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Addendum to the 2012/2013 Graduate Catalog

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The highlighted sections below represent changes to the 2012/2014 Graduate Catalog:

Academic Load and Enrollment Designations

All academic credit is given in credit hours. Full- and half-time student status is determined by the number of credit hours in which a student is enrolled during a given term. In credit hours, the academic load designations for graduate students are as follows:

Semester Programs

Full time Enrollment

- Nine credit hours

Half-time Enrollment

- Six to eight credit hours

Less than Half-time Enrollment

Five or fewer credit hours

Five-term Programs

Full time Enrollment

- Six or more credit hours

Half-time Enrollment

- Four to five credit hours

Less than Half-time Enrollment

- Three or fewer credit hours

Notes: (1) In order to remain in compliance with US visa regulations, students on an F1 visa must maintain full-time enrollment status by enrolling in a minimum of 6 credit hours per term.

(2) Course extensions (including culminating project extensions, capstone extensions, and thesis extensions) are not counted among a student's "hours enrolled." For this reason, students who are only enrolled in the completion of a thesis, capstone experience, or culminating project are considered less than half-time students.

(3) Active duty military personnel pursuing certain online graduate programs in the semester format may qualify for full-time enrollment status at 6 credit hours. Such students should contact the VA Certifying Official for more information.