Graduate Studies provides broad oversight of eighty-three graduate units (4500 students/year) awarding all graduate and professional degrees and certificates with the exception of Anderson degrees, J.D., M.D., Pharm.D, DNP, and DPT. However, Graduate Studies collaborates with all programs for policy concerns and dual degree programs. On average, 210 doctoral degrees, 890 master’s degrees, 22 MFA, and 30 graduate certificates are awarded annually. Over $30 million in assistantships are processed annually. Graduate Studies works with the Senate Graduate & Professional Committee on all matters regarding policy.

GRADUATE APPLICATION

The graduate application relies on up-to-date instructions for your program. Please contact the graduate dean with any corrections or changes. (While you’re at it, make sure you don’t have any remnant websites requesting mailed-in materials.)

The application now has an addendum section available once an applicant submits. This allows applicants to upload as many as four additional documents.

Tutorials for reviewing applications are available online.

OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

Outcomes Assessments for graduate programs are part of the Higher Learning Commission Accreditation (HLC) process. UNM’s HLC Accreditation Review is in 2018-2019.

Different Outcomes are required for Master’s and Ph.D. programs. As we prepare for our review, various resources will be available on the website.

CATALOG CHANGES

For undergraduate students with a minimum 3.5 overall GPA, up to 6 credit hours can be shared for both graduate and undergraduate credit with approval of the department’s graduate advisor.

Plan II (Non-Thesis) Option now requires a minimum of 30 credit hours and Plan III (course work only) Option is available (Please note that programs changing degree requirements must go through the Form C Curriculum Workflow process).

RECRUITING STUDENTS

Departments can apply for both recruitment grants and recruitment supplements.

Graduate Studies will award up to $800/prospect for a recruiting visit. We encourage coordinating with similar departments such that a cohort of prospects can visit the campus together.

Recruitment supplements should be requested when the assistantship offered by a department requires a supplement to be competitive.

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