

## **Petition for Entry to EES Emphasis**

**Directions:** Please complete this application, sign, have your advisor sign and submit with a copy of your CV attached.

**Student Name & Department (print):** \_\_\_\_\_

### **I. General Information\***

1. **Committee:** Stipulate your primary advisor and committee members (if determined):  
Advisor (must meet criteria for EES research advisor): \_\_\_\_\_  
Second Committee Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
Third Committee Member: \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Committee Member (s): \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Statement of expertise:** Describe in one or two sentences what your area of expertise will be at the end of your Ph.D. Be specific regarding your interests within environmental and resource economics.

### **II. Prerequisites**

Date of completion of Economics Preliminary Exam and grade:

Micro: \_\_\_\_\_; Quant: \_\_\_\_\_

### **III. Planned Fields**

Indicate the field of economics in which you plan to qualify. Choose from the list from the economics department or petition to undertake a self-designed field: \_\_\_\_\_

[Note: you are also expected to qualify in environmental and resource economics]

### **IV. Natural Science Preparation**

**Natural Science Field.** In what field of natural science will you develop an expertise? [Remember, this is typically a fairly narrowly defined experimentally based field of natural science (e.g., not computer science or GIS).]

- a. **Describe your field** briefly, in terms of the expertise you plan to develop (or have developed) and the faculty member with whom you are working for this field:
  - a. Faculty Mentor (should be an experimentally based UCSB ladder faculty member or the equivalent): \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Field Description: \_\_\_\_\_
- b. **Describe any courses and/or independent studies** you have taken or plan to take to fulfill this field (with appropriate quarter indicated): \_\_\_\_\_
- c. **Describe the research experience** you may have engaged in or plan to engage in to develop an appreciation for how research is conducted in this field: \_\_\_\_\_
- d. **Date you have completed** or expect to complete your natural science field: \_\_\_\_\_

### **V Other Information or further explanation of items above:**

Student signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor Approval (signature): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_