

Required THECB Questions for Graduate Program Review

The following questions are reporting requirements of the State of Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) for all graduate program reviews. Please either respond to each of these questions directly, or direct us to the sections in your report where the answers can be found.

Note: These questions must be answered SEPARATELY for each graduate program under review.

1. Overall impression of the program
2. Quality of faculty and graduate students
3. Appropriateness of level of depth and breadth of the program curriculum
4. Satisfaction and esprit de corps of faculty and graduate students
5. Accuracy and comprehensiveness of the Self-Study: What, if any, other information should have been provided?
6. Ranking among peer institutions
7. Competition: Programs that represent greatest competition for top quality students
8. Major strengths of the program relative to the competition
9. Major weakness of the program relative to the competition
10. Opportunities for improving the quality and competitiveness of the program, within existing resources
11. Adequacy/competitiveness of student financial support (please tell us how our financial support compares with yours)
12. Effectiveness of current admissions process
13. Effectiveness of student placement after graduation
14. Recommended actions to improve competitiveness and ranking