

# OUHSC Graduate College



To: H. Anne Pereira, PhD  
Dean, Graduate College

From: \_\_\_\_\_, Doctoral Committee Chair

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject: Committee approval of dissertation and defense

The members of the Doctoral Dissertation Committee for graduate student, \_\_\_\_\_ confirm that we have received and read the student's dissertation reading copy. The committee has determined that the dissertation demonstrates the student's ability to conduct original research and makes a significant contribution to the discipline. **Major changes requested by the committee have been made and no further research work is required for the degree.**

The reading copy is in the format approved by the Graduate College. The Graduate College completed a degree check on \_\_\_\_\_ and determined that the student is currently enrolled in or has completed all coursework with acceptable grades to satisfy the requirements for the Doctor of Philosophy degree.

The committee accepts the reading copy; however, the student may be required to make changes and corrections following the defense.

Our signatures below indicate that we agree the reading copy is acceptable and that we agree to a defense on

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

At least 10 working days before the defense, the candidate will submit to the Graduate College an Announcement for the Final Exam and an abstract.

Committee member	Committee status	Committee signature	Date
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Graduate Program Agreement:

\_\_\_\_\_ Program Director/Department Chair Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date