Checklist for MA-English

ID: ___________________ e-mail: ______________ Name: ____________________________

_____ Course Requirements (30 hours required for graduation: at least 8 graded courses plus the option of 1 billed and credited 3-unit Non-Topical Research [NTR] course, ENGL 8999)

Semester Course # Course Title

1. _____  ENGL 8800 Introduction to Literary Research (required)

2. ____  ____________________________________________ 1st period requirement

3. ____  ____________________________________________ 2nd period requirement

4. ____  EN____  ____________________________________________ criticism or theory

5. ____  EN____  ____________________________________________

6. ____  EN____  ____________________________________________

7. ____  EN____  ____________________________________________

8. ____  EN____  ____________________________________________

9. ____  EN____  ____________________________________________

10. ____  ________________________________________________ (10th course or NTR)

_____ Distribution Requirements --

2 courses in different areas of literature before 1800 // 1 course in Criticism or Theory

_____ Foreign Language Requirement: MA students are required to demonstrate reading proficiency in a foreign language relevant to their course of study. This is normally done by passing a translation exam given by the appropriate language department at the University. My language exam was in __________________________ (language) and passed on ______________________________. Or students may fulfill the Masters proficiency requirement with undergraduate coursework previously taken: a grade of B or better in an intermediate or advanced course. Check here if you have submitted the appropriate transcript and received approval from the Director of Graduate Studies to use an undergraduate course to satisfy this requirement. _________

_____ MA Final Exercise: Successful completion of one of the following three options (circle your option).

1) Write a critical thesis (for how these are arranged, see Enrollment Options)

2) Write a pedagogical thesis (for how these are arranged, see Enrollment Options)

3) Take a 1-hour oral examination on a topic and list of readings devised by the student and approved by the appropriate area committee chair and the Director of Graduate Studies*

*Students admitted for PhD study who have completed all other requirements may apply for conferral of the MA in English upon passing either of the PhD qualifying examinations (Period or Field); they are not required to take a separate MA oral exam.