Masters in Biomedical Sciences
Research Agreement

Research is an integral part of the Masters in Biomedical Sciences Program, giving students the opportunity to focus in depth on a research project that will likely lead to a publication for the student. To facilitate and optimize the experience for both the student and the faculty member, it is important that they agree prior to the start of the research project to discuss expectations, goals, requirements and laboratory guidelines. This form must be completed by Oct. 1st and signed by both the student and research preceptor. Please return this form to the graduate school office, ANBG 5-206.

Student Name: ________________________________

Thesis Advisor: ________________________________

Who will directly supervise the student? ________________________________________________________________

Hours per week that the student is expected to be in the laboratory ________________________________________________
(Expectations should be discussed regarding time needed for coursework/studying for exams)

Laboratory activities expected of the student: ________________________________________________________________
(Attach additional sheet as needed)

Were laboratory guidelines/policies (e.g., biohazards, lab notebook) explained to the student? [ ] yes [ ] no

Has the student been provided with a reading list? [ ] yes [ ] no

Is the student expected to attend lab meetings? [ ] yes [ ] no

Will the student be required to present in a lab meeting? [ ] yes [ ] no

Does the student have to participate in departmental seminars? [ ] yes [ ] no

Goals: ____________________________________________________________________________________________
(Attach additional sheet as needed)

Thesis Advisory Committee (Must be declared by Jan. 15th):
Print Name and Sign

Advisor 1: ________________________________ Advisor 2: ________________________________
Advisor 3: ________________________________ Advisor 4: ________________________________

1) At the end of the second semester the student will present his/her research progress at the PhD Rotation Presentation session
2) At the end of the third (or in some cases fourth semester), the student will submit a Master’s Thesis which will take the form of a manuscript prepared for publication.
3) When possible, the student should be encouraged to attend a national scientific meeting to present his/her research.

Faculty Signature __________________________ Date ________ Student Signature __________________________ Date ________

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