

PROPOSED REQUIREMENTS FOR THE DEGREE OF  
DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

(Revision of the form adopted by action  
of the Faculty of the Graduate School on  
May 25, 1937.)

1. The student must spend the equivalent of three full academic years in resident graduate study at this or some other approved University of which at least the last year must be in residence at this University. With the consent of the Dean of the Graduate School and of the student's major adviser, the student may be required to include as a part of his program of studies one semester of apprentice work under proper supervision in a school system approved for such work by the Faculty of the Department of Education.
  2. Before being admitted to the preliminary examination, the candidate must show that he has had three years of successful experience in the field of professional Education.
  3. The student must choose a major and a minor field of study subject to the approval of the student's advisory committee and the Dean of the Graduate School. The major field shall be the one in which he will do his intensive work, and the minor a closely related field.
  4. Before being admitted to the preliminary examination, the student must present satisfactory evidence of special competence in whatever two or more of the following his advisory committee, after conference with him, may deem necessary to the pursuit of his particular line of study:
    - a. Reading knowledge of one or more of the foreign languages which, if any, are to be used as tools for study in the major or minor fields.
    - b. Ability to use statistical techniques.
    - c. Ability to administer and evaluate the results of educational tests of all types demanded in a reasonable system of educational counseling or guidance.
    - d. Ability to analyze and evaluate educational documents or writings and to make high grade written reports of the findings.
    - e. Specialized knowledge of some field of educational practice which may be of particular importance in the pursuit of the student's line of study.
  5. The student must pass satisfactorily a preliminary examination, both written and oral, in his major and minor fields of study near the time of completion of two-thirds of the required amount of graduate study for the degree.
  6. The candidate must present a treatise of high character which will show the result of original research or of applying existing knowledge in his major field of study.
  7. The candidate must pass a final oral examination after the completion of the treatise.
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