**UNIVERSITY OF OTAGO**

**Division of Humanities**

**Examiner Recommendation Form for MA (Coursework) Dissertation**

*(this form should accompany your written report)*

Candidate Name:

Title of MA(Coursework) Dissertation:

**Recommendation** (*please tick one on the basis of the dissertation* ***as submitted***):

\_\_\_\_ (a) The dissertation should be accepted without amendments;

**or**

\_\_\_\_ (b) The dissertation should be accepted subject to minor editorial corrections as indicated being made at the discretion, and to the satisfaction of the Convenor concerned;

**or**

\_\_\_\_ (c) The dissertations does **not** meet the criteria for the award of the degree (ie it fails), and should be rejected without right of resubmission.

Please note – In rare circumstances where the dissertation does not meet the criteria for award of the degree, a Revise and Resubmit option may be available. Contact the MA(Coursework) co-ordinator to discuss further at [MACoursework@otago.ac.nz](mailto:MACoursework@otago.ac.nz)

**Mark and Grade**

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| A+ | Outstanding | Fulfils all criteria to an unusually high standard | B- | Very reasonable | Fulfils most criteria to a good standard but not consistently |
| A | Excellent | Fulfils all criteria to a very high standard consistently | C+ | Reasonable | Fulfils some criteria to a competent standard |
| A- | Verging on excellent | Fulfils all criteria to a high standard but not consistently | C | Fair | Fulfils some criteria to a competent standard but not consistently |
| B+ | Very good | Fulfils most criteria to a very good standard | C- | Marginal pass | Fulfils some criteria to an adequate standard |
| B | Good | Fulfils most criteria to a good standard | D+ | (and below) Inadequate | Fails to fulfil enough criteria to a competent standard |

Level of Award Passes are: Distinction 80 – 100; Credit 70 – 79; Pass 50 – 69

**MARK Awarded** (*please complete*): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **GRADE Awarded** (*please complete*): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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