

# GRADUATE GUIDE

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All institutional policies can be found in the policy library (<https://policy.wisc.edu/>). The table below highlights select Graduate School academic policies. Programs may set more stringent policies than the Graduate School. Refer to specific program pages for more information.

### GRADUATE SCHOOL POLICIES

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| Graduate Credits Earned at Other Institutions                                                            | Refer to the Graduate School: Transfer Credits for Prior Coursework policy.<br><a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/</a> )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Undergraduate Credits Earned at Other Institutions or UW-Madison                                         | Refer to the Graduate School: Transfer Credits for Prior Coursework policy.<br><a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/</a> )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Credits Earned as a Professional Student at UW-Madison (Law, Medicine, Pharmacy, and Veterinary careers) | Refer to the Graduate School: Transfer Credits for Prior Coursework policy.<br><a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/</a> )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Credits Earned as a University Special Student at UW-Madison                                             | Refer to the Graduate School: Transfer Credits for Prior Coursework policy.<br><a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1216/</a> )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Probation                                                                                                | Refer to the Graduate School: Probation policy.<br><a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1217">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1217</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1217/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1217/</a> )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| Advisor / Committee                                                                                      | Refer to the Graduate School: Advisor ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1232">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1232</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1232/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1232/</a> )) and Graduate School: Committees (Doctoral/Master's/MFA) ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1201">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1201</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1201/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1201/</a> )) policies. |
| Credits Per Term Allowed                                                                                 | 15 credit maximum. Refer to the Graduate School: Maximum Credit Loads and Overload Requests policy. <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1228">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1228</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1228/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1228/</a> )                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Time Limits                                                                                              | Refer to the Graduate School: Time Limits policy. <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1221">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1221</a> ( <a href="https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1221/">https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1221/</a> )                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Grievances and Appeals                                                                                   | Refer to School/College and program policy.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| Other                                                                                                    | Each program may have unique policies. Refer to individual program Guide pages.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |