



To: Matt Hudelson, Executive Secretary
Beth Doyle, Principal Assistant

From: Ryan Thomas, Chair, Graduate Studies Committee
Greg Crouch, Graduate School

Date: February 17, 2026

RE: Recommendations from the Graduate Studies Committee

Overview:

The Graduate Studies Committee met on February 17, 2026 and voted to support amending the Graduate School Policies and Procedures Sections [8.3.1.1 Program of Study for Ph.D.](#) and [8.3.1.2 Program of Study for Ed.D.](#)

Attached Exhibits

1. Minimum Doctoral Credits Memo

Recommended Effective Date: Fall 2026