

NIH Protein Biotechnology Graduate Training Program at WSU

**THESIS LAB SELECTION APPROVAL FORM**

The selection of thesis lab is one of the most important decisions you will make as a graduate student. For Biotech trainees, the research project should be in the broad area of protein chemistry, under the supervision of one of the faculty Trainers for the Training Program. By signing this form, the Trainer understands and agrees that the Trainee is to perform an 8 week (at least) internship in industry while being supported by the Biotech Program. If the Trainee does not perform the internship while on Biotech support, the faculty Trainer agrees to financially support the Trainee while s/he is performing the internship.

Please fill out this form and obtain the appropriate signatures **BEFORE the end of the Spring semester and/or BEFORE you join a thesis lab.**

Your name:

Graduate Program/Department:

With whom did you perform your rotations? Please include department affiliation.

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Name of Selected Thesis Mentor/PI (this must be an approved active or provisional Biotech Trainer):

Will the PI have monies to support the Trainee once the Biotech support ends? Explain if needed

Yes      No

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Trainee signature

Date

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WSU Faculty Mentor signature

Date

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Director, NIH Biotech Training Program signature

Date