

Dissertation Examination Assessment Rubric

Student:

What is the main field of the dissertation:

Please assess the student's knowledge in this research area:

4. The student is at the forefront of knowledge and an expert in the field.
3. The student has excellent knowledge and is well-prepared to continue their research.
2. The student has knowledge, but has not demonstrated as much as is usually expected for a Ph.D. graduate.
1. The student's knowledge is insufficient for a Ph.D.

Please assess the student in terms of their verbal communication skills:

4. The student exceeds the expectations for students completing a Ph.D.
3. The student meets the expectations for students completing a Ph.D.
2. The student is below expectations for students completing a Ph.D.
1. The student is far below expectation for students completing a Ph.D.

Please assess the student in terms of their written communication skills:

4. The student exceeds the expectations for students completing a Ph.D.
3. The student meets the expectations for students completing a Ph.D.
2. The student is below expectations for students completing a Ph.D.
1. The student is far below expectation for students completing a Ph.D.

Please assess the student's ability to work and think independently to learn high level mathematics and create new mathematics through research:

4. The student has shown independence and creativity in research, creating new mathematics.
3. The student meets the expectations for independence and research for a student completing a Ph.D.
2. The student's independence and research is below expectations for a student completing a Ph.D.
1. The student's demonstration of independence in research is not sufficient for a Ph.D.

Additional Comments: