

# Non-thesis Master's Checklist

Requirement	Description	Due Date			
		Fall 2025	Spring 2026	Summer 2026	Fall 2026
<b>Candidate Plan of Study</b>	Initiated by student after 12-15 credit hours completed, but no later than the semester of graduation. Graduate Coordinator, Major Professor, and Graduate School must review. Form available at grad.uno.edu.	6/1/2025	10/1/2025	3/1/2026	6/1/2026
<b>Enrollment</b>	Enrollment is required during a student's graduation term. If all course requirements are satisfied, students should discuss course options with coordinator.	8/18/2025	1/12/2026	6/8/2026	TBD
<b>Application for Graduation</b>	File an Application for Program Completion. Fee assessed by the end of term. Deferral of graduation requires an Application for Program Completion for new term.	10/1/2025	3/1/2026	7/1/2026	N/A
<b>Certification of Foreign Language/Computer Competence</b>	Not required for all degree programs; should be submitted once the requirement has been met but no later than 3 weeks before conferral. Form available at grad.uno.edu.	11/28/2025	4/24/2026	7/17/2026	TBD
<b>Non-thesis Exam Report</b>	Committee approval form submitted to the Graduate School at least 3 weeks before conferral. Form available at grad.uno.edu.	11/28/2025	4/24/2026	7/17/2026	TBD
<b>Commencement</b>	Ceremonial graduation at Lakefront Arena. Coordinated by Registrar's office and University Events.	12/12/2025	5/8/2026	N/A	N/A
<b>Degree Conferral</b>	Official degree certification completed and diplomas issued by Registrar's office.	12/19/2025	5/15/2026	8/7/2026	TBD