

COLLEGE OF SCIENCES AND HEALTH PROFESSIONS
Graduate Faculty Status Criteria
(as revised and enacted by Graduate Council on January 19, 2007)

Faculty are eligible for Graduate Faculty Status when one of these five criteria has been met in the past five years. These criteria are not to be construed as those for tenure and promotion.

1. Sole or co-authored book beyond the dissertation

Or

2. Two sole or co-authored articles in professional journals and/or book chapters, accepted by peer-review or by invitation and reviewed by editors.

Or

3. One peer reviewed or invited article in a professional journal **and**

One of the following

- A. A national competitive grant submission scored in the top 50 percentile or in the good to excellent range **or**
Extramural (local, state, regional) competitive grant awards
- B. Two national/international professional presentations accepted through a peer-review process **or**
Three peer-reviewed statewide professional presentations accepted through a peer-review process. When applying for Graduate Faculty Status using this criterion, the applicant must provide evidence of the nature and extent of the peer review (e.g. document verifying peer review process)
- C. Editor or co-editor of a book
- D. Serving as editor for a professional journal **or**
Serving on a professional journal editorial board
- E. A patent relevant to the science discipline issued by the USPTO
- F. Designing a major piece of computer software used for research or instruction at other universities

Or

4. Expertise as a practitioner as evidenced by
 - A. Appropriate professional credentials (licensure, endorsement, certification) in relevant field **and**
 - B. Appropriate terminal degree in relevant field (e.g., doctorate, master's, J.D., etc.) **and**
 - C. Three or more years of experience in a relevant professional field **and**
 - D. Two of the following different categories within the past five years:
 - Good professional reputation evidenced by professional awards, testimonials, letters of reference, etc.
 - *Three or more years in an *appointed* leadership role in an agency, organization, or corporation
 - *Three or more years in a professional *elected* position in government, a professional organization, and so forth
 - *Two years of experience in teaching and/or clinical supervision for professionals in a *professional development setting*
 - Presentations for professional organizations, agencies, etc.
 - Publications and other creative works (e.g., training manuals, software, opinion pieces and reviews not necessary peer-reviewed, etc.)
 - Practitioner-related research and evaluation (e.g., systematic data collection for program evaluation and/or quality control.)
 - Partnership development (e.g, responsibility for organizing and supervision of students' internships and field placements, joint projects with schools, hospitals and other organizations, etc.)

**May be concurrent with minimum three to five years of experience in a relevant professional field*