

Application for Advancement to Candidacy

This form must be completed and returned to The Graduate College in order for a student to be considered for advancement to candidacy. Final approval will be granted when all requirements have been met. It is the student's responsibility to make sure The Graduate College receives this form in a timely manner.

Student Name: _____	Texas State ID: _____
Major: _____	Degree (check one): <input type="checkbox"/> Ph.D. <input type="checkbox"/> Ed. D.
Student Signature: _____	Date: _____
Current Address: _____	
Texas State Email: _____	Phone Number: _____

Has the comprehensive exam been successfully completed?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has all required coursework (other than dissertation) been completed?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has the dissertation proposal been successfully defended?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has the dissertation proposal been approved by the student's committee?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has the committee-approved dissertation proposal been submitted to The Graduate College for approval?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Signatures below indicate the approval of the above recommendation:

Printed Name	Signature	Date
_____	_____	_____
Dissertation Committee Chair/Co-Chair		
_____	_____	_____
Co-Chair (if applicable)		
_____	_____	_____
Doctoral Program Director		
_____	_____	_____
Department Chair		

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Based on the recommendation above, the Application for Advancement to Candidacy is: <input type="checkbox"/> Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved		
_____	_____	
Dean or Associate Dean of The Graduate College	Date	