts in Counseling - Art Therapy	MA: 2-3 Years
School of the Art Institute of Chicago	Masters of Arts in Art Therapy and Counseling	MAAT: 2-3 Years
Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville	Art Therapy Counseling	MA in Art Therapy Counseling: 2-3 Years

## Next Steps:

- Check if the program is accredited
- Check on Admissions Requirements (GPA, GRE Exam, Pre-requisites, etc.)
- Check on Application Submission Deadlines
- Check on the cost of tuition and living
- Look into opportunities for assistantships, funding, or Financial Aid
- Find programs with faculty that have similar research interests
- Check on the location of the university - Do you see yourself living there?
- Check if there are online programs

## Individual Program Summary Table

College/University & Location	Program Title	Program/Years to complete	Admission Req.	App. Deadline	Tuition	Funding, Assistantship or Financial Aid	Faculty & Research	Online Program