Standard	Explanation	Applicant Notes
I. An Introduction	A written introduction by which the applicant introduces oneself to the reviewer(s) and expresses why s/he should be considered for a graduate program without the required bachelor's degree.	
II. Two Letters of Recommendation: one from a Pastor or Professional Supervisor and one from an educator, teacher or facilitator.	This standard is a measure of one's competencies attained as a result of the experience and the intellectual aptitude and capacity for formation in graduate level study.	
III. Transcripts and/or Certificates	Official academic transcripts or certificates from non-credit programs or CEU's earned in formal learning settings	
IV. Work/Ministerial Experience	A job description along with verification of employment. A detailed role description of the ministerial roles involving leadership in your parish with verification from the pastor or staff director	
V. Written Articulation	This standard is a measure of the capacity for reflective study, critical thinking and analysis. Additionally, the applicant must demonstrate the ability to organize and express oneself in speech and writing using proper English grammar, syntax and spelling.	
VI. Verbal Articulation	The applicant must demonstrate the ability to express oneself in a clear, logical and organized manner.	