

## Annual Report – Meeting with Supervisory Team

Note: For Graduate School of Economics, Finance, and Management (GSEFM) Ph.D. Program students this annual report complies with Section 11a, Paragraph 3, of the GSEFM regulations (“Prüfungs- und Promotionsordnung”) of 2011. The annual report from the third year of studies onwards must be submitted once a year by September 30, unless the doctoral thesis defense was passed prior to September 30. GSEFM Ph.D. Program students will need to submit this annual progress report to the GSEFM Office of Academic Records (which will then share it with the Goethe Graduate Academy (GRADE) if the student is also a member of GRADE).

Doctoral candidate

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Preliminary working title of dissertation

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Supervisory team:

Primary supervisor

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Secondary supervisor

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Further supervisor(s) (if applicable)

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Date of most recent meeting

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### 1. Current status of the dissertation

(Steps completed to date.)

## **2. Possible complications that have arisen**

(These complications could inter alia relate to difficulties with accessing research materials, problems with the implementation of the research methodology, and/or unilateral deviations from the supervision agreement.)

## **3. Updated work schedule and time plan**

#### 4. Overall evaluation of progress by primary supervisor

The progress towards completion of the doctoral thesis during the current academic year has been<sup>1</sup>

satisfactory

not satisfactory.

***In addition, at the end of the third year of studies only:*** The third-year research paper, entitled

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was submitted on

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and was graded as<sup>2</sup>

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Please keep in mind that funding is an important aspect of doctoral candidacy, especially for international candidates who may require it in order to maintain a residence permit in Germany. All GSEFM doctoral candidates can seek guidance regarding funding and other residence permit related issues with both the GSEFM Student Services Office and GRADE (see <http://www.uni-frankfurt.de/47995999/Open-Office-Hours> for the open office hours of GRADE).

#### Date and signatures:

\_\_\_\_\_ Doctoral candidate

\_\_\_\_\_ Primary supervisor

\_\_\_\_\_ Secondary supervisor

\_\_\_\_\_ Further supervisor(s)

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<sup>1</sup> The GSEFM "Prüfungs- and Promotionsordnung" mandates that the progress towards completion of the doctoral thesis be rated as "satisfactory". If such "satisfactory" progress cannot be ascertained, it must be re-established within a time period of six months. If "satisfactory" progress has not been made by the end of the six month period, the GSEFM Board of Examiners will decide whether a student must leave the Ph.D. Program.

<sup>2</sup> The grading scale for the third-year research paper ranges from 1.0 (best grade) to 5.0 (worst grade). The minimum passing grade is 2.3.