## Admission policy for Medical Biophysics MS and PhD programs

- 1. Application form (online submission at **Graduate Admissions**)
- **2. Application fee** (\$80 for domestic students, \$90 for international students)
- **3. One unofficial copy of transcripts** from every college or university attended. Official transcripts are required upon acceptance. Do not send official transcripts until accepted.
- **4. Personal Statement (no more than 2 pages).** The statement should outline the applicant's reasons for seeking graduate education, research areas of interest, research experience, long-term career goals that incorporate the importance of a graduate degree, and rationale for wanting to work with the particular faculty advisor(s) listed on the application. However, the admitted students are allowed change their advisor in the course of the study, if they want.
- 5. List of up to 3 faculty of interest to you (not needed for MS applicants). It is highly recommended that you contact faculty of interest prior to applying. The faculty member listed first would be the students intended advisor. List "Rotation" in the first slot if you wish to enter the rotation program and then in the next two spots list faculty with whom you would like to conduct a lab rotation. Students may conduct lab rotations with faculty other than those identified here.
- **6.** Letters of recommendation 3 required for Ph.D. applicants, 2 required for M.S.. applicants. These letters should come from people who can talk about your academic skills; experience, interest, and potential in research; and your work ethic. None of these letters may come from your prospective advisor at Clemson.
- **7. TOEFL, IELTS, or Duolingo English Test scores** (no more than 2 years old). Because of the strong communication component of graduate degree programs, non-native speakers of English should have a TOEFL score of at least 102 (out of 120) with a speaking score greater than 20, IELTS score of at least a 7.5, or a Duolingo English Test score of at least 120.
- 8. GRE not required.
- **9. Online interview** online interviews will be carried out prior final decision of acceptance.