

# PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION COMPETENCY

## College of Education and Human Services

### Interdepartmental Doctoral Program

All students in the interdepartmental doctoral program are required to make a presentation at a state, regional, national, or international professional meeting. The purpose of this requirement is to ensure that graduates of the program have mastered the skills of:

- Systematically collecting information and research data about a professionally relevant topic.
- Organizing that information into learning objectives.
- Presenting information in a way which is understandable, interesting, and appropriate for the audience.
- Responding to questions.

These skills will be useful to graduates of the program whether they are teaching, doing research, or administering programs.

To meet this requirement, the professional meeting at which the presentation is made must be one in which there is a call for papers and a systematic process is used to select the papers that will be presented (State, Regional, National, or International). The presentation must be an oral presentation.

Presenters are encouraged to seek feedback from those in attendance.

### COMPLETION OF PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION REQUIREMENT

This form is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_ made the following  
(name of student)  
(State, Regional, National, or International) professional presentation:

Name of meeting: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of Presentation:\* \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVAL of professional presentation requirement:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisory Committee Chair

\* Please attach a photocopy of the meeting program where the student's name appears.

**SUBMIT COMPLETED FORM TO CEHS DEAN'S OFFICE**