

PhD Comprehensive Exam
EXAMINATION REPORT

Student's Name: _____ Date of Oral Examination: _____

Degree: _____ Specialty: _____

A member of this student's supervisory committee, the Department of Psychology is authorized to

Guidance on Masters' vs Doctors' proficiency:

Master's students are expected to demonstrate basic-level competencies and to be exposed to higher-level concepts. For example, whereas a doctoral student may take several courses in statistical analysis, the master's student may have just one or two courses. Besides fewer credit

of doctoral-level training (Lowe, 1993; Tett et al., 2013). This type of training is consistent with the generalization that master's-level students will typically be consumers of knowledge, rather than producers of new knowledge. As such, they are engaged in applying this knowledge to issues in their discipline. Those involved in research usually do so under the guidance of a