**State of Affairs**

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| Department |       |

All information provided in this form is treated as confidential material by the Doctoral School and will not affect the evaluation of your performance. If you are unsatisfied with your supervisor(s) the Doctoral School will not contact your supervisor(s) unless you have specifically requested so. If major changes have been made to your PhD study plan, the most recent version of the plan and the changes must be forwarded to the Doctoral School.

**Does your PhD study proceed satisfactorily?**

Yes [ ]  Partly [ ]  No [ ]

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| If partly or no, please motivate (add enclosures if needed) |       |

**How do you evaluate the quality of the supervision provided by your supervisor(s)?**

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|  | Very satisfactory | Satisfactory | Partly satisfactory | Not satisfactory |
| On your research project | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| On your progress according to the plan | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| On the choice of course activities, conference participation etc. | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| On engaging you with external research groups  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |
| On the communication of your findings | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  | [ ]  |

**If partly or not satisfactory, tick relevant boxes below or add enclosures if needed:**

[ ]  Difficult to arrange meetings with supervisor

[ ]  No or insufficient communication

[ ]  The quality of the supervision is superficial

[ ]  The supervisor does not keep agreements

[ ]  Disagreement on academic credits (e.g. order of authors on publication)

[ ]  The supervisor does not listen to my (practical) problems

[ ]  The supervisor lacks the knowledge on the topic of the PhD project

[ ]  Continuous disagreement on strategy

[ ]  Forced to complete too many tasks not related to the PhD project

[ ]  Chemistry between student and supervisor is not good

[ ]  Feedback on my written material is insufficient/superficial

[ ]  Feedback on my written material is substantially delayed

[ ]  Demands from the supervisor are too extensive/unrealistic

[ ]  Disagreements on ambitions for the PhD project

Other:

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Please indicate if you want to arrange a meeting with the Doctoral School and possibly also your supervisor(s) and your head of programme, with the purpose of discussing the reasons why the supervision is not satisfactory and what should be done to improve this. The content of the meeting will be kept strictly confidential.

[ ]  I would like to arrange a meeting with a representative of the Doctoral School

[ ]  I would like to arrange a meeting with the Doctoral School, my supervisor(s)
and my head of programme

[ ]  I do not want to arrange a meeting with the Doctoral School. I plan to deal with the issue by:

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What could the Doctoral School do differently in order to improve your research programme or improve other matters related to your PhD work (add enclosures if needed)?

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Date PhD student