

Permission to Proceed to the Final Doctoral Oral Examination

All doctoral candidates in the Comparative Biomedical Sciences (CBS) Program are required to hold a meeting of their entire graduate committee to present their work and a draft thesis for their final doctoral oral examination. This form must be submitted by the doctoral candidate 3 months before their anticipated final defense. It must be signed by each member of the student's committee, verifying that the candidate has met the requirements to proceed to their final defense. The committee must unanimously agree that the candidate's body of research work is sufficient to meet the expectations for a thesis in Comparative Biomedical Sciences.

Student's Name

Estimated Exam Date:

Thesis Title

I verify that the above named doctoral candidate has met the requirements to begin thesis preparation and schedule a final doctoral oral examination.

Committee Member

Signature

(Chair)

(Co-Chair)

(Member)

(Member)

(Member)

Graduate Program Director

Date
