

This set of forms has been improved; please review these Guidelines carefully and follow instructions.

FORM 1 - Ph.D. Qualifying Exam Results

Form 1 *Qualifying Exam Results* may be filed in the Office of Admission & Records with the Assistant Registrar **after** the student has completed the program of study. Refer to the CGU Bulletin and academic department hand-book for prerequisite checklists and requirements for the composition of the student's Qualifying Exam Committee.

FORM 2A - Ph.D. Advancement to Candidacy: Committee Proposal

Form 2A *Committee Proposal* may be filed in the Office of Admission & Records with the Assistant Registrar after **Form 1: Qualifying Exam Results** has been completed and submitted. Advancement to Candidacy is not complete until both Form 2A and 2B are completed and submitted.

FORM 2B - Ph.D. Advancement to Candidacy: Dissertation Proposal

Form 2B *Dissertation Proposal* may be filed in the Office of Admission and Records with the Assistant Registrar after **Form 2A: Committee** has been approved and submitted. Advancement to Candidacy is not complete until both Form 2A and 2B are completed and submitted.

FORM 3A - Final Oral Examination: Committee Proposal

Form 3A *Committee Proposal* may be filed in the Office of Admission & Records with the Assistant Registrar after **Forms 2A& B, Advancement to Candidacy** have been completed and submitted. The Oral Exam Committee **must be approved (Form 3A)** no later than 3 weeks before your Final Oral Exam Date. The date of the Final Oral Exam (dissertation defense) **may not occur sooner than 6 months** after you have been advanced to candidacy.

FORM 3B - Final Oral Examination Results

Form 3B *Final Oral Examination Results* may be filed in the Office of Admission and Records with the Assistant Registrar after **Form 3A** has been approved. Procedures for retaking an unsuccessful examination are outlined in the CGU Bulletin.

Please refer to the academic calendar online at www.cgu.edu/calendar for degree-completion deadlines in the semester in which you plan to graduate.

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Form 2A Committee Proposal may be filed in the Office of Admission & Records with the Assistant Registrar after **Form 1: Qualifying Exam Results** has been completed and submitted. Advancement to Candidacy is not complete until both Form 2A and 2B are completed and submitted.

Instructions:

- Complete student information.
- Print the names of the committee members who will approve the dissertation proposal. The committee must consist of at least three members; follow the guidelines listed below.
- Obtain approval of the Dissertation Chair and the Dean of the School for the proposed committee.
- Submit approved form to the Office of Admission & Records (Assistant Registrar).

STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

CGU ID #254 - _____ Dept: _____ Degree: _____

Current Registration _____ Semester / year Qualifying examinations passed on _____ Date

PROPOSED DISSERTATION COMMITTEE

3-person committee:

Two of the three members must be CGU core faculty in the candidate's field (program) and one may be an outside examiner. The outside examiner may be either a CGU core faculty member in another field (program) or a member of the graduate faculty from any of the other Claremont Colleges. See the CGU [Bulletin](#) for a list of core faculty and Claremont Colleges Faculty.

4-person committee:

Same requirements as the 3-person committee and the fourth may be a faculty member from any of the other Claremont Colleges or another accredited institution outside of the Claremont Colleges, or a qualified institution practitioner.

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| 1. _____
Print committee chair name | _____ CGU field or program |
| 2. _____
Print member name | _____ CGU field or program |
| 3. _____
Print member name | _____ Institution / field |
| 4. _____
Print 4th member , (optional for some schools) name | _____ Institution / field |

APPROVAL OF DISSERTATION COMMITTEE

Recommended by _____ Chair, Dissertation Committee _____ Date

Approved by _____ The Dean of the School _____ Date

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Form 2B Dissertation Proposal may be filed in the Office of Admission and Records with the Assistant Registrar after **Form 2A: Committee** has been approved and submitted. Advancement to Candidacy is not complete until both Form 2A and 2B are completed and submitted.

Instructions:

- Complete student information.
- Print the names of the approved committee members from Form 2A in the left-hand column below.
- Following evaluation of the student's Dissertation Proposal, the committee members will indicate their results and sign in the right-hand column.
- Once completed, submit this form to the Office of Admission and Records (Assistant Registrar).

STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

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Attach a 350-word summary of the Dissertation Proposal; list title below.

Title of Proposed Dissertation _____

DISSERTATION COMMITTEE (from Form 2A)

Print approved committee member names and university affiliation below.

Committee member's approval signature & date

1. _____ Print committee chair name	_____ CGU field or program	_____ Signature / date
2. _____ Print member name	_____ CGU field or program	_____ Signature / date
3. _____ Print member name	_____ Institution / field	_____ Signature / date
4. _____ Print 4th member name (optional for some schools)	_____ Institution / field	_____ Signature / date

ADVANCEMENT TO CANDIDACY

The committee above accepts this proposal and the student is recommended and approved for advancement to candidacy.

Recommended by _____ Chair, Dissertation Committee _____ Date

Approved by _____ The Dean of the School _____ Date

For Internal Use: Verified by (Registrar): _____ Copy to Department: _____ Processed by (Data Services): _____