

PROGRAM IN POPULATION BIOLOGY, ECOLOGY, AND EVOLUTION DISSERTATION COMMITTEE REPORT FORM

The purpose of this form is to summarize and document the outcome of dissertation committee meetings (required at least annually), to confirm progress towards a degrees and in terms of career development. The student's advisor must complete the narrative section of the report within the week following each committee meeting. The report must be signed by the student and the advisor, and **copies distributed by the student** to the advisory committee, the PBEE Director, and the Director of Graduate Studies.

****COMPLETE THIS REPORT IMMEDIATELY AFTER YOUR MEETING****

NAME: ______
DATE of MEETING: _____

Date of last Committee Meeting: _____

Committee Members Present at Meeting:

TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT

1. What progress have you made toward your degree since your last committee meeting (*Do not include progress recorded previously*. Also, explain deviations from previous goals. If this is you first committee meeting, explain what progress you have made to date.



2. Itemize the remaining requirements (e.g., aims and experiments) for your dissertation and propose a timetable for completing them. Indicate which one(s) you expect to complete before you next committee meeting (in the next year if you are third year, in the next semester if you are in the 4th year or beyond).

- 3. List publications, including abstracts and manuscripts published since your last committee meeting. Attach a copy of each publication and return with this report. Also, list any patents, invention reports, etc.
- 4. Briefly summarize your career goals upon obtaining a Ph.D. and what steps you have taken in the last year or will take in the coming year to meet those goals.

Please check one of the following:

- I have taken the following advanced topics course or appropriate elective course to satisfy my degree requirements: ______
- □ I have not yet satisfied this degree requirement.



TO BE COMPLETED BY CHAIR OF DISSERTATION COMMITTEE (ADVISOR)

1. Comments on student's Individual Development Plan (IDP) (Only required for Fall Semester Meetings):

2. Comments on student's progress on dissertation since last committee meeting:

3. Comments on student's objectives for the next year:

4. Comments on student's timetable for completing dissertation:

5. Considering the overall professional development of this student (e.g., presentations at conferences, publishing), is he/she making adequate academic progress? If not, explain why.



Please check one of the following:

- □ **As required**, the student's **individual development plan was discussed** at the committee meeting (only required at committee meetings held in the Fall semester).
- □ The student's individual development plan was NOT discussed at the committee meeting.

Please check one of the following:

- □ Student is making satisfactory progress on his/her dissertation.
- □ Student's progress on his/her dissertation needs improvement.

Student Signature

Date

Advisor Signature

Date

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