APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO GRADUATE CANDIDACY
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION DISORDERS

Instructions

1. Apply for graduate candidacy in the term after
   a. You have completed a minimum of nine (9) graduate credits in Communication Disorders
      (CDIS) courses.
   b. You have completed all undergraduate course requirements on your graduate student study
      plan (if applicable).

2. Attach all CDIS course self-evaluations (including instructor feedback if available).

3. Attach an unofficial copy of your GSU transcript.

4. If applicable, attach copies of all other transcripts documenting completion of undergraduate
   course requirements (if completed after admission to the graduate program).

5. Attach copy of results indicating that you have passed the Test of Academic Proficiency (TAP) (or
   its equivalent). (Students admitted Fall 2012 and thereafter.)

6. Attach documentation that you have completed the program’s required speech-language-hearing
   screening (CDIS Speech-Language-Hearing Screening Verification form).

7. Using your course self-evaluations, write a letter of petition for candidacy summarizing your areas
   of strength and need. Indicate how you would like to move forward in areas of strength and
   remediate areas of need. You letter should be limited to two or three paragraphs.

8. Submit all materials to your academic advisor.

Student Name ___________________________ GSU # ______________

Student Signature _____________________________

Academic Advisor _____________________________

Term Admitted ___________________________ Date Submitted ________________

Graduate CDIS Courses Completed

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NOTICE OF APPROVED CANDIDACY STATUS

Student Name ___________________________ GSU # __________________

College ___________________________ Health and Human Services

Academic Major ___________________________ Communication Disorders

Academic Advisor ___________________________

The above student

1. Has completed an approved graduate student study plan.
2. Is in academic good standing.
3. Has met all candidacy requirements for the major.
4. Has been granted “candidacy status.”

Approved by ___________________________
Signature of Department Chairperson

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Date

PLEASE SUBMIT COMPLETED FORM TO OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR.