



## Intent to Write Ph.D. Program Comprehensive/Candidacy (Prelim) Examination

Students writing the comprehensive/candidacy (Prelim) examination should complete this form at least 6 weeks prior to their exam. Make an appointment with the Graduate Academic Services Coordinator to review the requirements.

Requirements to write the exam (those entering post Fall 2014) include the completion of:

- Core courses in the areas of scholarly inquiry (minimum 18 credits)
- Theory and Practice/Policy and Leadership: coursework and practicum (N819 OR N847) (minimum 3 credits in one area plus minimum of 9 credits in the other)
- Nursing education (minimum 3 credits)
- PhD minor - (A) Minor in another department OR (B) Distributed minor in various departments on-campus (minimum 9 credits)  
Minor is \_\_\_\_\_ Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_
- Incompletes or grades of progress (P) are changed to grades of "S" or letter grades.
- The PhD residence requirement met.

*Prior to graduation, all PhD students will complete a minimum of 10 credits of Independent Study (N999, N990). This does not need to be completed in order to write the comprehensive exam.*

Student:	ID #
Date of Proposed Exam: ( ) Take Home* or ( ) Two Day**	
Members of the Exam Committee <small>(3 members minimum, 5 members maximum, Last Name, First Name, MI)</small>	
Chair:	

\* Take home exam. Indicate preferred start time. ( \_\_\_\_\_ AM or PM) You have seven 24 hours days to complete this.

\*\* Two Day at the School of Nursing. For exams done in the School of Nursing, an exam room set up with a PC and printer is scheduled by the Academic Affairs office. Completed: \_\_\_\_\_ by: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate if you have other needs (i.e. an Apple computer user, reference management software):

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- Request for Preliminary Warrant submitted to the Graduate School. Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- Transcript attached