

## Figuring UIC Post Professional OTD Credits (Effective Fall 2018)

**Need 68 credits total to earn an OTD at UIC**

***Transfer in (if you have an MS or Doc degree or have taken previous MS level courses):***

- Master's degree transfers up to **32** credits
- If an OTD student has relevant graduate coursework not applied to an earned graduate degree, they may petition for up to **4** credits to be applied toward OTD elective credits
- **36 LEFT** if no additional transfers to Master's 32
- **68 LEFT** if Bachelor's with no transfers in

***OTD Degree Requirements:***

- Required **OT Theory** and **OT Research** courses if not transferring in from Master's (up to 8 credits if need/want to take in OT, or you need to show proof you took the equivalent elsewhere)
- **Doctoral Proseminar:** 2 (minimum, can do more)
- Seminar in OT (attend outside lectures and submit to Joy): 1 (can transfer this in from UIC Master's)
- **Advanced Field Practicum:** 4-12 credits (minimum 4)
- Field Exam: 3 credits ( up to 3 credits of independent studies with three UIC committee members only)
- **OT Doctoral Project:** 12 credits

***Elective credits to get to 68 in addition to above:***

*(Required theory and research are needed if you haven't already taken in your Master's program)*

- **14 LEFT** if transferring in MS 32 credits only (assuming minimum credits for above on all; OT Theory and OT Research can count towards these if not taken previously)
- **46 LEFT** if coming in BS with no Master's Credits (OT Theory & OT Research can count towards these if not taken previously in BS)