Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Student ID No. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Major Field of Study: \_\_Electro-Optics & Photonics\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

TO: Advisory Committee

The candidate shall defend the doctoral dissertation in a public forum to demonstrate to the committee that all the preparation for which the doctoral degree is awarded has been met. The defense is open to all members of the University of Dayton faculty, student body, and interested outside parties. The members of the doctoral advisory committee, with the adviser acting as chair, will conduct this dissertation defense. For the defense to be satisfactory, the advisory committee members must agree that the dissertation defense has been successfully completed. If the candidate’s defense is deemed unsatisfactory by only one member, the case will be referred to the Associate Dean of the Graduate Engineering Program and Research for appropriate action. (Excerpted from the current graduate catalog).

*Indication of decision is by signature and encircling Pass or Fail*:

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The above signatures represent the final decision of the Advisory Committee and indicate its approval for awarding the doctoral degree if the decision is to pass. The Associate Dean’s office will notify the Graduate School of this decision.

**Publication Details**

Title:

Journal:

 Date Accepted for Publication:

By signing below, the Advisory Committee Chairperson is verifying that the candidate has an accepted paper as lead author in a recognized refereed journal in the area of the candidate's research.

Signature, Advisory Committee Chair Date

***Please return this signed report to the Associate Dean’s Office.***

Report Received: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Robert J. Wilkens, Ph.D., Associate Dean for Research & Innovation, Professor Date