## **STOCKTON UNIVERSITY**

## 2. <u>Degrees Plus Experience In Substitution for a Terminal Degree</u>

The Provost, in consultation with the school dean and program, may designate particular fields in which the holder of a specific master's degree, in addition to at least five years of significant experience in the respective professional field, <u>may</u> be accepted in lieu of the terminal degree requirement. This determination regarding any individual will be made by the Provost in consultation with the school dean and program.

## 3. Other Substitutions for a Terminal Degree

- a. Individuals whose qualifications do not fall within the aforementioned categories may possess professional experience, attainment, and/or training that can serve as a substitute for an appropriate terminal degree. The determination of whether the above factors shall be considered as having such value shall be made by the Provost.
- b. In all cases where evaluation of terminal degree substitution is made, the University may seek the advice of a recognized person or persons in the same career/professional area, and/or the advice of an ad hoc committee established to evaluate the level of professional achievement. Such individuals and/or ad hoc committee members, either from within or external to the University, will be selected/designated by the Provost.
- B. Minimum Qualifications
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