# YALE UNIVERSITY

## GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

***Petition for Degrees***

REGISTRAR

- If you are enrolled in a Ph.D. program, you should petition for the award of a Master's degree in the semester after the one in which you complete all requirements for that degree. Thus, if your Department awards the Master of Arts or the Master of Science degree upon successful completion of one year's work, you should petition for award of the degree in the fall of your second year. Similarly, if you complete the requirements for the Master of Philosophy during the fall term, you should petition for award of the degree the following May**.**
- If you are enrolled in a terminal Master's program, you should petition to receive the degree in May – even if you expect to complete all requirements during the fall semester. Decisions regarding fall degrees are made before the end of the semester and therefore before fall semester courses are completed.
- SIGN AND DATE the petition below and submit to 113 HGS (mailing address: Yale Graduate School, Office of the Registrar, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, P.O. Box 208236, New Haven, CT 06520-8236).

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| ***Petition Deadlines:*** | ***December 2009 Degrees*** | ***October 1, 2009*** |
| | ***May 2010 Degrees*** | ***March 15, 2010*** |

**To be completed by the student:**

**Anticipated Term of Degree Conferral Term:** ☐ Fall ☐ Spring Year: _____

**Degree(s) Sought** (Please check ALL degrees that apply):

☐ Terminal Master of Arts

☐ Terminal Master of Science

☐ Terminal Master of Engineering (SELECT Program only)

☐ Master of Arts (en route to Ph.D.)

☐ Master of Science (en route to Ph.D.)

☐ Master of Philosophy

☐ Doctor of Philosophy

**Name:** _____ _____ SID: _____
Last First

Department(s): _____ Year of Study (current): _____

**Please verify and/or update your Mailing address information at http://www.yale.edu/sis by the deadlines indicated above. If you cannot access your address information on line, please complete the section below.**

**PRINT** your mailing address that should be used to provide you with information pertaining to your degree petition and to the commencement ceremony:

Mailing Address: _____ _____ ____ _____
Street City State Zip Code

Email: _____ Phone: ( ) _____ -- _____

**PRINT** your full name exactly as it should appear on your diploma (any accent or other diacritical marks should be clearly indicated):

Name: _____

**I hereby petition the Faculty of the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences for conferral of the degree(s) indicated above.**

_____ _____
Student Signature Date

**Upon completion, send form to the Graduate School Office of the Registrar, Hall of Graduate Studies (HGS), Room 113.**