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# Thesis Committee Approval

Student Name: _____ People Soft # _____

Guidelines:

1. The Committee must consist of at least three faculty members. Committee members are recommended by the student's faculty advisor and are approved by the student's program director.
2. Only a SPIA faculty member can chair the Committee.
3. Any changes in the members of the Committee must be approved by the other committee members and the Program Director. A new Thesis Committee Approval Form must be completed and submitted to the Office of Student Services for posting.
4. All coordination between the Thesis Committee members is the student's responsibility.
5. Once approved, the committee will sign the Thesis Committee Approval form and submit the form to the Office of Academic Advising at the end of the first registered thesis term.

Thesis Title:

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## Committee Members

| *Signature* | *Printed Name* | *Date* |
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| _____ Chair | _____ | _____ |
| _____ Member | _____ | _____ |
| _____ Member | _____ | _____ |

The Thesis Committee listed above is approved and the student may proceed to prepare and defend the Dissertation Proposal.

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| _____ Faculty Advisor | _____ | _____ |
| _____ Program Director | _____ | _____ |

Submit this completed form to your Academic Advisor

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