

COMPOSITION OF ADVISING COMMITTEE
Department of Psychology
Individualized Master's Program

The student's advising committee must consist of two tenure-related Psychology faculty members: (1) The Major Advisor and (2) an additional faculty member to be added no later than the end of fall term of student's first year. A third committee member may also be added if desired: either another tenure-related faculty member in Psychology, a tenure-related faculty member in another department, or a non-tenure-related Psychology member (the latter includes individuals who have a contract with the Psychology Department or individuals with other appointments who also hold additional academic credentials such as being a research scientist at a research institute or a tenure-related position at another institution). The committee members must sign the Statement of Completion form before the student is approved for graduation.

Student's Name: _____

Print Faculty Name

Faculty Signature

Date

Chair,

Member,

Member (optional),

(Third member is optional)

Policy note: Graduate students must have a major advisor. The advisor-advisee relationship requires initial and continuing mutual consent for that relationship. When either the student or the advisor feel that an advisor change should be considered, they should immediately consult the GEC chair and graduate secretary to discuss options. If either the student or the advisor decide that an advisor change is necessary (or when a change is forced upon the student, due to an advisor's illness or death), the GEC chair will assign a faculty advocate to the student, to help the student negotiate the processes of either finding a new advisor, or transitioning out of the graduate program. If a student goes longer than 6 weeks (not including university break periods) without an advisor, the graduate school will be notified, an action which could result in the student's termination from the program. Faculty may agree to advise students for a trial period, and the student would be considered to have an advisor during this period.

Individualized Master's First-Year Plan

Degree Requirements:

45 credit hours in courses approved for graduate credit;
 24 of these 45 credits must be UO graded graduate credits (B- or better);
 30 of these 45 credits must be Psychology graduate credits;
 9 of these 45 credits must be in Thesis (503) **ONLY** if you
 are submitting a Master's thesis to the Graduate School
(The Department of Psychology requires a research paper)
 9 of these 45 credits must be in 600-level courses
 2 graduate-level data analysis courses (B- or better)
 1 departmental research ethics course
 Maintain a cumulative graduate GPA of 3.0 or higher

Fall Term Proposed Courses	Winter Term Proposed Courses	Spring Term Proposed Courses

Outline of plans for study/research:

Student's Signature: _____ Advisor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Completed/signed form received by graduate secretary on: _____