Petition to Substitute Alternate Criteria for the Graduation Writing Requirement (GWR)

NAME: ________________________ _____________________________________________________  

Last     First    Middle  

E-mail ADDRESS: _____________________   STUDENT EMPL/ID NUMBER: ______________________  

MAJOR: _____________________ ________   COLLEGE AFFILIATION: __________________________  

PROGRAM STATUS (circle one):   Upper-Division Transfer   Post Baccalaureate  

I have (check one):  

_________ Completed my GWR at another California State University (CSU) campus and have transferred to Cal Poly as an upper-division student.  

_________ Earned a bachelor’s degree from a CSU or University of California (UC) campus.  

_________ Earned a bachelor’s degree from a U.S.-accredited four-year institution that has an upper-division writing requirement as part of their general degree requirements.  

_________ Earned a grade of C or better in an upper-division, writing-intensive course at another U.S.-accredited, four-year institution with work equivalent to that of Cal Poly’s GWR-approved courses.  

_________ Earned a score of 5 or higher on the analytical writing section of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or the Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT).  

_________ Earned a master’s or higher-level graduate degree at a U.S.-accredited institution.  

Note: Appropriate documentation of the above must accompany this form. Please see our “How to” sheet for further information on the acceptable documentation.  

SIGNATURE: _____________________________   TODAY’S DATE: ________________  

Grant    Deny  

Director’s Signature: _____________________________   TODAY’S DATE: ________________