

## Masters Exam Requirements

Here are the requirements for the Masters exam taken the summer after the first year of studies. The written portfolio will be due June 22 (1 week prior to oral exam) and the oral exams will tentatively be held June 29 from 9:00-12:00 in 10-minute increments. Oral exams will be held (via zoom) with faculty.

Written portfolio - P/F (all components completed satisfactorily) – submit via email to faculty one week before oral exam

- Current curriculum vita
- EdS students only---Draft cover letter for intern sites (around one page)
- PhD students only---Research statement – area of interest, preferred methodological approach, one research question including why it interests you and how you might solve it (about 3-5 paragraphs)
- Annual review form—this is the annual feedback letter for PhD students and the EdS checklist for EdS students
- Transcript (unofficial)
- Completed practicum hours log
- Written portion (2-3 pages) - respond to questions:
  - Where do you foresee yourself in 5 to 10 years now (as compared to when you entered the program)?
  - What are two concrete measurable goals with strategies to help obtain your future plans (related to your previous response)?
  - Using information learned from the Ally Development Workshop or other Social Justice content from the past year, where have you grown in your personal identity and worldview and how it will shape your position as a future school psychologist and agent of change?

Oral exam – P/F (Student’s ability to orally present plan and goals and discuss with faculty)

- Be prepared to discuss your submitted portfolio; committee will ask questions
- 10 minutes per student