

### PH.D. EARLY RESEARCH REQUIREMENT

Ph.D. students shall conduct and present an educational research study early in their graduate programs. In the first year of doctoral study, Ph.D. students, in consultation with their advisors, shall form an Early Research Committee consisting of the advisor and two other faculty members. Before the formation of the preliminary oral examination committee, the student should formally present to his or her Early Research Committee a written and oral report on the early research project. All three members of the committee must approve the work as satisfying the early research requirement for the Ph.D.

To be completed during the first year of doctoral study and filed with the Department:

<b>Student's Name:</b> _____	<b>Email:</b> _____
<b>Committee Members:</b> _____	
<b>Advisor:</b> _____	
<b>Proposed Project Title:</b> _____	

To be completed after presentation of a formal oral and written report on the Early Research Project to the Committee and prior to the writing of the qualifying exams. Once approved, file with the Department:

<b>Project Title:</b> _____	
Advisor's Signature _____	Date _____
Committee Member's Signature _____	Date _____
Committee Member's Signature _____	Date _____

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