

Digital Arts and New Media Program (DANM)

**THESIS ORAL DEFENSE FORM**

By the last day of instruction of the third quarter of the second year, the completed thesis project and paper must be presented and submitted to the Thesis Committee in an oral defense. During the Oral Defense the Committee assesses whether the student successfully addressed the Critique Topics identified during the Studio Review for the MFA Exhibition, as well as their oral and written communication skills.

The signatures on this document confirm that the student has successfully completed and passed their Oral Defense.

The written thesis:

Is complete and accepted as final by the committee.

Needs further edits. The committee has set the date of \_\_\_\_\_ to receive a final version.

**Student:**

Signature

Date

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Name

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Thesis Project Title

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**Once the Oral Defense and written thesis are complete, the finalized copy of the written thesis is due to the Graduate Division by the last day of the quarter. The committee's signatures on the title page of the student's written thesis as submitted to the Graduate Division is the final approval of all degree deliverables.**

*Pages 3 and 4 of this form are completed by the Committee Chair and used to provide feedback for the student and assess DANM's Program Learning Outcomes, which are measured as part of the regular accreditation process at UCSC.*

**Committee Chair:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Department \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee Member 1:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Department \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee Member 2:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Department \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Committee Member (optional):**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Department \_\_\_\_\_

**DANM Program Director:**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Department \_\_\_\_\_

CC: DANM Program Manager