

University of Wisconsin-Madison
Department of Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences

Date: _____
Graduate Student Annual Progress Report

Name: _____

Current advisor(s): _____

Degree plan ___MS thesis ___MS nonthesis ___PhD _____

Started Degree: ___Fall ___Spring Year: _____ Total years in AOS grad program: _____

Annual Highlights

Please describe your progress over the past academic year, emphasizing what you found most important and what needs changing.

What are your goals for the next academic year? What would best support you in meeting those goals?

List any publications, presentations, or awards arising from your academic career in the past year

List any service (e.g., department committees) or outreach (e.g., public lectures) you have performed in the past year

Please list how you have been funded in prior years and your plans for funding in the next year (e.g., RA/TA/PA/Fellowship/self-pay), including any concerns you have over funding:

Advisor/Mentor signature _____

Date: _____

Coursework

Please update the list of courses you have taken to fulfill your graduate requirements or plan to take in the next two semesters, as described below. The recommended AOS core courses are: 610, 611, 630, 640, 650, 660. Please see http://www.aos.wisc.edu/education/grad_program.htm for further detail on requirements.

Graduate school requirements (for students enrolled after Fall 2014 – see website for earlier credit rules):

M.S. Thesis: 30 credits, GPA > 3.0, at least 15 credits in designated graduate courses*

M.S. Non-Thesis: 36 credits, GPA > 3.0, at least 18 credits in designated graduate courses*

Ph.D.: 51 credits, GPA > 3.0, 10 credit minor, at least 26 credits in designated graduate courses*

* *Designated courses:* All courses >700 level + 300-699 courses listed in timetable with graduate attribute (which includes AOS 500-507,510-599,600-680) or any class that has >50% grad students enrolled

AOS requirements (AOS lecture courses, not including seminars or research credits)

M.S. Thesis: 12 AOS non-seminar course credits at 400 level or greater with grade B or greater

M.S. Non-Thesis: 18 AOS non-seminar course credits at 400 level or greater

Ph.D.: 15 AOS credits at 600 level or greater with grade C or greater

Broadening requirements (Other courses, including AOS and non-AOS courses, seminars, and AOS 990 research credits)

M.S. Thesis: 18 credits at 400-level or greater, up to 6 can be research credits (AOS990)

M.S. Non-Thesis: 18 credits at 400-level or greater, 6 of which must be outside AOS non-seminar course credits, up to 6 can be research credits (AOS990)

Ph.D.: 35 credits at 400-level or greater + 1 credit in AOS 900, 10 of these towards minor, no limit on AOS990

Current GPA (maintain > 3.0): _____

If your GPA is below 3.0, are on academic probation, or have course incompletes, describe plans for rectifying those:

Courses and seminars you intend to take in the next two semesters

Course number	Name (abbreviate)	Expected Term	Credits
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
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Are there courses, seminars, short courses, workshops, tutorials, or professional development trainings that the department should hold that would benefit your graduate career?

Degree Program (fill portions relevant to your degree program)

M.S. (provide date or term for occurrence or plan of following events):

Committee formation: _____ M.S. research seminar: _____

Ph.D. (provide date or term for occurrence or plan of following events):

*Advisor should email minutes on preliminary exam, defense, and annual meetings to Student Status Coordinator

Qualifying Exam (date/outcome): _____ Committee : _____

Annual committee meetings: _____

Preliminary exam: _____ Ph.D. presentation/defense: _____

Ph.D. minor title + plan (external or distributed). List courses used to meet 10-credit requirement.

Ph.D. supplemental requirement plan (language, field experience, augmented minor, professional training):

ALL:

Committee members (Minimum: 3 AOS faculty for M.S. thesis, 4 AOS faculty + 1 outside for Ph.D.):

Thesis/Dissertation/Non-thesis seminar paper working title (or topic):

Thesis/paper % written: _____ Date warrant requested: _____

Date thesis deposited*: _____ Expected term of graduation: _____

* Second copy must also be submitted to AOS

Post-graduation plans:

Other details, variances, leaves, or issues in your degree program:
