

**FORM A: COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS
Ph.D. Program in Business Administration**

Student's Name: _____

Department: _____

Advisor's Name: _____

<u>Competency Expectations</u>	<u>PSU Course Number or Substitute</u>	<u>Advisor Initials When Completed**</u>
Mathematics (linear algebra and introductory calculus)	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Statistics (knowledge and skill at least in introductory level in topics such as descriptive stat, probability, hypothesis testing, analysis of variance, correlation, regression, and chi-square.	_____	_____
	_____	_____
Computing (working knowledge of a general purpose language like C, Fortran, or Basic and hands-on experience in writing, debugging, and running computer programs)	_____	_____
	_____	_____
<u>Field Specific Requirements</u> As specified by departments	_____	_____
	_____	_____

***This form shall be filed with the Ph.D. / M.S. Programs Office during the first semester the student is in the program and updated when requirements are met.**

**** Departmental advisor or Ph.D. Coordinator must initial each non-PSU graduate course substitution.**

Reviewed and *has not* completed competency requirements _____

Ph.D. Coordinator's Signature _____ Date _____

Reviewed and *has* completed competency requirements _____

Ph.D. Coordinator's Signature _____ Date _____

Return completed form to Ph.D/M.S. Office