

Concurrent Bachelor's/Master's Degree

Mid-program Review and Recommendation for Advancement to Graduate Status

To comply with Title IV Higher Education regulations, CU-Boulder students pursuing a concurrent bachelors/master's degree will automatically be changed to graduate status after the completion of 130 credit hours (or 145 credit hours for a student in the College of Engineering and Applied Science). Students at graduate status are assessed graduate tuition rates and are no longer eligible for COF. In addition, graduate students receiving financial aid are considered "independent" and are no longer eligible for aid requiring undergraduate status. Students who want to advance to graduate status before completing 130 or 145 hours, but after completing all undergraduate requirements, should submit this form.

Student Name: _____ SID # _____

Department: _____

To become eligible for admission to Graduate School, the concurrent bachelor's/master's degree student must meet the following conditions:

1. Completion of 120 credits (128 for engineering students)
yes _____ no _____ date credits completed _____
2. Completion of all school, college or department requirements for the Bachelor's degree
yes _____ no _____ date of completion _____
with the exception of: _____ to be completed _____
(must be before semester of advancement)
3. Attainment of minimum GPA standards for the program and the department
yes _____ no _____ GPA _____
4. Maintenance of full-time status by completing an average of 24 credits per year
yes _____ no _____

This form shall be circulated to the student, department, undergraduate advising office and the graduate dean's office with one of the following recommendations. Upon the student being recommended for admission to graduate status, this form must be submitted to the Graduate School. The Graduate School will implement all changes to graduate status for the upcoming semester, as changes to a current semester can have serious impacts on a student's bill and financial aid. **For the status change to be implemented in an upcoming semester, the Graduate School must receive the recommendation no later than January 1 for spring semester status change, May 1 for summer semester status change, and August 1 for fall semester status change.**

o The department **recommends** admission to the Graduate School for the above named student, beginning during the _____ semester.
semester/year

This change will affect financial aid opportunities, tuition amounts, and COF eligibility. Students should be aware of these issues and investigate the ramifications of making this change before the form is sent to the Graduate School.

Program director/departmental officer: I understand that my signature below signifies that the above facts are true to the best of my knowledge and that the student has met with this department to discuss the options and implications of admission to graduate status.

Signature of the program director/departmental officer Date

Signature of undergraduate advisor Date