

Graduate Faculty Criteria
(Department Name)
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Any academic unit offering courses or coursework in any College awarding an undergraduate degree on the Norman campus may appoint members of the Graduate Faculty. In order to make such an appointment, the academic unit must elect a Graduate Faculty Committee made up of members of the Graduate Faculty. The Graduate Faculty Committee shall have the following responsibilities:

- A. Developing and publishing the criteria for membership on the Graduate Faculty which are appropriate for that academic unit.
- B. Providing the Graduate Dean with the unit's criteria for membership.
- C. Providing the Graduate Dean with a list of members of the Graduate Faculty.

Faculty members may appeal to the Graduate Dean decisions of an academic unit regarding their Graduate Faculty status. Decisions of the Graduate Dean regarding Graduate Faculty status may be appealed to the Provost, whose decision will be final. The Graduate Dean, with the advice and consent of the Graduate Council, will publish procedures for the appeal of Graduate Faculty status.

M0 Status – May teach graduate courses

- A. Degree(s) Required:
- B. Research/Creative Activities required:
- C. Other Criteria:

M1 Status – All privileges of M0 and may serve on and chair master's committees:

- A. Degree(s) Required:
- B. Research/Creative Activities required
- C. Other Criteria:

M2 Status – All privileges of M1 and may serve on doctoral committees:

- A. Degree(s) Required:
- B. Research/Creative Activities required
- C. Other Criteria:

M3 Status – All privileges of M2 and may chair doctoral committees

- A. Degree(s) Required:
- B. Research/Creative Activities required:
- C. Other Criteria:

Special Membership (SM Status) - This status shall be assigned to persons whose participation in the graduate programs is recommended by their department(s) for a limited period or for a limited objective and whose appointment is approved by the Dean of the Graduate College. This status can be accorded to individuals within or outside the University. Normally this status would be assigned for one or two year(s) so that a faculty member could teach a graduate course, serve on a graduate examination committee or serve on a thesis or dissertation committee in which the faculty member has recognized expertise. A Special Member cannot serve as chair or outside member of a graduate committee. At the expiration of the appointment period, the Special Member may be reappointed with the recommendation and approval of the Dean of the Graduate College.

- A. Degree(s) Required:
- B. Research/Creative Activities required:
- C. Other Criteria:

Retention Criteria:

Other Criteria: