Defense Approval Form

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Committee Chair Signature and Date

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Note: The committee chair’s signature indicates that the proposal has been approved for defense by the student’s committee and that the title and abstract are included on the second page of this form. The information may be submitted electronically without signature if submitted by the student’s Committee Chair.

**Proposed Title**

**Abstract**