

<p style="text-align: center;">AVC PhD GRADUATE PROGRAM APPROVAL FORM</p>
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Submit within 100 days of first registration date in PhD program or at the time of application for transfer

Name				
Address				
Email				
Telephone				
Declared country of origin/ country of nationality:				
Education (list all previous degrees completed):				
University	Degree	Year Obtained	Field of Specialization	
Relevant Professional Experience (summarize all work experience relevant to your proposed program):				
Category of Graduate Student	Provisional		Regular	
Classification of Graduate Student	Full-time		Part-time	
Host Department				

Area of Specialization ¹			
Supervisory Committee ²			
	Name and Department	Please indicate if Graduate Faculty Status is “Appointed”	Please indicate if Graduate Faculty Status is “Pending”
(Chair)			
(Supervisor/Co-Supervisors)			
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Title and Brief Description (~100 words) of Research Project			
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Funding			
a) Research Operating Support			
Source	Start Date	End Date	Amount
b) Graduate Student Personal Support			
Source	Start Date	End Date	Amount

Comments on funding arrangements:

Proposed Graduate Courses³

The Graduate Studies and Research Committee may approve a justified reduction in the requirement of four substantive courses, twelve total credits, or both. If the proposed courses listed below total less than 12 credits, please indicate that a reduction is requested and justify the reduction.

Course #	Course Name	Credits	Expected or Actual Completion Date (MMM/YY)	Institution
VHM 8010	Veterinary Biostatistics	3		
V 9900	Seminar	1		

Compulsory Workshops (CCAC, Library Resources, Biohazard Safety, WHMIS)

If your Supervisor/Supervisory Committee agrees that one or more of the workshops listed above is not required as part of your program, please indicate this in the space below:

Anticipated date of Comprehensive Examination ⁴	Anticipated date of Final Examination
Signatures	
Student	Date
Supervisor	Date
Department Chair	Date

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Department of Biomedical Sciences Animal Behaviour Physiology, Pharmacology and Toxicology Cell Biology Neuroscience Endocrinology	Department of Health Management Animal Science and Animal Nutrition Epidemiology/Health Management Clinical Sciences Aquatic Animal Health Biostatistics Public Health Animal Welfare	Department of Pathology and Microbiology Bacteriology Clinical Pathology Immunology Morphologic Pathology Parasitology Virology Wildlife Pathology Public Health Aquatic Animal Health Biosecurity
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² Supervisory Committee (consists of 5 graduate faculty one of whom must be from a department other than that in which the student is registered). A list of graduate faculty can be found in the graduate faculty folder on the G: drive. Graduate Faculty from other faculties can be found on the website under the UPEI Calendar.

³ In the PhD program students are required to complete courses totaling a minimum of 12 credit hours. (must include 4 substantive courses unless accompanied by request for waiver). All students are expected to complete VHM 801 (Veterinary Biostatistics) unless comparable training has been completed prior to entry into the program.

⁴ At as early a date as may be feasible in each case, and in all cases no later than the final semester of the residency requirement (i.e., the 6th semester after the Master's degree or the 8th semester after the honours baccalaureate), the student is required to take an examination to assess his or her knowledge in that branch of learning embracing the subject. The examination will ordinarily be in two parts, one written and one oral.