

Ph.D. Qualifying Examination Form

School of Environmental and Forest Sciences

Student Name: _____ Student Number: _____

Date of exam, time, and room: _____

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

IMPORTANT NOTES

The student's Supervisory Committee will serve as the Qualifying Examination Committee. The Committee will select the Qualifying Examination Committee Chair, who will not be the student's Supervisory Committee Chair. The student's Supervisory Committee Chair participates in the examination, but does not decide on the results (pass/fail). The Graduate School Representative (GSR) is encouraged but not required to attend the exam.

The committee will discuss the results of the exam and the student will receive an oral report of the examination outcome at the end of committee deliberations on the same day as the exam, along with a signed copy of this form. The student's Supervisory Committee Chair will not be present at these deliberations. A minimum of 3 faculty must participate in the deliberations. If this minimum cannot be satisfied with faculty from the student's committee, the student, in consultation with the Supervisory Committee Chair, may select an alternative faculty representative. The student and Supervisory Committee Chair will receive a one-page written report of the outcome within 5 working days, which is attached to this form and placed in the student file.

EXAMINATION REPORT

The undersigned members of the Qualifying Examination Committee have examined the above-named student and recommend that:

- The student is allowed to continue in the program and take the Graduate School General Examination.
- The candidate be re-examined after further study. Only one re-examination is allowed.
- The candidate is not recommended for further work towards the doctoral degree after failing the re-examination.

Print Name

Signature

Qualifying Exam Chair: _____

GSR (not required): _____

PhD Chair/Advisor: _____

Committee Member 2: _____

Committee Member 3: _____

MINORITY REPORT

As committee member(s) present at the Qualifying Examination, I (we) wish to dissent from the committee recommendation and I (we) attach a minority report.

Signature(s): _____

PLEASE ATTACH A ONE PAGE WRITTEN EXAMINATION REPORT