

Grading Option Change Petition

Only one S/U request per quarter.

The purpose of the Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory (S/U) option is to allow a graduate student the opportunity to explore areas unrelated to the student's academic discipline without fear of academic penalty. Refer to the Class Schedule and Registration Guide for the due date. For the complete policy regarding S/U grading, please refer to *the Graduate Studies Adviser's Handbook* at <http://gradstudies.ucdavis.edu/publications>.

Student Name: _____ UC Davis Student ID #: _____

Program: _____ Degree Objective: _____ Requested Quarter: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

S/U COURSE DESCRIPTION

CRN: _____ Subject: _____ Course #: _____ Section: _____ Units: _____

In order for Graduate Studies to determine whether you may take a course S/U you will need to complete the following questions. If you require additional space, please use the reverse side.

1. For **doctoral** students, have you advanced to candidacy? Yes No N/A
2. Is this class a prerequisite, deficiency course, or in within your program? Yes No N/A
3. Have you submitted any other S/U requests this quarter? Yes No N/A

Please state the reason for this request: _____

Please explain how this course contributes to your educational goals and why it fits criteria for approval: _____

If you are turning this in after the deadline, please fill out the section below.

LATE REQUEST: (This reason will be instrumental in the approval of your request) _____

GRADUATE PROGRAM ADVISER SECTION

Graduate Program Adviser's Signature: _____ Date: _____
with signing authority

Print Graduate Program Adviser's Name: _____

GRADUATE STUDIES SECTION

Approved Denied

Associate Dean of Graduate Studies Signature: _____ Date: _____

Staff Initials: _____