



REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF THESIS/DISSERTATION
COMMITTEE, TITLE AND ABSTRACT

FROM: _____
Department Head (Signature)

Date: _____

TO: Dean of the Graduate School

The following persons are recommended for appointment to the Thesis/Dissertation Committee for _____ who is a candidate for the Master's/Doctorate Degree.

List of persons recommended:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Department</u>
_____ (Advisor)	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Title of Thesis/Dissertation: _____

Abstract of Proposed Thesis/Dissertation Study

On attached sheets present concise statements covering the following:

1. Title
2. **List** Objectives
3. **Review** status of the question (Summarize the previous research on this information area, pointing to any gaps which your study may help fill. Document your summary with definite citations.)
4. **Methodology** (Indicate clearly the steps to be taken in gathering and analyzing data needed to accomplish your objectives.)
5. **Brief description of procedural steps.**
6. This document includes _____ attached sheets.

APPROVAL RECOMMENDED:

Chairman of Student's Committee

Chairman, Animal Care and Use Committee

Member of Committee

Chairman, Human Subjects Committee

Member of Committee

Student's Signature

Member of Committee

Student's Name (Print/Type)

Head of Major Department (Date)

Student's Mailing Address

Dean, College/School

Dean, the Graduate School (Date)

T-# (Student)

Student's e-mail: _____

City/ State/Zip Code

Telephone Number



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USE OF RESEARCH SUBJECTS, MODELS OR MATERIALS
APPROVAL FOR PROPOSED DISSERTATION/THESIS PROJECT

Must be completed by all Master's and Doctoral Students who are requesting approval for Thesis/ Dissertation Committee, Title and Abstract before submission of the request to the Graduate School

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer questions 1-4 below by checking yes or no
If the answer is yes to one or more of the questions below the masters/ doctoral student must complete the relevant application at http://www.tsu.edu/about/administration/research/compliance/index.asp
Upon obtaining the approval of the respective committee the chairperson(s) must provide a signature of approval.
If the answers are no to questions 1-4 the faculty advisor must provide a signature of confirmation for items 5 or 6.

Student's Name Degree Ed.D. Ph.D. MA MS

Title of the Thesis/Dissertation

Do the student's dissertation/ thesis project involve the use of any of the following subjects, models and/ or materials?

1. Human Subjects
Committee for the Protection of Human Subjects (CPHS)
YES NO (Chairperson's Signature)

2. Animal Model
Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)
YES NO (Chairperson's Signature)

3. Radioactive Materials
Radiation Safety Committee (RSC)
YES NO (Chairperson's Signature)

4. Recombinant DNA
Recombinant DNA Safety Committee (RDSC)
YES NO (Chairperson's Signature)

5. Nonuse of Items Above: I confirm the student will not use any of the subjects, models, or materials listed in items 1-4 above.

(Faculty Advisor Printed Name) (Faculty Advisor Signature)

6. Previous Protocol Approval: I confirm that the exact protocol the student will be using has been approved by the respective committee in items 1-4 and that the approval has not expired. Please see the attached protocol and approval letter.

(Faculty Advisor Printed Name) (Faculty Advisor Signature)