

# PhD Candidacy Exam- Internal Assessment Form (3)

## Optical Science and Engineering (OSE) Program

This form should be filled out by each member of the dissertation committee following the student's proposal presentation. The form must be signed and returned to the graduate coordinator.

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| <b>Student Name</b>                |  |                        |
| <b>Proposed Dissertation Title</b> |  |                        |
| <b>Committee Chair</b>             |  |                        |
| <b>Your Name</b>                   |  |                        |
| <b>Date of Exam</b>                |  | <b>Signature</b> _____ |

5=excellent, 4=very good, 3=good, 2=fair, 1=poor

|  | Score                    |
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| 1. Student's grasp of the material:  |                          |
| <b>(a) Definition of the problem:</b> clarity of the statement of the problem and its motivation   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <b>(b) Analysis of related and previous work:</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <b>(c) Student's knowledge of the field:</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <b>(d) Research plan:</b> realistic research plan, clear formulation of tasks, reasonable schedule | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <b>Comments:</b>   |                          |
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| 2. Student's ability to communicate  |                          |
| <b>(a) Quality of the presentation</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <b>(b) Ability to answer questions</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <b>Comments:</b>   |                          |
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| 3. Supervision of the student and resources available for the research                             |                          |
| <b>Comments:</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| 4. Overall assessment of the proposal  |                          |
| (score does not have to be an average of the previous scores)                                      |                          |
| <b>Comments:</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> |