

Admin.
Update
9/20/06 - effective
immediately

YALE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF NURSING

Policy #8

Deadlines for Submission of the Scholarly Inquiry Praxis

This policy supersedes all previous policies on this matter. This policy refers to three separate deadlines in the preparation and submission of the Master's Scholarly Inquiry Praxis:

- I. The absolute deadline for the prospectus to be approved by the Praxis advisor is the midpoint of the first term of the second Specialty year. A grade of Pass must be received in N721a Scholarly Inquiry Praxis prior to enrollment in N721b. Students who do not pass N721a Scholarly Inquiry Praxis at the end of the fall term of their final year cannot graduate in May and will be required to register for the summer. Additional deadlines may be set at the discretion of the Praxis advisor. Students must not assume that their faculty advisor will be available for consultation over the summer. Students are further reminded that advisors cannot be expected to critically review a praxis draft on short notice.
- II. A complete, first draft of the entire praxis must be submitted to the advisor by the last week in March. Failure to meet this deadline will preclude May graduation and the student must register for the summer.
- III. Completion of the praxis requirement includes submitting one final soft-bound copy (or a hard-bound copy of the thesis), which has been approved and signed by the advisor, to the Office of Student Affairs by noon on the Wednesday prior to Commencement. In addition, an electronic copy of the full report and abstract in a Windows readable format and labeled with the student's name and praxis title must also be submitted. If an approved praxis is not submitted by this date, the student may not participate in the Commencement exercises, the student's name will not be forwarded to the Corporation, and the transcript will indicate that work for the degree has not been completed until the approved copy of the praxis is received. Special arrangements and registration for an additional term will be required beyond Commencement (see YSN Policy #14, Policy Regarding Extension of the Final Deadline for Completion of Master's Scholarly Inquiry Praxis).

Revised Exec. Comm. 4/19/06
Admin. Update 9/20/06

mks