

ECE PhD Proposal Review Request

This form is to be submitted to the ECE Graduate Affairs Office along with six copies of the PhD dissertation proposal, and the prepared "Request for Admission to PhD Candidacy" form. Please note: The "Request for Admission to PhD Candidacy" form should not be signed by anyone at the time of submission.

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Proposed Dissertation Title Filtered Tractography

The dissertation research encompasses specialization in the area(s) indicated below (circle all that apply):

BioEng DSP Emag Optics Systems/Controls
CmpEng EDA Microelect Power Telecom

Term/Yr Prelim Exam passed FALL/06 Term/Yr coursework completed FALL/08

Completion of coursework must be certified by the ECE Graduate Affairs Office. It is the student's responsibility to update the web-based "ECE Coursework Completion Form" by listing all courses to be used toward the PhD Coursework Requirement. Official course numbers and names, technical area designation, semester hour credits, and grades must be included. Be sure to click "Certify Coursework Complete" and "Save" and "Submit" the plan for review by the Graduate Affairs Office.

Committee Nomination: Pending approval of the ECE Graduate Committee, the faculty members indicated below agree to serve on the Proposal Review Committee and as the Reading Committee for the PhD dissertation. The faculty selection is made with the understanding that the proposal review committee must consist of the advisor and three members of ECE's faculty, two of whom will also serve on the Dissertation Reading Committee. We request that the ECE Graduate Committee select the fourth member from a research area outside the student's primary field(s) of study. It is understood that one of the two "committee members" below may hold adjunct status in ECE or be employed in a GT academic unit other than ECE. Other proposal review committee members who are not ECE faculty may only be involved in the process on an informal basis, increasing the size of the Proposal Review Committee. **IMPORTANT NOTE: Committee members must sign to indicate their agreement to serve on the Proposal Review and Reading Committees.**

Committee Member	Committee Member	Co-Advisor (where applicable)
<u>Yogesh Rath</u> (Print Name)	<u>Anthony Yezzi</u> (Print Name)	<u>Allen Tannenbaum</u> (Print Name)
<u>yRathi</u> (Signature)	<u><email> intent></u> (Signature)	<u><email> intent></u> (Signature)
<u>Student Signature</u>	<u>Advisor Signature</u>	

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