

*Please return to Mary Hanson by October 30, 2018*  
**Mentoring Committee Form**

Dear Second Year Student,

It is time to select members of your Mentoring Committee. This committee will accompany you throughout your entire PhD, starting from your Thesis Background Exam (TBE), which will take place in the spring of your second year.

The mentoring committee includes your Research Advisor and two other professors, who could be from either the Chemistry or outside of the Chemistry department. Note that your research advisor cannot be the chair of your mentoring committee.

Please discuss potential Mentoring-Committee members with your research advisor. Once you have selected your proposed committee members, fill in this form and turn it to Mary Hanson by October 30, 2018. In addition to your research advisor, please list a proposed committee chair, and three other professors, ranked from most to least favorite. Your committee assignments will be finalized by the PChem Path Chair and will be communicated to you by the end of this year. At that point you will be ready to arrange a date and time for your TBE exam.

Thank you and best of luck with your committee selection,

Silvia Cavagnero, Physical Chemistry Path Chair

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**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Research Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee Members:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Chair)

(ranked from most to  
least favorite)

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NOTE: In case you are listing any professors that do not belong to the PChem path, please write down whether these professors have already agreed to be members of your committee. To facilitate gathering this information, you are encouraged to contact these professors in advance.