

Academic Progression, Time Limits and Graduation

Student Progression. Each year, full progression is awarded to students who have passed all attempted courses with a C or better or S. Remediation activities will be prescribed for those students who are eligible for remediation and are not awarded full progression. A student will not be allowed to start APPE rotations until all attempted coursework has been completed with a C or better.

Academic Probation. Should a student fail a course, the student will be placed on probation. If the student successfully remediates the failed course with a C or better or S, then the student will be removed from probation status. If a student on probation fails any other attempted course the student will be removed from the program by the Student Progress Committee.

Examples. Two failures in any single course or two failures of any advanced pharmacy practice experience within the School of Pharmacy will result in disqualification from the School.

Time Limit. Students enrolled in the WSOP must complete all required coursework in its entirety within six years after initial enrollment in the professional program. Remediation, withdrawals (medical or otherwise), and progression problems are included within this timeframe. The Student Progress Committee will withdraw a student from the professional degree program when it becomes apparent that the student will not be able to meet this timeframe. Appeals and exceptions to this policy will be considered by the Executive Committee of the WSOP on a case-by-case basis. All decisions of the Executive Committee are final.

Professionalization Requirements. Students must complete the following non-curricular requirements by March 31st of each year in order to graduate:

P1-P3 Year:

Attend 4 hours of professional meetings (CE or board meeting), complete 20 volunteer hours per year with a non-profit agency ideally in an underserved area, and complete a Continuous Professional Development (CPD) portfolio that has been approved by your advisor.

Graduation. Students who enroll in and pass the required and elective courses within the curriculum, have amassed the prescribed hours of practice experience, have completed the professionalization requirements, and have been judged by the faculty to have met all the academic and professional requirements will be eligible for graduation.