

INTERNATIONAL AND GLOBAL STUDIES
SENIOR THESIS DECLARATION FORM

Please fill out this form and return to the Coordinator of the International and Global Studies Program and Program Director via email. This form, along with necessary signatures must be returned at least 10 days prior to registration in the term before the thesis work will begin.

This form must be submitted with required signatures; one from the thesis advisor and one from the track director. If you plan to write a thesis in language, you will also need the signature of the chair of that language department.

Which semesters do you plan to write your thesis in?

Fall/Spring

Fall/Winter

Winter/Spring

Spring/Fall

Student Name: _____ ID#: _____

When do you plan to graduate? _____ / _____
Month Year

GPA in IGST (to be calculated by the track director): _____

(all courses, including language courses and courses taken abroad are part of this calculation)

Which Track (check one):

- African Studies
- East Asian Studies
- European Studies
- Global Environmental Change
- Global Gender and Sexuality Studies
- Global Migration & Diaspora Studies
- Global Security Studies
- Latin American Studies
- Middle Eastern and North African Studies
- Russian and East European Studies
- South Asian Studies

Language: _____

What is the proposed content of your thesis? Please describe in 20 words or less.

THESIS ADVISOR

Print name and department affiliation of your thesis advisor (the advisor must have agreed to oversee the thesis):

Professor: _____ Department: _____

SECOND READER

Name and department affiliation of your proposed second reader (you should have already approached a faculty member about being a second reader):

Professor: _____ Department: _____

The advisor and the second reader must be from the same track but from different departments.

If you want to **write your thesis in a foreign language**, you must ALSO receive permission from the Chair of the relevant language department. Before your track director allows you to register for a thesis, the Chair must send the director an email confirming that you are allowed to write the thesis in a foreign language. The Chair may ask to see a two-page précis of your ideas for the thesis (in language).

This form is a provisional declaration form. The final decision of whether a student can write a thesis will depend on a successful proposal (to be handed in to the advisor no later than 3 p.m. on the Friday of the third week of classes during the first semester).

Thesis in Language (signature required only in cases where thesis will be written in language):

Chair of Language Dept: _____ Date: _____

Required Signatures:

Thesis Advisor: _____ Date: _____

Track Director: _____ Date: _____