



Department of Psychology - Request for Master's Thesis Committee

Psychology degree students are asked to form a master's thesis committee by the fall semester of their second year. The thesis committee oversees the planning and carrying out of the master's thesis.

To select your committee, first choose the faculty member whom you would like to have serve as your thesis director. You and your thesis director then select the two remaining members of the committee. These two members are normally members of the psychology faculty of the Department of Psychology, although you may have a faculty member from another department if that seems appropriate. Your academic adviser is to be a member of your thesis committee and may serve as your thesis director. If your current academic adviser does not seem appropriate to your thesis topic, you may change advisors by arranging for another faculty member to serve as your adviser, advising your former adviser of the change, and advising the Director of Clinical Training and the Assistant Chair for Graduate Studies of the change.

Once you have the consent of your three committee members, please submit this form to the Assistant Chair for Graduate Studies.

Name of Candidate: _____ Date: _____

My academic adviser is _____

My thesis director is _____

My director and I request these other members of my thesis committee:

Committee Member 1: _____

Committee Member 2: _____

Candidate Signature _____