Print Student’s Name: ___________________________ Email: ______________________________

Print Supervisor’s Name: ________________________________

Field Supervisor’s Name (For International Research): ________________________________

Department: ________________________________ Phone: ______________________________

Title of Research Project: ________________________________

Inclusive Dates: ___________ to ___________ Total number of weeks: ___________

1. Specific aims and significance of the project, including a clear statement of the scientific or clinical research question being addressed. (Use additional pages, if necessary)

2. Describe the previous work on this project done by the student (if any) and by the research elective supervisor’s laboratory. (Use additional pages, if necessary)

3. Perform a literature search. Describe the pertinent literature and the results obtained by others. Include a bibliography at the end of the proposal.

4. Research description – (2-3 typed pages) which should include:
   - The population to be investigated;
   - Number of subjects or animals;
   - Use of controls;
   - Study protocols;
   - Techniques to be used;
   - Specific methods for data analysis including any statistical analysis

5. Describe the student’s role in the project and expected product if any (publication, abstract, poster, presentation, review, etc): ________________________________

6. If the study is a retrospective chart review, design and include a form to be used for data collection.

7. If you are designing or assisting in designing a research project that involves chart review or patient questionnaires or contact, have you followed the procedures of the Institutional Review Board (IRB)?
   YES   NO
   (PLEASE INCLUDE COPY OF IRB APPROVAL/NOT ENTIRE IRB PROTOCOL)

8. If available, preliminary data may be included.

We have discussed and my advisor has approved this research elective.

Student’s Signature: ___________________________ Date: ______________

I have reviewed this proposal and agree to supervise this research project:

Research Supervisor’s Signature: ___________________________ Date: ______________