

Doctoral Form D-7

DISSERTATION PROPOSAL APPROVAL

PLEASE TYPE (handwritten forms will not be accepted):

Student's Name

Spire ID Number

Local/Cell Phone Number

Email Address

Concentration

Title of Dissertation Proposal: _____

IMPORTANT NOTE – You must submit this form and the following documents to Kristin Tyler in the Office of Academic Affairs (Room W114, Furcolo Hall) for review/approval before formal work on the dissertation is undertaken. Please email these documents to Kristin in PDF format only at: ktyler@educ.umass.edu

- Form D-7A Dissertation Proposal Human Subjects Review Approval
- Proof of University approved IRB if Human Subjects
- Dissertation Proposal
- Your Dissertation Proposal must have a Dissertation Proposal title page

Your Dissertation Proposal and required attachments (listed above) must be filed and accepted at least seven (7) months before the final oral defense may be scheduled. The seven-month window starts the date that your proposal (prospectus) milestone is posted on your unofficial transcript.

TO: Dean of the Graduate School via Dr. Shane Hammond, Graduate Program Director
The following members of the Graduate Faculty, signed below, have approved the dissertation proposal.

FULL NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
_____ Committee Chair	_____	_____
_____ Committee Member	_____	_____
_____ Outside Committee Member	_____	_____
_____ Committee Member (optional)	_____	_____

Student's Signature

Date

Approved: _____

Dr. Nina Tissi-Gassoway, Graduate Program Director

Date