

**Graduate Outcome Assessment – Chemistry Graduate Program  
Candidacy Exam Assessment**

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Committee members: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Title of Dissertation: \_\_\_\_\_

Scoring: 0 = unacceptable; 1 = marginally acceptable; 2 = acceptable; 3 = above average; 4 = outstanding

Category	Prof. 1 score	Prof. 2 score	Prof. 3 score	Prof. 4 score	Committee consensus
<b>1. Quality of written document:</b>					
Overall clarity					
Grammatical quality					
Organization					
Summary of relevant background information					
<b>2. Research plan:</b>					
Quality of experimental design					
Ability to enunciate significance of proposed research for field of study					
Ability to enunciate motivation for proposed research					
Understanding of experimental methods to be used					
<b>3. Quality of the oral presentation:</b>					
Organization					
Clarity					
Visual aids					
Ability to defend research plan					
Knowledge of background material					
General knowledge of chemistry					
<b>4. Laboratory performance:</b>					
Effort and time spent on research					
Ability to design experiments					
Ability to analyze and interpret data					

Please provide comments on the backside of this form for any areas deemed unacceptable