DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS

PhD Prospectus Approval Form

By the end of the semester following that in which the comprehensive exams have been completed candidates must submit and have approved a dissertation prospectus. The format and content of the prospectus is determined by the dissertation director and co-director, if any, in consultation with the candidate. In any case, it should include a description of the topic to be addressed by the dissertation, a review of relevant scholarship, and discussion of the originality of the contribution to be made in the dissertation. The length of the prospectus is determined by the dissertation director, in consultation with the candidate. It is minimally 5–10 pages, exclusive of a tentative table of contents and a working bibliography. All members of the dissertation committee must approve the prospectus.

Please submit a signed copy of this form and a copy of the dissertation prospectus to the DGS.

Student Name: _____________________________ Signature: ______________ Date:_______

Proposed Title: ________________________________________________________________

Dissertation Committee:

Dissertation Director: _____________________________ Signature: ______________ Date:_______

Dissertation Co-director (if any): _______________ Signature: ___________ Date:_______

Committee Member: _____________________________ Signature: ______________ Date:_______

Committee Member: _____________________________ Signature: ______________ Date:_______

University Representative: _____________________________ Signature: ______________ Date:_______
Department Chair: __________________________  Signature: _____________  Date: ________