GTU COMMON MA PROGRAM CHECKLIST
ISLAMIC STUDIES

Name:_____Anticipated Semester of Graduation:_____

- ☐ Requirements for the MA degree must be completed within a maximum 8 semesters of full-time work.
- ☐ Only 3-unit academic courses with B- or higher count toward the MA degree.
- ☐ Functional Theology (FT) and Field Education (FE) courses do NOT count toward the MA degree.
- ☐ Modern foreign European language courses (French, German, Spanish and Italian) do NOT count toward the MA degree.

1. COURSE DISTRIBUTION requirement List by course number. These requirements are certified by the CIS Director's signature.

1. INTRODUCTION TO ISLAM, SOURCES/FOUNDATIONS OF THE ISLAMIC TRADITION, ISLAM AND MODERNITY (1 COURSE EACH)
   ☐_____ ☐_____ ☐_____
2. ADDITIONAL COURSES IN ISLAM (5 COURSES) ☐_____ ☐_____
   ☐_____ ☐_____ ☐_____
3. RELIGIOUS TRADITION OTHER THAN ISLAM (1 COURSE) ☐_____
4. ARABIC LANGUAGE (2 COURSES AT THE BEGINNING, INTERMEDIATE OR ADVANCED LEVEL)
   ☐_____ ☐_____ *NOTE: The foreign language requirement for CIS MA students is fulfilled upon completion of these two courses. The courses must be certified by completing the Language Proficiency Certification Petition and submitting the approved petition to the GTU Academic Secretary.*
5. ELECTIVES (3 COURSES) ☐_____ ☐_____ ☐_____

Reviewed by CIS Director:_____
Signature *Date*

2. CONSORTIAL requirement SCHOOL OF AFFILIATION:_____CIS_____
Of the 14 required courses, at least 2 courses must be taken outside the school of affiliation (CIS). UC Berkeley courses may count as "outside the school."

Course #1:_____ Course #2:_____

3. THESIS defense and filing

☐ ORAL EXAM RESULT:
- ☐ approved with honors
- ☐ approved as it stands
- ☐ approved with minor revisions ____ *supplementary letter submitted*
- ☐ approved with major revisions ____ *second oral exam certification filed*
- ☐ rejected

☐ THESIS FILED BY DEADLINE

4. TOTAL UNIT requirement 48 total units (6 of which are thesis units) are required. TOTAL NUMBER OF UNITS:_____

5. TOTAL GPA requirement The student's cumulative GPA must be 3.0 or higher. FINAL GPA:_____

REMINDERS: ☐ Attach grade report. ☐ Copy Checklist for student. ☐ Student should submit "Intent To Graduate" form.
☐ Student should submit "M.A. Thesis Proposal" form.

Reviewed by GTU MA Program Coordinator:_____
Signature *Date*

All program requirements met for graduation:_____
Signature *Date*

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