The Department of Art History and Archaeology has determined the following criteria and procedures for Doctoral Faculty membership.

Candidates for appointment or renewal on the Doctoral Faculty must be members of the Graduate Faculty of the University of Missouri and must possess the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

Members must document significant achievement in research or scholarly or creative activities, which demonstrates mature, sustained, independent work and which has brought professional recognition by national standards. In most instances, recognition will be demonstrated by publication of articles in refereed journals or other creative activity. Other evidence includes invited papers or lectures, receipt of national research grants or awards, national senior postdoctoral fellowships, and national service. Evidence of sustained scholarly activity during the past five years is very important for a successful appointment. Previous experience in directing theses or dissertations will be considered, but is not a necessary condition for membership; however, evidence of current participation in graduate education should be included with examples listed, such as teaching graduate courses or serving on graduate committees.

All candidates shall submit documentation of their achievements during the past five years to the chair of the department. The chair will meet with members of the doctoral faculty, evaluate the candidate’s dossier, and send a recommendation to the Vice Provost for Advanced Studies and Dean of the Graduate School for review. In the event of an appeal of a negative decision, the Graduate Faculty Senate Executive Committee will adjudicate the matter.