Guidelines for Proposals for Graduate Emphases related to Policy 6-225

The following revised Guidelines were approved by the Graduate Council on March 29, 2010.

1. Proposals should explain how the emphasis is a coherent area of focus, and how the students' engagement in the emphasis will lead to mastery of a distinctive body of knowledge or research method.

2. Proposals should clarify how the emphasis references explanatory terminology that is useful and recognized outside of the University of Utah, e.g., in employment certifications or graduate school applications.

3. Proposals should address how completing the requirements for the emphasis will affect the number of credit hours required for the degree.

4. Proposals must include a letter from the pertinent dean supporting the transcripting of the emphasis.