

# AFNS Candidacy Examination Report

**Exam Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Supervisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Examination Results:

\_\_\_\_\_ Pass (performance was exemplary, acceptable, no conditions)

\_\_\_\_\_ Conditional Pass - performance weak, specific conditions (e.g. courses, readings, etc.) to be met 6 months prior to the final oral exam. Timeline to complete condition(s) is determined by Chair. Department holds FGSR "Recommendation for a Change of Category" form until the conditions have been met.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Fail (one of the following three options must be indicated):

\_\_\_\_\_ Repeat Candidacy Exam - include list of conditions for repeat of candidacy exam.

\_\_\_\_\_ Change Category to MSc – include examination procedure and decision process by committee members.

\_\_\_\_\_ Terminate PhD Program – include examination procedure and decision process by committee members.

**Please rate the student by filling in the appropriate box for each item below as follows: CIRCLE one of the following: NI (needs improvement); A (acceptable); E (excellent)**

• Grasp of existing factual and conceptual knowledge central to research discipline	NI	A	E
• Ability to think creatively and critically	NI	A	E
• Awareness and appreciation of significance of new advances in research discipline	NI	A	E
• Depth of understanding of key assumptions of research methods	NI	A	E
• Depth and breadth of understanding of technical complexities of research methods	NI	A	E
• Depth of knowledge of the biology of research organisms (if relevant)	NI	A	E
• Quality of Oral Presentation	NI	A	E
• Quality of Report	NI	A	E

Chair must attach additional page outlining student's strengths and weaknesses.

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Signature of Chair  
Cc: Supervisor/Student

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Date