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The ability of the survey to accurately describe doctorate earners depends on obtaining responses from all doctorate degree recipients. Your response affects decisions made for the future generations of doctorate recipients.

Doctoral earners are now able to register for the SED and proceed directly to the online survey. You will receive an email with your PIN and password as well as the URL to the survey upon registering. With this information, you can come back and finish the survey at a later date if you so choose. The registration URL is:

## https://sed-ncses.org

Please complete the survey and turn in the certificate of completion of the SED. At the end of the survey, you will see an email notification screen. You may enter up to two personal email addresses for your own records. After the email screen, you will advance to the certificate of completion. **Print this certificate and turn it in to the Office of Graduate Programs, Quad 402, Room 100.** 

If you have any questions about the survey, please contact:

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