

# Graduate Student Advising Form

All graduate students are required to be advised by a member of the graduate advising committee or by thesis/dissertation advisor before they can enroll in classes. MS students can choose the thesis track or the non-thesis track.

Advising for (semester/term): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

Advised by: \_\_\_\_\_ Advising date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

First Semester Enrolled: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Options:

- BS/MS
- MS (Thesis)
- MS (non-Thesis)
- PhD

**Mandatory courses:**

- CS 4413 – Algorithm Analysis
- CS 4513 – Database Management System

**Electives:**


**4 of the following 9 courses must be taken:**

- CS 4613 – Computer Architecture
- CS 5013 – Artificial Intelligence
- CS 5033 – Machine Learning
- CS 5113 – Operating Systems Theory
- CS 5133 – Data Networks
- CS 5173 – Computer Security
- CS 5213 – Software Engineering Process
- CS 5473 – PDN Programming
- CS 5813 – Formal Languages

Petition for equivalency: \_\_\_\_\_

- MS Thesis research (CS 5980) credit hours; 6 hours of thesis option (any extra is not counted towards the 30 hours total).
- PhD General Examination completed
- PhD Dissertation research (CS 6980) credit hours = 45 max hours (any extra is not counted towards the 90 hours total).
- GRA or GTA – Where? \_\_\_\_\_

**MS Student**  
 Filed Program of Study (Y/N) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Semester Filed \_\_\_\_\_

**PhD Student**  
 Filed Advisory Conference Report (Y/N) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Semester Filed \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor notes: \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_