

Appendix II.

Ranked List for Joining a Research Group

By November 15 of the fall semester, first year students should have met with at least three different potential research advisers to discuss PhD research projects; each student must submit a ranked list of three potential research advisers to the Graduate Coordinator. The GSC, in consultation with CCB faculty, will use these lists, students' preferences, and information on RA support and faculty needs to match students with suitable advisers. By November 30, each student will be informed of their research adviser match. Any requests for a different adviser must be made to the GSC by December 6 of the fall semester. Before the end of the fall semester, the adviser assignment form, signed by the student and the adviser, must be submitted to the GSC for approval by the GSC chair.

Student Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Potential research advisor you have discussed about research interest with

Faculty Name: _____ **Signature:** _____ **Date:** _____

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Faculty Name: _____ **Signature:** _____ **Date:** _____

List three groups in order of preference that you would like to join.

1) Name of 1st Group you would like to join: _____

2) Name of 2nd Group you would like to join: _____

3) Name of 3rd Group you would like to join: _____

Return this form to the Graduate Coordinator by November 15.

Following notification of your Research Adviser Match, obtain the signatures below and submit the completed form to the Research Adviser and Graduate Coordinator by January 15.

Research Adviser Match: _____

Graduate Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Research Adviser Signature: _____ **Date:** _____