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|  | Master of Science  Evaluation of Research Proposal |

***IMPORTANT:*** A copy of the research proposal must be attached.

**Student Name:** **Discipline:**

**EMPL ID:**       **Date of presentation:**

**Working Title of Thesis:**

**Evaluation by the Committee:**

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| **Competencies/Student Learning Outcomes (Detailed Description of Scoring Rubric on attached page)** | **Does Not Meet Expectations** | **Meets Expectations** | **Exceeds Expectations** |
| **Biomedical Scientific Knowledge** |  |  |  |
| Critically analyzes and evaluates literature in the biomedical sciences to discover and implement new knowledge and skills |  |  |  |
| Demonstrates advanced understanding of a range of technical and conceptual approaches used in biomedical sciences research |  |  |  |
| **Communication Skills** |  |  |  |
| Demonstrates effective written communication skills |  |  |  |
| Demonstrates effective oral communication skills |  |  |  |
| Articulates the significance and implications of own work to scientific and lay audiences |  |  |  |
| **Research and Analytic Skills** |  |  |  |
| Demonstrates the ability to develop and clearly state hypotheses and design aims and experimental approaches to test proposed hypotheses |  |  |  |
| Demonstrates mastery of technical and conceptual approaches |  |  |  |
| Demonstrates scientific rigor and reproducibility through accurate data analysis leading to sound scientific conclusions |  |  |  |
| **Career Development and Collaboration** |  |  |  |
| Engages in independent learning and networking |  |  |  |
| Critically examines and synthesizes ideas, methods, and practices of others |  |  |  |

**Overall Evaluation**

Exceeds Expectations  Meets Expectations   
 Does Not Meet Expectations

Must repeat the Research Proposal Defense by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (insert deadline date, which can be no later than the end of the following semester).

Failed Second Attempt. As this is the second attempt to successfully defend the research proposal, the student will be dismissed from the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences.

***Signatures:***

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| *, Committee Member* |  | *, Graduate Advisor* | |
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| *, Committee Member* |  | *, Department Chair (of Student’s Major Professor)* | |
| *, Committee Member* |  |  |