

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES

ART:	Studio Art and Graphic Design	MFA with a minimum of 60 hours
	Art History	PhD in Art History
	Art Education	Doctorate in Art Education
BIOLOGY:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
CHEMISTRY:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
COMMUNICATION STUDIES:		
	Media Production	Master's degree plus 30 semester hours of graduate coursework in an appropriate discipline
	All other areas and disciplines	Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
ECONOMICS:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
ENGLISH:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
FOREIGN LANGUAGES:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
GEOLOGY/GEOGRAPHY:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
HISTORY:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
JOURNALISM:		Master's degree plus one of the following: 1) 30 semester hours of graduate coursework in the discipline, or 2) 30 semester hours or more of graduate coursework that meets departmental needs, or 3) 10 or more years of significant and relevant professional experience in the field.
PHILOSOPHY:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

POLITICAL SCIENCE:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
MATHEMATICS/COMPUTER SCIENCE:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
MUSIC:	Performance Area	Master's degree plus 30 semester hours of graduate coursework in the discipline.
	Theory, Composition, Music Education, Musicology	Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
PHYSICS:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
PSYCHOLOGY:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
SOCIOLOGY/ANTHROPOLOGY/CRIMINOLOGY:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
THEATRE ARTS:	Arts Administration/Design/Directing	Earned MFA or MA plus documented professional experience or MA plus 30 semester hours of graduate coursework that are appropriate to the needs of the department.
	All other areas and disciplines	Earned doctorate in appropriate Discipline

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

COUNSELING AND HIGHER EDUCATION:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
SPECIAL EDUCATION:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline
TEACHIN, LEARNING, AND FOUNDATIONS:		Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

COMMUNICATION DISORDERS AND SCIENCES:

Clinical Faculty

** Master's degree plus 30 semester hours of graduate coursework

Teaching Faculty

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

HEALTH PROMOTION

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

HUMAN SERVICES AND COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

KINESIOLOGY, SPORT, AND RECREATION

Exercise Science, Physical Ed.,
Recreation Admin., Sport Mgt.

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

Athletic Training

Master's degree plus 30 semester hours of relevant coursework with significant industry experience

NUTRITION AND DIETETICS

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

RN TO BSN IN NURSING

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline and a master's degree in nursing

**All tenure track CDS faculty hired after July 1, 2020 are required to have an earned doctorate in an appropriate discipline.

LIBRARY SERVICES

ALL AREAS AND DISCIPLINES

Any of the following:

- 1) Master's degree in library and/or information science accredited by the American Library Assoc., plus a second graduate degree
- 2) Master's degree in library and/or information science accredited by the American Library Assoc., plus a certificate of advanced study in library and/or information science
- 3) An earned doctorate in an appropriate technology or information science discipline

LUMPKIN COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY

ACCOUNTANCY (except those with primary teaching responsibility in taxation)

PhD or DBA (major area in accounting)

ACCOUNTANCY (those with primary teaching responsibility in taxation)

PhD or DBA (major area in accounting) or LLM in taxation

ACCOUNTANCY (those with primary teaching responsibility in legal environment, business law and ethics)

JD and MBA or related graduate degree

FINANCE

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

MANAGEMENT

Earned doctorate in appropriate Discipline

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

MARKETING

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline

TECHNOLOGY (all areas)

Earned doctorate in appropriate discipline