

Individual Career Development Plan

Name of student:

Name of mentor:

Year of study:

Please take the time to **think about your career goals**, how this can be achieved during your PhD and how you can **work with your mentor, DGS and graduate program** to align expectations and meet these goals. You are encouraged to **discuss this plan** with your mentor every 6 months. You should discuss this plan during every thesis committee meeting.

Please **provide this form to your committee 3-7 days before your meeting, discuss it** as an integral part of your thesis **committee meeting**, and bring to your **DGS** after the thesis meeting for feedback. You are encouraged to use **bullet points**. You may extend to another page if necessary.

What are my career interests, professional path?

What are my expectations/goals for my personal and professional growth during my PhD?

What resources can help me achieve these results?

Specific steps to achieve these goals?

What actions you and your mentor need to take to align expectations and advance in your professional path?

Progress since the last committee in implementing this plan:

Additional comments: