

**Office of Graduate Studies
Doctoral Student Research Fund**

The student must complete this form, obtain the signature of the dissertation chair, and upload the signed form with the application.

Statement of Support

Student's name: _____

Intended use of funds: _____

Please list all research approvals required to conduct this research (e.g., Human Subjects, Animal Research, Radiation Safety) and date of approval.

These approvals must be obtained prior to application for DSRF.

Research Approval Required	Approval Date

Starting Fall 2024, all financial transactions are required to be processed in KU Finance Service Portal. As a criteria of award approval, applicants must identify their department representative (staff or faculty) who will assist them in initiating this reimbursement in the portal. Please identify the primary contact who will assist with this award disbursement:

Printed Name of Department Representative*

Department Representative Email

I understand that the student above is applying for funding from the Office of Graduate Studies' Doctoral Student Research Fund, which provides \$1500 for costs directly related to doctoral research. The student has discussed the application with me, and I verify that the list of research approvals is accurate and complete. I am supportive of the request and can confirm that the funds requested will contribute directly to the student's doctoral research project.

Signature of Dissertation Chair

Printed Name of Dissertation Chair*

Email of Dissertation Chair*

**Will be copied on any award notifications for this student*