

Report of Completed Design & Computation/PhD Requirements

Student's name _____

First enrolled in the Computation PhD program in the term _____.
This information is to be added to the student's Departmental and Institute records as appropriate. Please forward a copy of this form to Administrator of Academic Programs Renée Caso in 7-337 upon completion of each requirement. It is the student's responsibility to inform the administrator of the fulfillment of each requirement towards the doctoral degree.

All Computation PhD students are expected to take 4.581, Proseminar in Computation, the first year that they are enrolled.

Major & Minor Fields — A student must satisfy his advisory committee that his/her proposed program meets the intent of the chosen major. The student's advisory committee must consist of three members of the Computation faculty and will include the advisor, who will supervise the qualifying paper and general examination. The minor field must also be approved by the student's advisory committee. Minor field requirements will be satisfied by outstanding performance in three related subjects (not less than 27 H-level units).

Field of Major _____

Date approved _____

	Advisory committee member name (print)	Signature
Advisor/Chair	_____	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____
	_____	_____

Minor Field _____

Subject # #1 _____ #2 _____ #3 _____

Date #1 _____ #2 _____ #3 _____

Student's name _____

General Exam — To be taken after required subject work is completed, which should be no later than the end of the third year of residency. The content and format of the exam are decided by the student's advisory committee in consultation with the student. The committee also evaluates the exam.

Research Topic _____

Date completed _____ Satisfactory Unsatisfactory

Advisory committee member name (print)	Signature
Advisor _____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Dissertation Proposal — Submitted to the dissertation committee for approval when all requirements except thesis are complete. An oral examination in which the student meets with his/her committee to discuss the proposal marks the formal acceptance of the topic. Following the oral exam, the student may be invited to present his/her dissertation proposal.

The dissertation committee is formed prior to the proposal being approved and must consist of at least three people of which the advisor is one. The chair, who is usually the advisor, must be a member of the Computation faculty. Other members may be from outside of Computation or the Department. No more than one member may be from outside MIT.

Title of proposal _____

Date approved _____

Dissertation committee member name (print)	Signature
Advisor/Chair _____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

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Dissertation Defense — An oral defense of the completed dissertation in front of the student's dissertation committee is required. Signatures are required on this form from all members of the student's committee.

Dissertation Title _____

Date approved _____ Satisfactory Unsatisfactory

	Dissertation committee member name (print)	Signature
Advisor/Chair	_____	_____
Reader	_____	_____
Reader	_____	_____
Reader	_____	_____