University of Massachusetts Dartmouth
MA Program in Portuguese
Student Sheet

Name _________________________

MA Class of 20____  Expected year of completion 20 ____

MA Degree Requirements:

• A total of 30 credits, including a minimum of 24 course credits
• At least 12 credits (4 courses), including POR 610, Topics in Literary and Cultural Analysis, must be at the 600-level.
• Additional core courses:
  o POR 620: Seminar in Portuguese Literature and Culture
  o POR 630: Seminar in Brazilian Literature and Culture
  o POR 640: Seminar in Lusophone African Literature and Culture
  o POR 650: Comparative Studies in the Portuguese Speaking World
• Up to 9 credits from the approved list of courses taught in the Departments of Art History, History, Political Science, and Sociology / Anthropology may be taken outside the Department of Portuguese.
• The degree is designed to be completed within two years and must be completed within six years of the beginning of course work.

MA End assessment options (choose one):

• ___ Option A (recommended for terminal MA candidates):
  Comprehensive exams in literature (based on a reading list).
  Date: ________________, 20____.
  Grade: ____.

• ___ Option B (recommended for students planning a PhD in Portuguese):
  Two-tiered Master Research Project (6 credits). Topic of the project for Option B:
  __________________________________________________________
  __________________________________________________________
  Adviser: Prof. ____________________________
  Co-adviser: (optional) Prof. ____________________________ since ____________ ____, 20____
External reader (optional, but encouraged)  Prof. __________________________
University __________________________

Defense of the MA Project: _____________________ __, 20 __ __.

MA Committee:

Prof. __________________________
Prof. __________________________
Prof. __________________________

• Start Date: _____________________, 20___.
• Date of completion of the Master Research Project:
  ________________________, 20____.
• Grade: ____.

Graduate courses

Mandatory Courses:

POR 610 Topics in Literary and Cultural Analysis (this course will be offered every other academic year: Fall 2004; Fall 2006...)
Final Grade: ____ Term: _____________ of 20____

Additional core courses:

• POR 620: Seminar in Portuguese Literature and Culture Final Grade: _____
  Term: _______________ of 20____

• POR 630: Seminar in Brazilian Literature and Culture Final Grade: _____
  Term: _______________ of 20____

• POR 640: Seminar in Lusophone African Literature and Culture Final Grade: _____
  Term: _______________ of 20____

• POR 650: Comparative Studies in the Portuguese Speaking World Final Grade: _____
  Term: _______________ of 20____
Other courses:

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

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Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Credits taken outside the Department of Portuguese (maximum 9 credits):

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Free Electives:

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

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Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Transfer credits (up to nine credits no more than seven years old):

Course ________________________________ Institution:
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____

Course ________________________________
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____ Institution:
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Course ________________________________ Institution:
Final Grade: ____ Term: ___________ of 20____