

Department of Politics
2012-2013 Senior Thesis Advising Questionnaire

Advisor's name: _____

Please evaluate your advising experience by answering the following questions. Your answers will be useful in improving the advising system and evaluating its success.

1. Approximately when did you first meet with your advisor?

2. About how often did you meet during the year?

3. Was your advisor available as much as you felt he/she should have been?

4. Were your advisor's expectations too high? Too low?

5. What special requirements did your advisor set out? Outline of chapters? Rough draft? Other?

6. How effective or beneficial were your advisor's criticisms or suggestions concerning:

organization?

style?

argument?

sources?

(OVER)

7. What changes would you suggest to improve the Department's advising system?

8. Please include below any comments you feel would be helpful in evaluating your responses on this form or any aspect of the advising system. Use the reverse side if necessary.