

**Quick Reference\* Table for Membership on PhD, EdD, PsyD and Master's Committees**

POSITION	GFA TYPE	PRIMARY MENTOR		CO-MENTOR		COMMITTEE CHAIR		COMMITTEE MEMBER	
		Doctorate	Master's	Doctorate	Master's	Doctorate	Master's	Doctorate	Master's
<b>Employees of CU Denver Anschutz or its Affiliate Institutions including NJH, CHCO, UCH, Denver Health and the VA</b>									
<b>Tenured or Tenure-Track Full, Associate, or Assistant Professor with doctorate<sup>1</sup></b>	Regular <sup>3*</sup>	Yes <sup>***</sup>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Full, Associate, or Assistant Professor with professional/clinical doctoral degree<sup>2</sup></b>	Special <sup>4*</sup>	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Research Full, Associate or Assistant Professors with doctorate OR professional/clinical doctoral degree</b>	Special	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Clinical Teaching Track Faculty with or without doctorate</b>	Special	No	WPP**	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Instructor or Lecturer with or without doctorate</b>	Special	No	WPP**	WPP**	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Adjunct Professor with or without doctorate</b>	Special	No	WPP**	WPP**	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Postdoctoral Researchers</b>	Special	No	WPP**	WPP**	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Retired/Emeritus Professor</b>	Special	WPP**	WPP**	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Non-Employees of CU Denver Anschutz or its Affiliate Institutions</b>									
<b>University of Colorado Boulder or Colorado Springs Tenured or Tenure-Track Faculty</b>	Special	WPP**	WPP**	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Non-CU Faculty with or without doctorate</b>	Special	No	No	WPP**	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Industry/non-profit partner with or without doctorate</b>	Special	No	No	WPP**	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes
<b>Committee Member no longer employed CU Denver Anschutz<sup>5</sup></b>	Special	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes

\* Please see the Graduate School Policies & Procedures for details on privileges of Regular and Special graduate faculty

\*\* With program permission

\*\*\* Regular Graduate Faculty appointed by Masters programs cannot be the primary/sole mentor of a doctoral student.

<sup>1</sup> “Doctorate” is defined here as PhD, DPhil & DSc or equivalent, as well as the professional doctoral programs that report to the Graduate School at CU Denver|Anschutz (e.g. EdD and PsyD)

<sup>2</sup> “Professional and/or clinical doctoral-level degrees” include non-Graduate School degrees including MD, DPT, DDS, DVM, JD, PharmD, DNP etc. or equivalent; holders of these degrees may receive Regular appointments upon nomination of their program detailing qualifications for PhD training and approval of the Graduate School Dean.

<sup>3</sup> Regular appointments are required to be the sole mentor/advisor of a doctoral student; typically require a doctorate but may be approved on a case-by-case basis by the Graduate School Dean for those with other qualifications including professional and/or clinical doctoral degrees.

<sup>4</sup> Faculty with Special Graduate Faculty Appointments may be co-mentor/advisor in conjunction with a Regular GF member; direct, teach or assign grades in graduate classes; serve on but may not be sole chair of advisory or examination committees for doctorates.

<sup>5</sup> Faculty members retain their Regular appointments only until the graduate student(s) whom they are either supervising as primary mentor or upon whose thesis/dissertation advisory and exam committee they sit, complete the requirements for their degree. Subsequent service requires a Special appointment.