

**Recommendation for Advancement to Candidacy  
Arkansas State University  
Environmental Sciences Program, Doctor of Philosophy Degree**

**Student's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Student ID#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** The student cannot be on probation and should have a G.P.A. greater than 3.00. This form must be submitted to the EVS Program Office by the beginning of the student's 5<sup>th</sup> semester in residence.

The following requirements for the degree have been completed, approved and the results are on file in the Environmental Sciences Program office:

<b><u>To be completed by the Environmental Sciences Program Director</u></b>	<b><u>Date of Approval</u></b>
1. Appointment of Dissertation Advisory Committee	_____
2. Proposed Program of Study	_____
3. Qualifying Examinations	_____
4. Dissertation Proposal Seminar	_____
5. Dissertation Proposal Defense	_____
6. All core courses complete (see attached course listing)	_____

**The Research Advisor, members of the Dissertation Committee and faculty of the Environmental Sciences Program hereby recommend \_\_\_\_\_ (student's name) for advancement to candidacy status for the Environmental Sciences Doctoral of Philosophy Degree.**

	<u>Print Name</u>	<u>Signatures</u>	<u>Date</u>
<b>Research Advisor</b>	_____	_____	_____
<b>Committee Member</b>	_____	_____	_____
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<b>Student Name</b>	_____	_____	_____
<b>Program Director</b>	_____	_____	_____
<b>College Dean</b>	_____	_____	_____
<b>Graduate School Dean</b>	_____	_____	_____

After verification that all requirements have been met, the Dean of the Graduate School will notify the candidate of advancement to Candidacy status.

Please fill out the Completed Course of Study on the following page:

**Completed Course of Study for Candidacy:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Student Name)** as of \_\_\_\_\_ **(Date)**

Categories Needed	Course No.	Short Title	Credits	Credits Required	Semester Taken	Grade
Environmental Chemistry/soil and water Science			3	3		
Environmental Policy/Law/Economics			3	3		
Interdisciplinary Environmental Studies			3	3		
Ethics	ESCI 7151	Responsible Conduct in Research	1	1		
Statistics			3	6		
Statistics			3			
Seminar	ESCI 7121	Topical Seminar:	1	4		
Seminar	ESCI 7121	Topical Seminar:	1			
Seminar			1			
Seminar			1			
Additional courses						

**G.P.A. (to date)** \_\_\_\_\_