The Graduate Research Assistant duties assigned to the graduate student named below have been reviewed and discussed with the student and the direct supervisor named below. They have agreed that these duties are relevant to the student's research and/or scholarly goals and contribute to the student's academic progress by enhancing thesis, dissertation, independent study or other degree-relevant academic work.

Student’s name printed and signed*          Date

Advisor’s name printed and signed*          Date

Supervisor’s name printed and signed*       Date
( The supervisor’s signature is required in those cases in which the direct supervisor is not the student’s graduate advisor.)

* Students who have questions or concerns about signing this Certificate of Relevancy should contact the Graduate School, 577-2170, before signing the document.

Submit the signed original Certificate of Relevancy document with the Graduate Research Assistant appointment packet to Personnel Processing & Records. The Graduate Research Assistant appointment (initial or renewal) will not be processed without this signed document. Provide a copy of the signed Certificate of Relevancy to the student.

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