SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCE

Application to enrol in Master of Development Practice Thesis

*This form is the final step required to gain entry into the postgraduate #6 unit thesis course. Once processed you will be notified by student email so that you can add the course to your enrolment via mySI-net. Please allow enough time before final submission to seek approval from the Program Director, and agreeance in writing from your proposed supervisor(s).*

*Completed forms must be submitted to the School of Social Science administration team (*[*student.socsci@uq.edu.au*](mailto:student.socsci@uq.edu.au)*), no later than 6 weeks prior to the commencement of the semester the thesis is to begin (this is mid-January for Sem 1 and mid- June for Sem 2).*

*\*ETHICS If you will be conducting primary research for your thesis, then please follow the ethical clearance guidelines, which can be found on our school website:* [*https://social-science.uq.edu.au/ethical-clearance-guidelines*](https://social-science.uq.edu.au/ethical-clearance-guidelines) *as soon as possible as the ethical clearance process does require a longer timeframe for approval. Your Supervisor(s) / Program Director will be able to guide you in this process.*

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ STUDENT NO: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

PROGRAM *(please circle):* MDevPract #24 or MDevPract #32

In what semester do you wish to commence your thesis (*please circle):* Semester 1 or Semester 2

I plan to enrol on a *(please tick)*:  full-time basis - SOSC7100 (complete in one semester)

part-time basis - SOSC7101 (semester 1 commencement, complete in semester 2)

part-time basis - SOSC7102 (semester 2 commencement, complete in semester 1)

APPLICATION CHECKLIST:

I am about to enter my final semester of study in the MDP program (if completing SOSC7100 in one semester) or my final two semesters of study (if completing SOSC7101 or SOSC7102 across two semesters).

I have read and understood the course description and procedure for acceptance into the thesis course as outlined on the Courses and Programs webpages ([SOSC7100](http://www.uq.edu.au/study/course.html?course_code=SOSC7100) or [SOSC7101](https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/course.html?course_code=SOSC7101&offer=53544c5543324644) or [SOSC7102](https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses/course.html?course_code=SOSC7102&offer=53544c5543324644)).

I understand that this course requires me to actively participate in meetings as required/arranged with my supervisor.

I understand that failure to submit my thesis by the due date (as listed in the Course ECP), will impact my ability to graduate at the end of the semester.

I meet the expected GPA minimum requirement of 5.5 for entry. NOTE: Students with GPAs of 5.5 and above will be considered.  
Current GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ As of *(date)*: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *Please attach a copy of your studies report from mySI-net.*

I have completed or will be completing alongside the thesis, the recommended pre-requisite of #2 units of research methods from Part D of the [course list](http://www.uq.edu.au/study/program_list.html?acad_prog=5346): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ *(please write course code).*

(IF CONDUCTING PRIMARY DATA COLLECTION) I have applied for ethical clearance by following the ethical clearance guidelines on the school website: <https://social-science.uq.edu.au/ethical-clearance-guidelines> and have consulted with my supervisor.

I have provided my 500 word research outline starting on page three of this document. *Applications submitted without the research outline will not be considered.*

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Student Name (printed) Student Signature Date

SUPERVISOR(S) ENDORSEMENT: *NOTE:* *This form will not be processed without proposed supervisor's endorsement. Where supervisor/s is/are unavailable to sign this document, please attach an email from your supervisor/s with their agreement to supervise your project.*

*I have read the attached research outline and am willing to supervise this student’s thesis.*

Signature(s) of Proposed Supervisor(s):

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Name of Supervisor Name of Supervisor

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Date Date

SCHOOL USE ONLY:

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

#2 units research methods course: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor/s endorsement

Research question supplied

Research outline supplied

Application recommended to progress: Yes No

If No, reason: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Program Director:

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Student added to course permissions list Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student and supervisor/s notified of outcome.

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PROPOSED RESEARCH QUESTION

RESEARCH OUTLINE

The research outline should be approximately 500 words, and detail the research topic and key research question(s). It should include references and be prepared in consultation with your proposed supervisor.