

Updating language regarding submission of IRB approval for Ph.D.

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1. Section: Forming a Research Committee

2. Section: Use of Human Participants

If the proposed research includes the use of human participants or accessing archival data that includes identifiable information of human beings, the School of Education requires verification of review from the Institutional Review Board. A copy of the Institutional Review Board approval must be submitted with either (a) the Nomination of Research Committee e-doc prior to the dissertation proposal meeting or (b) the Dissertation Proposal Approval Form after the dissertation proposal meeting.

If the proposed research does not involve the use of human participants or accessing archival data that includes identifiable information of human beings, the School of Education requires verification from the dissertation advisor that Institutional Review Board review is not required (by checking the appropriate box on the Dissertation Proposal Approval Form). Note that human research proposals applicable under the exempt category of IRB review still require IRB approval.