

D-1: Doctoral Plan of Study
Doctoral (Ph.D.) Program in Family Sciences

Submit to the Director of Graduate Studies before completion
 of 9 credit hours or second semester in the program (whichever comes last).

Date: ___ / ___ / ____

Student Name: _____

Student ID#: _____

Year 1								
Fall Semester			Spring Semester			Summer Semester		
Course # and Name	Credits		Course # and Name	Credits		Course # and Name	Credits	
1) _____	_____		1) _____	_____		1) _____	_____	
2) _____	_____		2) _____	_____		2) _____	_____	
3) _____	_____		3) _____	_____		3) _____	_____	
4) _____	_____		4) _____	_____		4) _____	_____	
5) _____	_____		5) _____	_____		5) _____	_____	
Year 2								
Fall Semester			Spring Semester			Summer Semester		
Course # and Name	Credits		Course # and Name	Credits		Course # and Name	Credits	
1) _____	_____		1) _____	_____		1) _____	_____	
2) _____	_____		2) _____	_____		2) _____	_____	
3) _____	_____		3) _____	_____		3) _____	_____	
4) _____	_____		4) _____	_____		4) _____	_____	
5) _____	_____		5) _____	_____		5) _____	_____	
Year 3								
Fall Semester			Spring Semester			Summer Semester		
Course # and Name	Credits		Course # and Name	Credits		Course # and Name	Credits	
1) _____	_____		1) _____	_____		1) _____	_____	
2) _____	_____		2) _____	_____		2) _____	_____	
3) _____	_____		3) _____	_____		3) _____	_____	
4) _____	_____		4) _____	_____		4) _____	_____	
5) _____	_____		5) _____	_____		5) _____	_____	

Approved: _____ Date: ___ / ___ / ____
 Major Professor

But don't forget the next page!

Accepted: _____ Date: ___ / ___ / ____
 Director of Graduate Studies

Curriculum Requirements

	Term (to be) Taken Examples: F21 for Fall 2021 S22 for Spring 2022 Sum23 for Summer 2023	
Area		Course
Foundational - required unless approved from master's degree	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	FAM 601: Family Processes <small>or FAM 658: Adolescent Development or a graduate level aging related course</small> FAM 652: Readings in Family Theory and Research FAM 654: Lifespan Human Development and Behavior <small>or EDP 600: Lifespan Human Development & Behavior</small> FAM 668: Allocation of Family Resources FAM 690: Research Methods in Family Science FAM 775-001: Professional Development Seminar I STA 570: Basic Statistics
Research Methods & Theory - minimum 9 credit hours - FAM 790 required	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	FAM 790: Advanced Research Methods in Family Science Suggested Qualitative Methods (minimum 3 credit hours required) CI 664: Qualitative Methods in Communication Research EPE 663: Field Studies in Educational Institutions (qualitative methods) EPE 763: Advanced Field Studies (qualitative methods) SW 772: Introduction to Qualitative Research SOC 682: Special Topics in SOC (topic: any qualitative methods) Other: _____
	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	Suggested Quantitative Methods (minimum 3 credit hours required) EPE 619: Survey Research Methods in Education EDP/EPE 620: Topics and Methods of Evaluation EDP/EPE 621: Advanced Topics and Methods of Evaluation EPE 679: Multiple Measures in Education and Evaluation Other: _____
Statistics - minimum 9 credit hours - FAM 777 required	_____ _____ _____ _____ _____	FAM 777: Applied Statistics in Family Science Suggested Courses (minimum 6 credit hours required) CI 765: Advanced Seminar in CI (committee-approved topic) EDP 707: Multivariate Analysis in Educational Research EDP 711: Advanced Quantitative Methods (committee-approved topic) EPE 773: Seminar in EPE (topic: Applied Structural Equation Modeling) PSY 610: Psychometrics (focus on ANOVA) PSY 611: Psychological Research (focus on Regression & Correlation) Other: _____
Professional Development - minimum 7 credit hours	_____ _____ _____	FAM 775-002: Professional Development Seminar II FAM 786: Teaching Practicum in Family Sciences FAM 784: Research Practicum in Family Sciences
Area of Specialization - minimum 15 credit hours	Flexible coursework forming a cohesive specialization area in one emphasis area (select one). ___ adolescent development ___ aging ___ family finance and economics ___ family processes Identify Courses (minimum 15 credit hours required) _____ _____ _____ _____ _____	
Dissertation Research - after completion of coursework, take 2 credit hours per semester until graduated	∞	FAM 767: Dissertation Residency Credit