PH.D. PORTFOLIO REVIEW FORM

SUBMIT A HARD COPY OF THIS FORM THE GRADUATE SECRETARY by SEPT. 15 of your FIFTH SEMESTER (Fall of 3rd year) UNLESS you plan to begin written prelims during or before fifth semester. In the latter cases the form and materials must be submitted by FEB. 15 of the FOURTH semester (Spring of 2nd year) or, in the rare cases when students plan to begin prelims in the FOURTH semester, by SEPT. 15 of your THIRD SEMESTER (Fall of 2nd year).

PORTFOLIO MATERIALS: IN ADDITION TO THIS FORM, YOU MUST SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING IN ELECTRONIC FORM (Microsoft Word Documents only), by the form deadline to: HPNL@library.uiuc.edu.

A. A narrative statement of scholarly progress since entering the graduate program in History at UIUC. This statement should reflect on the students original ambitions when admitted how these ambitions have changed as a result of coursework; accomplishments in courses; accomplishments outside of courses (e.g. conferences, reading-group participation etc.); and a look forward to the proposed preliminary fields and dissertation topic. The statement should be no longer than 3 double-spaced typed pages.

B. One historiography paper previously submitted and graded for a problems course in History.

C. One research paper previously submitted for a research seminar in History (including the first-year sequence).

PLEASE LIST BELOW YOUR EXPECTED PRELIM EXAM FIELDS, MARKED AS FOLLOWS:

#1 Meets the pre-1815 requirement. A substantial part of the exam should cover the pre-1815 time period (pre-1798 for European fields)

#2 This field covers the geographical breadth requirement. At least half the exam will cover a geographical area other than that of the major field (or of the geographical field if the major field is thematic/comparative).

#3 This field is a comparative/thematic field. All thematic fields must be comparative.

#4. This field is geographical/chronological.

NOTE THAT FOR ANY CONSTRUCTED FIELD A BRIEF DESCRIPTION MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM.

MAJOR FIELD ___________________ MINOR FIELD ___________________

MINOR FIELD____________________ Unexamined MINOR______________
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STUDENT SIGNATURE_________________________  Date______________

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ADVISOR SECTION:
I agree to serve as this student’s major adviser and prospective thesis supervisor, and will write a letter of recommendation to be sent electronically to hpnl@library.uiuc.edu by October 15 for a Fall Plan or March 15 for a Spring plan, referring to the posted portfolio materials

Date____________________   Advisor signature__________________________________

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GRADUATE STUDIES COMMITTEE ACTION

DGS SIGNATURE INDICATING APPROVAL OF PLAN_________________________

DATE___________________

DATE OF LETTER TO STUDENT AND ADVISOR_______________