



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Office of Academic Services and Intern Support

Measurement and Statistics Doctoral Scholarly Engagement Requirement

Florida State University has instituted a Scholarly Engagement requirement for doctoral students. Its goal is to encourage students to become independent scholars who participate in the global scholarly community. To be competent global scholars you will access, evaluate, and create new knowledge, as well as learn to communicate about and disseminate your work. Doctoral students in Measurement and Statistics (M&S) can meet the Scholarly Engagement requirement by fulfilling either items 1 and 2, OR items 1 and 3, shown below.

- (1) Doctoral students should attend the bi-weekly M&S colloquia meeting unless an excused absence is provided. Excused absences include documented illness, deaths in the immediate family and other documented crises, call to active military duty or jury duty, religious holy days, and official University activities.
- (2) Doctoral students in the first two years of study should attend a professional conference (e.g., American Educational Research Association, American Psychological Association, American Statistical Association, or Florida Educational Research Association) that is related to their program of study. Doctoral students in their third year of study and beyond should give one or more presentation(s) related to their program of study, such as being an (co)-author in a professional conference.
- (3) Doctoral students should be involved in preparing, submitting, or publishing research paper(s) to scholarly outlets (e.g., journals, books) as authors or coauthors.

Each doctoral student will be evaluated for their engagement activities at the end of each academic year (at the same time as Annual Evaluation, see M&S Handbook).