

**Candidacy Research Proposal (CRP) Outcome Form**  
**University of Tennessee-Knoxville Department of Chemistry**

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Initial CRP Defense Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Instructions:** The student will print out a copy of this form and bring it to their defense. The major professor must complete this form and submit it to the main office when the CRP process is complete in order for the student to receive credit for CHEM 603.

**Outcome of Initial Candidacy Research Proposal Defense:**

Pass \_\_\_\_\_ Remediation Required \_\_\_\_\_

Fail \_\_\_\_\_

**Written Remediation Required \_\_\_\_\_ (see details below)**

**Due Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ Revision of complete proposal
- \_\_\_\_\_ Revision of specified sections of proposal
- \_\_\_\_\_ Additional document or proposal addendum

**Written remediation details and feedback from the committee**

**Oral Remediation Required \_\_\_\_\_ (see details below)**

**Due Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> presentation of both slides and question/answer
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> presentation of slides only
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> presentation of question/answer only

**Oral remediation details and feedback from the committee**

**Description of any Other Required Remediation**

**Due Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Final CRP decision: Pass \_\_\_\_\_ Fail \_\_\_\_\_**

**Final CRP decision date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee signatures:**

**Major Professor: Print:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sign:** \_\_\_\_\_

**In Division Member Print:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sign:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Out of Division Member Print:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sign:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Out of Department Member Print:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sign:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Candidacy Research Proposal Scoring Form

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Scoring scale:** All categories will be graded on the following scale. Scores may be provided at half point intervals.

<b>UN</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
Unable to judge	Significantly below expectations	Somewhat below expectations	Meets expectations	Outstanding

### Grading categories, explanations and score sheet

Criteria:	Major Professor	In-division	Out of division	Out of department
<b>1. Understanding and Application of Chemistry concepts</b> (Understanding of both fundamental chemistry concepts and project-specific information; knowledge of relevant background literature)				
<b>2. Professionalism and Clarity of Written Document</b> (Clarity of project background, goals and future proposed studies; Conformity with proposal format and requirements; Writing quality)				
<b>3. Professionalism and Clarity of the Oral Presentation</b> (Clarity of the information presented; Quality of slides; Speaking skills; Interaction with audience)				
<b>4. Quality and Extent of Research Results</b> (Productivity of the student in the laboratory, Ability to present, interpret and explain results)				
<b>5. Originality of Research Ideas</b> (Novelty of the research project, Student's intellectual contribution to the project, understanding of how the project fits into a broader context)				