

**Case Western Reserve University
School of Graduate Studies**

DISSERTATION FELLOWSHIP 703

Dissertation Fellowship is a full-time appointment (totaling 9 credit hours) and is available for a maximum of 6 consecutive semesters, but cannot exceed a total of 36 credit hours. Students will register for up to 8 credit hours for Dissertation Fellowship (703), but must also co-register for at least 1 credit hour of 701 or one credit hour of 701 and a course, with the total registration hours equaling 9 credit hours. No tuition is charged for 703 when accompanied by a paid credit hour(s) of tuition. Case Prime Fellows are not permitted to register for 703.

When the following requirements have been met, Ph.D. students are eligible for Dissertation Fellowship 703:

1. Advanced to candidacy
2. Achieved a minimum GPA of 3.0
3. Within the five-year limit to complete the degree

If the dissertation is not completed and defended in the last semester of the fellowship, the student must resume registration for course 701 at a minimum of one credit hour each semester through the allowed five-year limit. Registration for 703 cannot be used to postpone the normal timetable for completion of the 18 credit hour 701 requirement.

Departmental recommendation and the approval of the School of Graduate Studies are necessary before registering for Dissertation Fellowship 703.

Name:		Department:	
ID Number:		Phone:	
		E-Mail:	

The above-named student has met all department requirements to advance to candidacy.

Date of Advancement to Candidacy: _____
(Month/Day/Year)

Signature of Research Adviser: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Department Chair: _____ Date: _____

GRADUATE STUDIES USE ONLY	3.00+ GPA	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
Date Posted: _____	Program of Study	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
Initials: _____	Advanced to Candidacy	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
Coursework Hours: 18 36	Transcripts	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
Term: 1 2 3 4 5 6	Continuously Registered	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
Notes: _____	Unresolved Grades	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO
	Within five year limit	<input type="checkbox"/>	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO