

FORM E – Defense Date

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Deadline for submission: April 12 for May graduation; July 23 for August graduation; December 2 for January graduation; a minimum of ten days prior to proposed defense date.

Dissertation Title: _____

Please indicate the proposed defense date. All committee members must agree to the following date and time:

Date of Dissertation Defense: _____ **Time of Dissertation Defense:** _____

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