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Ph.D. Qualifying Examination Report

Reminder to Committee Members: The decision to pass or fail the oral exam is based on the student's performance in all four areas of the exam. Examiners base their judgment of the student's performance on the entire exam, not only on their own section. All three examiners must vote unanimously for the student to pass the exam. Failure on any section constitutes failure of the exam. A student who fails the qualifying exam must retake the entire qualifying exam covering all four areas.

If a student fails a qualifying exam, the Examining Committee may recommend additional course work. When additional course work is recommended by the Examining Committee, the second qualifying exam must be completed within four months following completion of the recommended course(s). If no additional course work is recommended, the second exam must be completed within four months of the failure date. The student should submit in writing a petition to the Dean for Academic Affairs to reschedule the exam. The Examining Committee will be the same for both exams. If a student fails two qualifying exams, the student is dismissed from the Friedman School.

Submit to Friedman's Registrar (michelle.frankfort@tufts.edu) or Jaharis, Room 123:

Please note when a student receives a "Satisfactory" outcome, this information is added to the student's transcript (which is why receipt of the completed form is important); if the student receives an "Unsatisfactory" outcome, the form is added to the student's academic file folder.

Student: _____

Student ID: _____

Exam Date: _____

Please check: **First qualifying exam** **Second qualifying exam**

Exam outcome: **Satisfactory** **Unsatisfactory (fail)**

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