



ADVANCED CANDIDACY REQUIREMENTS AND INTERVIEW

Advanced Candidacy

A candidate is ready to apply for advanced candidacy when the following requirements have been completed and verified by the Registrar and Training Committee:

1. Complete a minimum of 18 trimester courses.
2. Complete 3 trimesters of Matriculated Case Conference Courses.
3. Complete 2 control cases, including required papers and submission of supervisor's signed evaluation.
4. Continuing personal training analysis.

Upon completion of these requirements, the candidate may request an interview for Advanced Candidacy with the Training Committee.

Advanced Candidacy Interview

The Advanced Candidacy Interview is a one-hour interview with the Training Committee. As part of this interview, the candidate is asked to present an analytic case to the Committee. Typically, the candidate will bring process notes for the Training Committee to follow; these notes are confidential and must be handed back to the candidate or shredded upon completion of the interview.

The interview is an opportunity for a dialogue with the training committee about the candidate's clinical work and clinical thinking about the process. It is also a chance to reflect upon the candidate's strengths and vulnerabilities and to discuss with the Training Committee what would be needed in the last phase of the candidate's training.

The Training Committee may approve the candidate for Advanced Candidacy or specify further steps before granting approval. At the discretion of the Training Committee, additional requirements may be identified to be completed before graduation.

Upon approval by the Training Committee, the candidate now enters the final phase before graduation:

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1. The Advanced Candidate may now begin their third control case.
2. The Advanced Candidate may submit final paperwork, documenting that they have met the requirement for their personal training analysis, provided 400 hours have been completed.