



College of Education  
Office of the Dean

## MEMORANDUM

**Date:** August 22, 2024  
**To:** College of Education Faculty  
**From:** Krystal Baehr  
**Re:** Proposal Defense Announcement

**Leokadia Lipien**, From the Department of **Educational and Psychological Studies (EPS)** will defend a dissertation proposal **Wednesday, August 28<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m. to be held via Microsoft Teams.**

[Join Microsoft Teams Meeting](#)

**Dr. Tony Tan** will chair the proposal defense. The title of the proposal is, **“Geographic Patterns of Educational Achievement: A Methodological Case Study of Regression Modeling Approaches”**.

Dr. John Ferron serves as Major Professor. Members of the committee are Drs. Eunsook Kim, David Lamb, and Tony Tan.

A copy of the dissertation proposal is available in the Office of Graduate Support (EDU 320) for review by interested faculty members.

*If you require a reasonable accommodation to participate, please contact the Office of Diversity & Equal Opportunity at 813-974-4373 at least five (5) working days prior to the event.*