Individual Placement Data about Graduates of Doctoral Programs

Please fill out the following form for each graduate in your department who received a doctorate between 1 September 2009 and 31 August 2010. Use this original to make as many copies as you need. The blank questionnaire may also be downloaded as a PDF file from www.mla.org/phd_placement_2011.

The questionnaire provides space to enter information about each graduate's employment as of 1 November 2010 and as of 1 November 2011.

MLA Department ID Number: _____
Department Name: _____ **University**: _____
Graduate Number: _____ Please number in sequence each graduate for whom you complete a questionnaire, starting with graduate number 1.

You may wish to keep a record for your own files, associating each graduate with a numbered questionnaire; any such association is for your internal record-keeping purposes only. The identity of graduates is confidential; all findings about placement are reported in aggregate form only.

1. Sex:
☐ Male ☐ Female

2. Hispanic or Latina/o origin:
☐ Yes ☐ No

3. Racial or ethnic identification (mark all that apply):
☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
☐ Asian or Pacific Islander
☐ Black or African American
☐ White
☐ Other (please specify) _____

4. Citizenship
US citizen:
☐ Yes ☐ No
Canadian citizen:
☐ Yes ☐ No
Other citizenship:
☐ Yes ☐ No
☐ **Graduate's citizenship unknown**

5. Year graduate began work beyond the BA (at your institution or elsewhere): _____

6. Graduate's primary language of specialization: _____
Please enter **one code** from the accompanying list of employment codes in the line above to indicate the graduate's **primary** language of specialization.

If you wish, you may indicate a secondary language for this graduate. _____

7. Graduate's primary field of specialization: _____
Please enter **one code** from the accompanying list of employment codes in the line above to indicate the graduate's **primary** field of specialization.

If you wish, you may indicate a secondary field specialization for this graduate. _____

Please repeat your department's ID number here: _____
Please repeat this graduate's number here: _____

8. Type of employment (e.g., tenure-track, non-tenure-track, nonacademic):

As of 1 November 2010
Please enter **one code** from the accompanying list of employment codes. _____

As of 1 November 2011
Check this box ☐ if the graduate's employment placement is the same as of 1 November 2011 as it was as of 1 November 2010.

If the graduate's employment differed from that for 1 November 2010, please enter **one code** from the accompanying list of employment codes. _____

9. Was the graduate employed full-time or part-time?

As of 1 November 2010
☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time ☐ Unknown

As of 1 November 2011
☐ Full-time ☐ Part-time ☐ Unknown

10. In what country was the graduate employed?

As of 1 November 2010
☐ United States
☐ Canada
☐ Outside the United States or Canada
☐ Unknown

As of 1 November 2011
☐ United States
☐ Canada
☐ Outside the United States or Canada
☐ Unknown

11. (For higher education teaching placements only) Type of institution where graduate was employed (highest degree institution grants). Check one unless the graduate was employed part-time at multiple institutions of different types, in which case check as many as apply.

As of 1 November 2010
☐ BA-granting institution
☐ Doctorate-granting institution
☐ MA-granting institution
☐ 2-year college
☐ Unknown

As of 1 November 2011
☐ BA-granting institution
☐ Doctorate-granting institution
☐ MA-granting institution
☐ 2-year college
☐ Unknown

12. Type of academic department(s) or program(s) where graduate held academic appointment(s).

As of 1 November 2010
☐ English department
☐ Language and literature department other than English (please specify) _____
☐ Interdisciplinary department or program (please specify) _____
☐ Ethnic or area studies department or program (please specify) _____
☐ Comparative literature department or program
☐ Unknown

As of 1 November 2011
☐ English department
☐ Language and literature department other than English (please specify) _____
☐ Interdisciplinary department or program (please specify) _____
☐ Ethnic or area studies department or program (please specify) _____
☐ Comparative literature department or program
☐ Unknown