1. Articulates, critiques, and elaborates the theories, methods, and terminology of the field of study.

2. Identifies and pursues promising avenues of inquiry, finds and makes use of appropriate bibliography, evaluates or synthesizes pertinent information and analyzes evidence.

3. Demonstrates breadth of knowledge and understanding the field of study in a historical, sociocultural and global context.

4. Develops speaking and writing skills and communicates fluently and clearly in Spanish in ways appropriate to the field of study.

5. Develops academic professionalization through participation in conferences and other extracurricular activities in preparation for a career path related to the field.

6. Develops effective teaching skills (for beginning and intermediate classes).