**Thesis Proposal Survey**

**for Mechanical Engineering PhD Students**

1. STUDENT NAME HERE:

2. THESIS ADVISOR NAME:

3. ORAL THESIS PROPOSAL DATE:

4. Based on the seminar presentation, please rate the student’s ability in comparison to other ME graduate students at the same degree level in each of the following areas:

(1-low, 2-somewhat below average, 3-average, 4-somewhat above average, 5-high)

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| **Area** | | **Rating from 1 to 5** |
| 1 | Effectively communicate in oral and written form |  |
| 2 | Demonstrate a good understanding of literature relevant to the presentation topic |  |
| 3 | Demonstrate a good understanding of research methodology in major field of study |  |
| 4 | Demonstrate appropriate technical depth and breadth from coursework taken |  |
| 5 | Demonstrate ability to independently design and conduct research projects |  |

5. WAS THE STUDENT’S PRESENTATION OF SUFFICIENT QUALITY TO PASS THE DOCTORAL THESIS PROPOSAL REQUIREMENT?

**THESIS COMMITTEE’S RESPONSE (YES/NO):**

(Optional) Additional Comments and/or Justification for Answers Above: