

Terminal Degrees

7/1/2022

As of 7-1-2022, the following list of degrees are acceptable as terminal degrees in specific fields. Any degrees not included in the list would not be accepted as meeting terminal degree requirements- *unless discussed and agreed upon by the three Vice Presidents for Academic Affairs.*

Acceptable as Terminal Degrees:

All doctorates, including Ph. D., J.D., D.B.A., and Ed. D.
M.S.W. for hiring in a social work program only
N.A.T.A. for hiring in an athletic training program only
M.F.A. for hiring in art, design, creative writing, theater, and music industry only
D.M.A. for musical arts

The following are not acceptable as terminal degrees.

Not Acceptable as Terminal Degrees:

M.B.A.
C.P.A.
CISCO