

Geology Graduate Program, PhD (Plan C) – Advising Form

Please use this form to keep track of your progress and completion of various degree requirements. You will be asked to e-mail a PDF version to the Grad Chair before yearly meetings, etc... also good to share with major advisor. See Grad Handbook for detailed description of requirements.

Student Name: _____ Advisor: _____

Quarter Started: _____ Expected Quarter Finished (+4-5 yrs): _____

Courses

Enter course number and name, and quarter and year (e.g., F14) completed.

- 72 units of course-work (university requirement) including ≥ 12 units of research (GEL 299).
- 8 courses for ≥ 22 units, geology/other discipline; 100- or 200-level (count 2 or 5 from MS).
- 3 of which must be breadth courses; 3-unit 200 level; 1 from each of 3 different subdisciplines.

	Course Number	Course Name	Units	Requirement	Quarter
	UCD Req.	CETL two-day TA training	-	Required	
	GEL 390	Geology TA/Writing Course	2	Required	
	GEL 290	Wednesday Seminar (pre-cand.)	1	Required	ALL
1				Breadth	
2				Breadth	
3				Breadth	
4				General	
5				General	
6				General	
7				General	
8				General	

Research

Enter quarter and year (e.g., F14).

Requirement	Due Date	Completion
Prospectus Document	6th week of 3rd quarter	
Prospectus Approval	before end of 3rd quarter	
Dissertation Proposal	before end of 6th quarter (UCD-MS: 4 th qtr)	
Qualifying Exam	before end of 6th quarter (UCD-MS: 4 th qtr)	
Final Draft of Thesis	before end of 12th quarter after QE	
Exit Seminar/Defense	scheduled after thesis draft is certified	
Thesis Collection	Before thesis is signed by faculty advisor	
Department Final Checklist	Before thesis is signed by faculty advisor	
Final Thesis	Submit permanently bound copy to dept.	

Teaching Assistant

- Must serve at least one quarter as a teaching assistant (list first quarter): _____

Meetings

Enter quarter and year (e.g., F14).

Requirement	Due Date	Completion				
First-year Meeting	Before first quarter					
Prospectus Meeting	Start of 3 rd quarter					
Continuing Student Meeting	Winter Quarter					
Advisory Committee Meeting	Spring Quarter					

Funding Record

Enter quarter and year (e.g., F14), and then percentage time paid from each source (e.g., 25% TA and 25% Graduate Program Fellow (GPF) OR 50% GSR, etc...).

	Quarter	GSR	TA	GPF	Fellowship	Other
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Notes

Use this space for any notes or questions that you'd like to keep track of.