

# STATISTICS, PH.D.

## REQUIREMENTS

### MINIMUM GRADUATE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

Review the Graduate School minimum academic progress and degree requirements (<http://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#policiesandrequirements>), in addition to the program requirements listed below.

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

Requirement Detail	
Minimum Credit Requirement	51 credits
Minimum Residence Credit Requirement	32 credits
Minimum Graduate Coursework Requirement	Half of degree coursework (26 credits out of 51 total credits) must be completed graduate-level coursework; courses with the Graduate Level Coursework attribute are identified and searchable in the university's Course Guide ( <a href="http://my.wisc.edu/CourseGuideRedirect/BrowseByTitle">http://my.wisc.edu/CourseGuideRedirect/BrowseByTitle</a> ( <a href="http://my.wisc.edu/CourseGuideRedirect/BrowseByTitle/">http://my.wisc.edu/CourseGuideRedirect/BrowseByTitle/</a> )).
Overall Graduate GPA Requirement	3.00 GPA required.
Other Grade Requirements	A grade of B or better must be received in any course used to fulfill the required and elective course requirements.
Assessments and Examinations	Students must pass the Ph.D. qualifying examination, an oral preliminary examination on a topic selected with the approval of the student's advisor, and a dissertation defense.
Language Requirements	No language requirements.
Doctoral Minor/Breadth Requirements	See Named Options for policy information.

### REQUIRED COURSES

Select a Named Option (<https://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/statistics/statistics-phd/>) for courses required.

### NAMED OPTIONS

A named option is a formally documented sub-major within an academic major program. Named options appear on the transcript with degree conferral. Students pursuing the Ph.D. in Statistics must select one of the following named options:

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