

Student Person Number: _____

CDSE Ph.D. Oral Examination Form

No later than the end of the **THIRD SEMESTER** in the CDSE Ph.D. program, the student must complete an oral examination, administered by the student's Ph.D. committee; the advisor may attend, but may not participate in the examination process. The exam should cover topics from the CDSE Focus Area courses and background material relevant to student's research plan. By signing this form, the Ph.D. committee is certifying that they have administered the oral exam. The committee will indicate whether the student passed or failed. If the student failed, they may retake the oral exam within one year. Failure to pass the second exam may result in the dismissal of the student from the CDSE Ph.D. program. The completed form should be submitted to the CDSE Director of Graduate Studies.

Student Name: _____

Advisor Name: _____

Number of Attempts: _____ **Result of Exam** (circle one): PASS FAIL

	Printed Name	Signature	Date
Core Member			
Core Member			
Additional Member			
Additional Member			

CDSE Director of Graduate Studies

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____