

Early Inquiry Experience Approval

School of Education Doctoral degrees require an early inquiry experience, during which a student carries out a research project, including the collection and analysis of data to answer a research question, and the writing of a research manuscript. This research is to be prior to the dissertation and not a direct part of the dissertation research. The early inquiry experience may be implemented through an independent study course (e.g., a 590 course), through a master's thesis (e.g. 599 course), or through a departmental research seminar. Each student must carry out an independent research project. The research manuscript that results from this study must be read and approved by the student's advisory committee.

Student Information

Name: _____ ID Number: _____

Email: _____ Degree: _____

Major(s): _____ Minor: _____
(if applicable)

Department: _____ Second Department: _____
(For double majors)

Method of meeting requirement

List course number, title, and semester if applicable. If using a Master's Thesis, please explain how it directly relates to the Doctoral degree.

Independent study course: _____

Departmental research seminar: _____

Master's Thesis:

Other method:

Approval

This is to certify that I have read the research report describing the early inquiry study carried out by the above-named student, and that I find in this report evidence of satisfactory research skills for nomination to candidacy.

Signature - Advisory Committee Chair / Advisor

Printed Name

Date

Signature – Advisory Committee Co-Chair
(if applicable)

Printed Name

Date

Signature - Minor Advisor
(if minor is involved in the Early Inquiry Project)

Printed Name

Date