

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: S. Cordes, J. Rommens, J. Claycomb, J. Dennis, J. Calarco, E. Lecuyer, B. Nieman

From: Zamiha Premji, Student Services Assistant

Date: October 18, 2018

Re: Ph.D. Oral Examination for Hamza Bin Taufique

There will be a Ph.D. oral examination for Hamza Bin Taufique on Thursday, Nov. 8, 2018.

Prior to the exam, Hamza will deliver a public seminar at **12:00 PM in Room 4279** (Medical Sciences Building, 1 King's College Circle). Examiners are asked to attend the seminar presentation, which will be 40-50 minutes in length. The Chair of the exam committee is also welcome, but is not required to attend the public seminar. Seminar attendees, but not members of the examination committee, will be invited to ask questions of the candidate following the public seminar.

Immediately following the seminar, at **1:00 PM**, the closed-door exam will take place in **Room 4174** of the Medical Sciences Building, 1 King's College Circle.

The exam committee is as follows:

Dr. Sabine Cordes	(Supervisor)
Dr. Johanna Rommens	(Supervisory Committee member)
Dr. Julie Claycomb	(Supervisory Committee member)
Dr. Jim Dennis	(Departmental Representative)
Dr. John Calarco	(Department of Cell and Systems Biology)
Dr. Eric Lecuyer	(External Appraiser)
Dr. Brian Nieman	(Chair)

The title of Hamza's thesis is "Investigating the Neurobiologic Function of Tubby - Identification of a novel role for Tubby in RNA Biology."

Copies of the thesis will be made available to the exam committee at least 4 weeks before the exam (October 11, 2018).

c.c. H. Bin Taufique

These procedures have been approved by the Associate Dean-Life Sciences at the School of Graduate Studies. Please note that though the procedures for the Final Oral Exam for this Department differs to some extent from that of other Departments, they do not contravene the regulations as outlined in the School of Graduate Studies policies.