DECLARATION OF RESEARCH INTEREST (THESIS) Master of Adult Education (M. Ad. Ed.) Program

Master of Adult Education students who wish to follow the thesis route are required to prepare a thesis based on original research under the guidance of a faculty advisor. To be eligible for consideration, students interested in the thesis stream must maintain an 85% average throughout the required courses and must submit both a draft research proposal and a writing sample for review by an internal departmental committee comprised of the Department Chair and one faculty member at large. This process will take place at the end of ADED 560 Qualitative Research in Adult Education.

Students interested in this option must declare their interest to the Department Chair by completing this thesis declaration form at the beginning of ADED 560 Qualitative Research in Adult Education.

Theses are evaluated by two faculty members of the Department of Adult Education, and an external examiner who is an expert in the area of research and practice that is the thesis focus.

To complete the PDF form click on **Tools** (top left), then click on **Fill & Sign**, and then move the text box to where you want to enter information. Remember to save changes.

Student Name:
Date of Submission:
StFX email:
Student ID #:
Mailing Address:
Telephone:
Preferred M. Ad. Ed. Thesis Supervisor. (Note: While thesis supervisor preferences are considered they cannot be guaranteed due to workload distribution considerations)
Working title of thesis:

Description	of thesis	focus	(150	words):
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SIGNATURES REQUIRED Departmental Chair approval:

Date:

Once complete, submit this form to the M.Ad.Ed Office <u>aesecret@stfx.ca</u>