



PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF CANDIDACY FOR A MASTER'S DEGREE (C-1)

Requirements for achieving candidacy towards a thesis Master's degree are determined at the departmental level. Requirements may include satisfactory completion of all course requirements, all qualifying or preliminary examinations, and any foreign language requirements.

- 1. Name of applicant (Last, First, M.I.)
2. Dept./Grad Program, Student ID#, Degree Type (e.g. MA, MS)

- Attach to this application a recent transcript (printed from WebApps; see your coordinator).
Attach to this application a statement of the applicable departmental requirements for both course work and qualifying or preliminary examinations.
Attach student's departmental checklist to candidacy to document how the student has fulfilled departmental requirements.

3. Proposed thesis topic (tentative title)

4. Thesis Committee, subject to the approval of the GPS. (type or print) Please see the General Announcements for rules regarding the composition of thesis committees.

- (a) Thesis Director
Committee Chair within the department (if different)
(b) Member within the department
(c) Member within or outside the department
Additional member(s)

*Thesis committees may later be changed. See http://graduate.rice.edu/thesis for processing and approval procedure.

5. Signatures:

Original signature of Department Chair or Director of Graduate Studies
Date
Graduate Coordinator signature
Date
Dean of Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies
Date

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