

## Request for Final Doctoral Defense

This form must be submitted to The Graduate School *three weeks prior* to the defense date or by current semester deadline for graduation.  
Email submission to [gradsvcs@lsu.edu](mailto:gradsvcs@lsu.edu).

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### Student Information:

LSU Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Defense Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Time & Place: \_\_\_\_\_  
Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Previously Scheduled? \_\_\_\_\_  
Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dissertation Title: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Note: If the title changes after the defense, please ensure the Doctoral Approval Sheet reflects the new title.*

### Committee Information:

Doctoral committees must include a total of 3 members plus the Dean's Representative: two full members of the graduate faculty, including one from the major department. If a minor is declared, the minor department must be represented. If you are including a member of Southern University's graduate faculty, indicate the institution with (SU) after the name. **Please remember to include the Dean's Representative.**

### Committee Members (Print Names Below):

Committee Chair: \_\_\_\_\_ Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
Co-Chair (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dean's Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
Minor Professor: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Required Signatures:

Committee Chair: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Chair, Head of Department, or  
Graduate Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dean of the Graduate School: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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### For Office Use Only:

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ CW: \_\_\_\_\_ TIME: \_\_\_\_\_ REG: \_\_\_\_\_ COM: \_\_\_\_\_ MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_