

Quantitative Biosciences Oral Presentation Assessment (PhD)

Date: _____

Circle One:

Thesis Proposal

Thesis Defense

Student: _____ Evaluator: _____

I. Telling the Story

No
1
Not much
2
Yes, but
3
Yes
4
Excellent
5

The writer has made good decisions about focus, style/tone, and content to communicate clearly and effectively. Consider the standards for presentation in a society- and/or national-level conference.

II. Displaying Key Information

No
1
Not much
2
Yes, but
3
Yes
4
Excellent
5

All figures and tables are effectively interpreted and discussed. Consider the standards for publication in a leading journal.

III. Delivering the Presentation and Audience Interaction

No
1
Not much
2
Yes, but
3
Yes
4
Excellent
5

An adequate number of references are used and cited appropriately. Consider the standards for publication in a leading journal.

Total: _____

Comments: _____

Quantitative Biosciences Technical Writing Assessment (PhD)

Date: _____

Circle One:

Thesis Proposal

Thesis Defense

Student: _____ Evaluator: _____

I. Overall Effectiveness of writing

No
1
Not much
2
Yes, but
3
Yes
4
Excellent
5

The writer has made good decisions about focus style/tone, and content to communicate clearly and effectively. Consider the standards for publication in a leading journal.

II. Figure and Tables

No
1
Not much
2
Yes, but
3
Yes
4
Excellent
5

All figures and tables are effectively interpreted and discussed. Consider the standards for publication in a leading journal.

III. References

No
1
Not much
2
Yes, but
3
Yes
4
Excellent
5

An adequate number of references are used and cited appropriately. Consider the standards for publication in a leading journal.

Total: _____

Comments:

Quantitative Biosciences Research Assessment (PhD)

Date: _____

Circle One:

Thesis Proposal

Thesis Defense

Student: _____ Evaluator: _____

I. Originality

Unsatisfactory
Below Average
Average
Above Average
Excellent

Student demonstrates original and creative research in the discipline.

1 2 3 4 5

II. Knowledge of Discipline

Unsatisfactory
Below Average
Average
Above Average
Excellent

Student demonstrates understanding of subject matter, theoretical concepts, and relevant literature.

1 2 3 4 5

III. Contribution to Discipline

Unsatisfactory
Below Average
Average
Above Average
Excellent

Work shows or has the potential to show theoretical or applied significance to the discipline.

1 2 3 4 5

Total: _____

Comments: