

**The Ohio State University  
Environmental Science Graduate Program  
Master's Thesis Proposal Form**

This form certifies that the candidate whose name appears below presented a dissertation proposal to the designated committee and then an agreement was reached as to what next steps should be taken in preparing the doctoral dissertation. The candidate should complete the top part of the form before the defense. Return this form to the graduate studies coordinator.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Tentative Thesis Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Proposal Defense \_\_\_\_\_

Year MS Expected: \_\_\_\_\_

Based on the dissertation proposal and defense of this student, the faculty committee reading this dissertation (names appear below) recommend the following:

- The thesis plan as presented or with limited revisions (to be noted in the record of the session or a letter to the candidate) provides an adequate basis for proceeding with the thesis research.
  
- Substantial revision or elaboration of the proposal is advised before beginning to execute the planned research. (Note: If this item is checked, please attach a sheet for how the student is to gain the approval of the committee after modifications have been made. For example, schedule another colloquium, individual conferences with committee, closed session with committee, etc. A new revision of this form should be completed after revisions have been reviewed by the committee.)
  
- Other (Please specify. Use back if needed)

AGREED:

_____	Advisor
_____	Co-Advisor (if applicable)
_____	Committee Member
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