

DEPARTMENT OF OCEANOGRAPHY
MSc Thesis Submission and Request to Arrange an Oral Defence

Please submit the completed form with required signatures to oceansec@dal.ca. Forms are to be completed 4 weeks prior to the proposed defence date. Students should review relevant sections of the Graduate Student Handbook and the Faculty of Graduate Studies Regulations in preparation for the MSc thesis defence.

Defence Information

Name	
Proposed Date	
Proposed Time	
Title	
Previous Degree(s)	ex. BSc (Chemistry), Dalhousie University, 2015
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Supervisory Committee Approval

We, the undersigned, certify that the thesis is suitable for submission to the External Examiner. The work has been reviewed in detail and, in the opinion of the Supervisor(s) and Supervisory Committee, has reached the stage at which it is appropriate that it be put forward for examination. Agreement that a thesis be submitted should not be viewed as a prejudgement on the outcome of the defence.

Name / Department / University	Signature

Proposed External Examiner

For the MSc thesis defence, "external" refers to a person who is not or has not been a member of the Candidate's Advisory Committee. The person may be a regular departmental faculty member, a faculty member from another department, or an Adjunct (FGS, Retired, Scholar) as defined by FGS.

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Defence Checklist

- 1 Initial FGS format check has been completed.
- 2 Abstract has been submitted (in Word format) to oceansec@dal.ca.
- 3 Application to graduate has been completed via DalOnline.
- 4 Program requirements are up-to-date and approved in GSIS.
- 5 Course Requirements match the academic record exactly, including audited courses.
- 6 Grades are recorded for all courses. Note that OCEA 9000 will remain 'in progress'.
- 7 Registration for OCEA 5001 is in place and the course is completed or 'in progress'.
- 8 Annual progress report is completed and approved in GSIS.
- 9 Outstanding balances, including library fines, are cleared.

Declaration

I understand that I have the support of my Supervisor(s) and Supervisory Committee for proceeding to the oral defence of my thesis.

Name	Signature