Graduation Clearance Checklist for Graduate Degree Candidates

A. Basic Requirements

The following are basic requirements for all graduate degree students:

Item	Completed
1. Completion of the Degree Plan via a Degree Evaluation in PAWS.	
2. Completed the required semester hours of course work with the required GPA.	
3. Completion of all University and department/program requirements.	
4. Removal of all Incomplete (I) Grades.	
5. Completion of the Application for Graduate Degree Candidacy.	
6. Complete on-line Graduation Clearance Process.	
7. Cap and gown ordered for Commencement.	
B. Doctoral (Ph.D., Dr.P.H., and Ed.D.)	
Item	Completed
1. Graduate Area Comprehensive Examination passed.	- 1
2. Dissertation Committee Approved (IRB or IUCAC approval, if required).	
3. Committee Report of Defense Results on file with the Graduate School.	
C. Specialist in Education (Ed.S.)	
Item	Completed
1. Graduate Area Comprehensive Examination passed.	- 1
2. Thesis/Project Committee Approved(IRB or IUCAC approval, if required).	
3. Committee Report of Defense Results on file with the Graduate School.	
D. Masters	
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Item 1. Graduate Area Comprehensive Examination passed, <i>if required</i> .	Completed
2. Thesis/Project Committee Approved (<i>IRB/IUCAC approval</i> , <i>if required</i>).	
3. Committee Report of Defense Results on file with the Graduate School, <i>if required</i> .	-
5. Committee Report of Defense Results on the with the Graduate School, if required.	

Important Web addresses

- 1. On-line Clearance: https://osiris.jsums.edu:4446/pls/PROD/zctwbkwbis.P_WWWLogin
- 2. On-line Graduate Survey: https://www2.jsums.edu/surveys/grad/
- 3. Graduate School Homepage with links to on-line forms: http://www.jsums.edu/~gadmappl/

NOTE: The graduation clearance process is ONLY good for the semester indicated. If you DO NOT graduate, you will need to repeat the on-line clearance process in the semester of graduation.