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Extension Request of the 5-Year Rule for Admission to Candidacy

Doctoral students have five (5) years from the date of program admission to be admitted to Candidacy. This form is for students who have exceeded or will exceed that time frame and must request an extension. All extensions must be approved **FIRST** by the student’s advisor, **SECOND** by the Program Director, and **THIRD** by the Associate Dean of the Graduate School.

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| Last Name, First Name: | |
| Campus ID: | |
| Program: | |

STUDENT: Briefly explain the reason(s) for exceeding the 5-year Rule for Admission to Doctoral Candidacy:

ADVISOR: Briefly confirm and/or supplement the student’s reason for the request and give a date (not to exceed one year) through which the extension is needed:

Date through which extension is requested:

By signing below, you are confirming your approval of this Extension Request

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| Advisor: (Print Name) | Signature: | Date: |
| Program Director: (Print Name) | Signature: | Date: |

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Decision of the Associate Dean:

- Extension approved
- Extension denied

Associate Dean's comments:

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| Associate Dean: Jeffrey Halverson, Ph.D. | Signature: | Date: |
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