

administratively supports the IBC by processing all applications and documents, conducting laboratory inspections, and provides training for general laboratory biosafety, biosafety and bloodborne pathogen awareness.

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee and Animal Welfare

The Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) is a federally required committee responsible for evaluating research and instructional protocols which propose the use of vertebrate animals in traditional laboratory, agricultural, and field condition environments. Protocols involving vertebrate animal species are required to be reviewed and approved by the IACUC prior to starting the activities. The

Animal Welfare Program administratively supports the IACUC by processing all applications and documents, conducting laboratory inspections, and oversees education requirements for conducting ethical and scientifically sound animal use research and instruction.

Committee Approval

Members of the committee must review the student's research proposal and indicate their approval by signing in the space provided.

All-But-Dissertation (ABD) Certificate

Upon request by the graduate chair, the Graduate Student Services will issue an ABD certificate to the student.

Doctorate – Advance to Candidacy (Form II)

Part I. To be completed by student

Name _____ UH ID _____
LAST FIRST M.I.

Graduate Program _____ Degree Objective _____
INCLUDE SPECILIZATION IF APPLICABLE.

Dissertation Topic: _____

YES NO My research requires approval by one or more of the following: Institutional Review Board (IRB), Environmental Health and Safety Office (EHSO), the Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC), and/or the Institutional Biosafety Committee (IBC). If yes, attach a copy of the approval letter(s). Enrollment in Dissertation 800 will not be permitted until such approval is obtained. **I certify that I have read and understand the policies and instructions on this form.**

Signature of Student: _____

Date: _____

DISSERTATION COMMITTEE: By signing below, we certify that we have reviewed and approved the proposed research and found that the proposal is 1) appropriate to the student's academic discipline, and 2) in compliance with the policies and instructions for this form. **Non-Graduate faculty appointed to a committee must also be approved by Graduate Division. Attach a current curriculum vitae of the non-graduate faculty and justification for committee inclusion.**

Name (Type of Print)	Signature	Date
Chair		
Member		
Member		
Member		
Member		
University Representative		

Part II. To be completed by graduate chair

EXAM		MM/DD/YY	Passed	Failed
Comprehensive Exam (oral or oral & written)				
Comprehensive Exam (Repeat if failed the first time.)				
Language Requirement (Language: _____)	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Required			

Advance to Candidacy: Recommended Not Recommended
 Issuance of ABD Certificate Requested

Signature of Graduate Chair: _____

Date: _____

GRADUATE DIVISION ACTION

Approved Not Approved By _____ Date: _____

Remarks:

C: Graduate Program