Program in Comparative Literature

Dissertation Defense Results Form

Student’s name: ________________________________________________
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Please answer the following question(s):

1. For language experts: Did the candidate demonstrate appropriate advanced expertise in the language being assessed? This expertise may include philological knowledge, linguistic proficiency, knowledge of history and culture, etc. Please give an example of such expertise from the examination and describe it briefly.

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