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# **Student Milestones**

#### **Overview**

From your Employee Resources tab, you can access the Student Milestone page. Student milestones are used to track Advancement to Candidacy and the completion of the Culminating Experience requirements for the graduate degree. The status of these milestones will be displayed on the Academic Requirements Report (ARR) which is used during the graduation review process by Enrollment Services. This guide includes the following topics:

- Creating a student's first milestone for a given career and program (Example: Advancement to Candidacy Milestone)
- Adding additional milestones (Example: adding the Culminating Experience Milestone) or editing milestones on a later date

#### Creating a Student's First Milestone For a Career and Program

 Navigate to the Student Milestone Page: Log into MyCSUSM Click on the "Employee Resources" tab





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#### Click Records and Enrollment>Enroll Students>Student Milestones



2) Enter the FIRST Milestone: Advancement to Candidacy

Be sure you are on the ADD A NEW VALUE tab then enter your student data and click the yellow "Add" button.

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Note: Previously, data was entered on separate tabs. Now all information is entered on one page.

Use the magnifying glass icon to lookup and select the Milestone you wish to enter data for. If no other milestones exist for that career (UGRD or PBAC) and program (PMSTR, PMTEX, UBACH, UEXDG), use the pre-populated Effective Date (should be the current date). The Description field should populate once you select the Milestone.

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To return to the search page, you can click "Student Milestones" in the heading navigation, or you can click the yellow "Return to Search" button at the bottom of the page.

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#### Adding Additional Milestones or Editing existing ones.

- 1) Search for an Existing Value
- Be sure you are on first FIND AN EXISTING VALUE tab
- Enter your student data
- Click the yellow "Search" button.
- Select the appropriate Career and Program to add milestones to. To add the Culminating Experience milestone, click on the row that displays "PMSTR" under Academic Program

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- 2) Add a new Effective Dated Row
- Click the plus sign on the Effective Date row. This must be done to edit/update a student milestone on a later date. If you are editing the milestone on the same day you created it, you would click the yellow "Correct History button at the bottom of the page. (This is not recommended you can end up deleting existing milestones.) The Effective Date communicates "As of date '1', only 1 milestone had been completed. As of Date 2 these are the two milestones that had been completed, and they are both listed below"

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