

## Learning Technologies Ph.D. Preferred Advisor Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Offering: [  ] Residential (Face to Face) or [  ] Distributed (Online Coursework)

Students will follow a defined sequence of coursework during the program. Each is required to attend an annual in-person meeting to remain active in the PhD program and meet state residency requirements. More details can be found on the [LT Ph.D. website](#) or in the [LT Ph.D. Doctoral Student Handbook](#).

In addition to a faculty advisor/major professor who works with students on portfolio and dissertation, each student in the program is also assigned an [Associate Graduate Faculty \(AGF\) mentor](#).


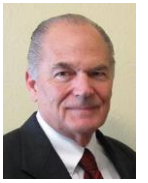



An AGF is a professional in the field with a terminal degree (e.g., Ph.D.) who supports students throughout their doctoral career. This mentor's role during coursework is to actively engage with the student to: 1) ensure the student is doing well academically, 2) support the student's other related activities such as publications and presentations, 3) position the student for success during later stages of the program (e.g., dissertation), and 4) communicates with the program faculty concerning student progress and retention needs.

### Instructions:

1. Review AGF mentor bios on our [program website](#)
2. On the form below, select your top **two** choices
3. Submit your completed form to the [LT Ph.D. Program advisors \[LT-PhD@unt.edu\]](mailto:LT-PhD@unt.edu)

Department staff will reach out to your first choice to see if they are eligible to serve in the role. If yes, the AGF mentor will reach out to you directly and schedule a meeting. If they endorse your application, a letter of support will be included in your application packet for full faculty review. If admitted to the program, your AGF mentor will be cc'd on your welcome email to assist as you begin the program. There will also be an online orientation in the late spring, so watch out for an email about that online meeting.

**Associate Graduate Faculty (AGF) Mentors** – Select two (2) in order of preference.

<a href="#">Marcus Childress, Ph.D.</a> [ <input type="checkbox"/> ] 	<a href="#">Bill Elieson, Ph.D.</a> [ <input type="checkbox"/> ] 	<a href="#">Dave Edyburn, Ph.D.</a> [ <input type="checkbox"/> ] 
<a href="#">Rob Foshay, Ph.D.</a> [ <input type="checkbox"/> ] 	<a href="#">Carole L. Jurkiewicz, Ph.D.</a> [ <input type="checkbox"/> ] 	<a href="#">Robert Wright, Ph.D.</a> [ <input type="checkbox"/> ] 