

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN NURSING SCIENCE

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Marketable Skills

Defined by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's 60x30 Strategic Plan (<https://reportcenter.highered.texas.gov/agency-publication/miscellaneous/thecb-60x30-strategic-plan/>) as, "Those skills valued by employers that can be applied in a variety of work settings, including interpersonal, cognitive, and applied skills areas. These skills can be either primary or complementary to a major and are acquired by students through education, including curricular, co-curricular, and extracurricular activities."

1. Be a master educator who contributes to the formal and informal education of future nurses through discovery, application, and integration.
2. Function as a nursing leader with the ability to integrate scholarship, research, teaching, mentoring, and service to advance the profession.
3. Be a proficient mentor with in-depth knowledge of the roles and responsibilities of the professional nurse within the context of the health care system.
4. Be an interdisciplinary communicator and collaborator for the effective delivery of health care and/or participation in scientific research teams.
5. Be an innovator and trend-setter with an appreciation of the history, philosophy, diversity, and evolving nature of the nursing profession to identify interprofessional solutions that transform health care and health systems in a global society.
6. Function as a professional nurse with the philosophical, ethical, and theoretical foundations to guide the generation of policy and standards for nursing and healthcare practice.