



Annual Progress Report

*** Attach cumulative list of the student's submitted and published publications ***

Student: _____ Thesis Advisor: _____ Meeting Date: _____

Years/Months in Program: _____ Date of Last Meeting or Prelim. Exam: _____

Prior to the meeting, the student should distribute a two- or three-page page summary of aims accomplished in the last year and plans for the coming year. **Was such a report provided at least 2 days before the meeting?** Yes No

Please rank the student's progress toward each learning goal summarized below based on expectations for this stage of her/his graduate career.

1. Exhibit a broad understanding of general biochemical principles.

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2. Appreciate current limitations to knowledge in their field.

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3. Formulate new approaches to extend knowledge in their field.

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4. Conduct independent research using a variety of approaches.

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5. Think critically to address research challenges.

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6. Collaborate with other investigators within or outside the thesislab.

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7. Exhibit and foster professional and ethical conduct in their research.

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8. Clearly communicate their research to fellow scientists.

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9. Explore career development opportunities in industry, government, and academia.

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10. Develop teaching and mentoring skills.

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UW-Madison requires that all graduate students supported by NIH funding create an Individual Development Plan (grad.wisc.edu/pd/idp/).

Is the student supported by NIH funds? Yes No

Has the student created an IDP? Yes No

Date IDP last discussed with thesis advisor or other advisor: _____

Please summarize any progress the student has made in planning the next step of her/his career. What are the goals for next year?

Was the progress made on the thesis project in the past year adequate? If the answer is “no,” please provide specific recommendations for changes to the student’s project or approach to enhance progress in the coming year.

Please summarize work that is required to complete the thesis project, including consideration of the requirement for a first-author publication.

Is student on track to degree completion within six years of matriculation? In not, when?

Signatures:

Student: _____ Thesis Advisor: _____

Committee Members:

