



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 supervisor. 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 near the beginning of their second year of the program. Students who start in September must submit this form by September 15 the year after they start. Students who start in January must submit this form by December 15 in the year they start the program.

The 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.

Please complete the form in PDF using the Fill & Sign tools in the program. Remember to save changes.

Date of Submission:
Student Name:
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):	
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have read the Master of Adult Education Thesis Guide (check box to indicate you have read the guide). https://www.stfx.ca/sites/default/files/documents/Adult-Education-2024-04-03-Thesis-Guide-Final.pdf
SIGNATURE REQUIRED	
Departmental Chair approval:	Date:

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