

Research Group Transfer Form

In rare cases a student must select a new research adviser by filling in the form in Appendix III. This selection process must be undertaken under the direction of the GSC chair, and requires the mutual agreement of the student, the new adviser, and the GSC chair. Once a new adviser has been selected, the student should notify the Graduate Coordinator and, with the advice of the new adviser, select a new committee of studies (COS) by the end of the semester. The new COS will then decide what portion of the student's completed work can be used towards their PhD dissertation. The student must make all the arrangements to settle in with the new group in less than three months. The COS will examine the student's progress and assess whether the student has the appropriate skills and background to undertake a PhD level research project in the newly selected research group. In the situation where a student cannot find another adviser, the student must leave the department possibly with a Master's degree (see section V) since it will not be possible to meet all of the requirements for the PhD degree in Chemistry and Chemical Biology.

Students are allowed (1) group change during their tenure as a PhD student in Chemistry & Chemical Biology.

Name of Student: _____

Signature of Student: _____ Date: _____

Name of Current Advisor: _____

Signature of Current Advisor: _____ Date: _____

Name of New Advisor: _____

Signature of New Advisor: _____ Date: _____

GSC Chair Signature: _____ Date: _____