POLICY ON DOUBLE COUNTING OF CREDITS

The Graduate School will accept six credits of graduate work taken as a Rutgers undergraduate toward the requirements for a graduate degree. These credits must be in excess of 120 credits submitted for the bachelor’s degree. If a Rutgers school requires more than 120 credits for the bachelor’s degree, six credits above 120 may be double-counted toward the two degrees. Each degree program shall have full discretion in deciding whether to accept credits earned while an undergraduate toward a graduate degree. The dean or his designate shall have discretion to allow double-counting of an additional three credits in exceptional circumstances.

An exception to the requirement that the credits being accepted be graduate credits may be made if the undergraduate course(s) in question would normally be part of the curriculum of the graduate degree program.