Biological Sciences Department

Rubric for Assessing MS Thesis Program (Thesis Defense)

Name of MS Candidate:___Alexander L. Curt___

Name of Evaluator:___David Binninger___

Field of Study:___Molecular Genetics___

Signature and Date:___*(signature)*___ /0.22.12

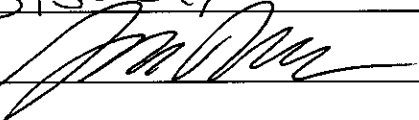| Category of Learning Outcomes and Assessment Goals	Score (1–5) where 5 is best
Scientific Merit of Study	4
Critical analysis of Literature in the Field	4
Hypothesis and extent to Which Objectives were accomplished	4
Scope and quality of data collected and its presentation	4
Intellectual merit of data interpretation and analysis	4
Potential for journal publication from the work	5
TOTAL SCORE	25
AVERAGE OVERALL SCORE	
Criterion for Success is at least 80% MS at 3 or better	

RECOMMENDATIONS:

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Name of MS Candidate:___Alexander L. Curt_____

Name of Evaluator:_JOHN NAMBU_____

Field of Study:_Biology_____

Signature and Date:_____

Category of Learning Outcomes and Assessment Goals	Score (1–5) where 5 is best
Scientific Merit of Study	
Critical analysis of Literature in the Field	5
Hypothesis and extent to Which Objectives were accomplished	4
Scope and quality of data collected and its presentation	4
Intellectual merit of data interpretation and analysis	5
Potential for journal publication from the work	5
TOTAL SCORE	23
AVERAGE OVERALL SCORE	4.6
Criterion for Success is at least 80% MS at 3 or better	

RECOMMENDATIONS:_PASS_____

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Name of MS Candidate:___Alexander L. Curt_____

Name of Evaluator:___Kailiang Jia_____

Field of Study:___Genetics, molecular biology___

Signature and Date:___Kailiang Jia___10/22/12___

Category of Learning Outcomes and Assessment Goals	Score (1–5) where 5 is best
Scientific Merit of Study	5
Critical analysis of Literature in the Field	4
Hypothesis and extent to Which Objectives were accomplished	4
Scope and quality of data collected and its presentation	4
Intellectual merit of data interpretation and analysis	4
Potential for journal publication from the work	4
TOTAL SCORE	25
AVERAGE OVERALL SCORE	4
Criterion for Success is at least 80% MS at 3 or better	

RECOMMENDATIONS:
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