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☐ Select “Yes” when asked if you would like your contact information to be viewed by our institution while your application is in progress. This will allow us to keep you informed of important application updates.

☐ Biographical Information: Indicate an alternate or previous name in the “other name” field if applicable.

☐ Employment Information: Complete all fields and upload your resume in this section.

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☐ Questions 2-3: Concentration and Location: Select the blended concentration labeled Hawaii Only and Hawaii as your location.

☐ Question 4: Required Assessment: Select one option: submit a valid GRE or GMAT score or take the timed Ed.D. Writing Assessment.

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Be sure to click the “Check your Application” link located on the left side of the page before submitting to ensure you have included all required application materials.

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USC Office of Graduate Admission
3601 South Flower Street, Room 112
Los Angeles, CA 90089-0915

☐ Official GRE or GMAT Score Report (if selecting test option): Institution Code 4852
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☐ Financial Statement - http://usc.edu/1ub

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USC Rossier School of Education
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Los Angeles, CA 90089-4033

☐ Sealed Official Academic Transcripts from all postsecondary institutions attended. If the name on your transcripts is different than your current name, please include your 10-digit USC ID number. If you are sending electronic transcripts, visit http://usc.edu/1uy for instructions.

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