

Appendix A: Candidacy Exam Grading Rubric

Doctoral Portfolio Competencies: Summary of Advising Committee Ratings

INSTRUCTIONS:

Students: To submit your Candidacy Portfolio for review, please complete Section I and send this form to your advisor(s).

Faculty Advisors: After reviewing the portfolio, please completely fill out Section II. Send the completed rubric(s) to both the student and to Dr. Sosin at Issosin@liberty.edu

SECTION I: (To be completed by the student)

Student Name:

Liberty I.D. Number:

Liberty email address:

Advising Committee Members:

SECTION II: (To be completed by the Advising Committee)

Review Stage: ___ Initial Review and Feedback ___ Final Review and Feedback

Date: _____

1. Supervision Competency

Overall Rating: ___ 1 – Unsatisfactory ___ 2 – Competent ___ 3 – Exemplary

Comments:

2. Teaching Competency

Overall Rating: ___ 1 – Unsatisfactory ___ 2 – Competent ___ 3 – Exemplary

Comments:

3. Research Competency

Overall Rating: _____ 1 – Unsatisfactory _____ 2 – Competent _____ 3 – Exemplary

Comments:

4. Counseling Competency

Overall Rating: _____ 4 – Unsatisfactory _____ 5 – Competent _____ 6 – Exemplary

Comments:

5. Leadership and Advocacy Competency

Overall Rating: _____ 4 – Unsatisfactory _____ 5 – Competent _____ 6 – Exemplary

Comments:

6. Checklist of Counselor Leadership Competencies

Overall Rating: _____ 7 – Unsatisfactory _____ 8 – Competent _____ 9 – Exemplary

Comments:

Overall Evaluation and Outcome

_____ Received scores of 2 or higher in all 5 competency areas during the Initial Review and Feedback and may move on to the next stage in the Ph.D. Program, dissertation writing.

- _____ Received scores less than 2 in one or more competency areas. Remediation plan provided; student asked to revise and resubmit portfolio.

- _____ Resubmitted portfolio for Final Review and Feedback, received scores of 2 or higher in all 5 competency areas, and may move on to the next stage in the Ph.D. Program, dissertation writing.

- _____ Resubmitted portfolio for Final Review and Feedback, received scores less than 2 in one or more competency areas. Student is dismissed from Ph.D. Program and awarded a Certificate of Advanced Graduate Studies.