

**DOCTORAL
REQUEST FOR ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY**

The doctoral program must submit this form to the Graduate School upon completion of all departmental requirements for advancement to candidacy, including, but not limited to, the defense and final approval of the dissertation proposal.

Student _____ PSU ID # _____

Degree (Ph.D., Ed.D.) _____ Program _____ Option _____

1. Dissertation Proposal Defense

The dissertation proposal was presented in a formal meeting of the entire dissertation committee on _____.
Date

Proposed Dissertation Title: _____

Approved Dissertation Committee:

Committee Chair - Printed name	Signature	Date
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The signature of each committee member above indicates approval of the proposal. All appointed committee members must approve the proposal for the student to be recommended for advancement to candidacy.

2. Request for Advancement to Candidacy

This student has successfully passed the proposal defense and has met all other program requirements for advancement to candidacy. The doctoral program requests advancement to candidacy effective _____.
Date

This student is recommended for advancement to candidacy:

Doctoral Program Director – Printed name	Signature	Date
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