

## Verification of Research Subject or Participant Compliance

(Turn in with dissertation proposal, final dissertation, final thesis, and final scholarly project)

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last 4 numbers of Bear ID: \_\_\_\_\_

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Degree Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Department/School: \_\_\_\_\_

All researchers planning to examine data from human participants or animal subjects for which IRB or IACUC approval is necessary, according to the procedures of these entities <https://www.unco.edu/research/research-integrity-and-compliance/>, are required by the University of Northern Colorado to obtain approval **prior to** the initiation of any data collection.

This form must be turned in to the Graduate School with the required documents for the **Dissertation Proposal, Final Dissertation, Master's Thesis, or Doctoral Scholarly Project**. It is understood that circumstances may arise in which the researcher may need to alter some aspect of the research plan necessitating submission of a modification request to IRB or IACUC. *Failure to maintain the necessary records of research review and approval is a violation of Federal Law and could result in suspension of federal research funds to the University of Northern Colorado.*

Failure to complete the modification process (if necessary) or file the required Verification form may significantly delay graduation for the student by disallowing the inclusion of any dissertation, thesis, or scholarly project data collected while out of compliance. In addition, non-compliance could result in scientific misconduct for the student's advisor (see section on IRB Non-Compliance and Reported Irregularities during Research in the Procedures for Research Involving Human Participants.

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**Please complete all appropriate information for the CURRENT submission to avoid delay in processing:**

**Dissertation Proposal** IRB or IACUC Approval date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Next Review \_\_\_\_\_

**If you have IACUC Board Approval** and are not the primary investigator, please give the name of the UNC faculty member who holds the IACUC approval. \_\_\_\_\_

**Final Dissertation or Doctoral Scholarly Project**

Approval date: \_\_\_\_\_ Last date of data collection: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes No Have you modified your IRB or IACUC since submitting your dissertation proposal to the Grad School?

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**If no Approval from either IRB or IACUC is required, please provide an explanation:**

**Final Master's Thesis**

Yes No Did you receive IRB or IACUC approval prior to data collection?

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