

Graduate Degree Forms

Listed below are the degree program forms used by master's, educational specialist, and doctoral students. They, along with all other graduate student forms (<https://www.grad.msstate.edu/admissions/forms>), are posted on the Graduate School website (<http://www.grad.msstate.edu>). Although the major professor and committee are integral to the process, the student is primarily responsible for the completion of the forms and their timely submission to the Graduate School outlined in the Graduate School Due Date Reference (<https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/RefSheetGradForm.pdf>). The student and the department must retain copies of all submitted forms.

Master's Degree Forms

Declaration of Examination/Defense (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Declaration_Of_Exam_Defense_Form_2018.pdf)

Graduate Committee Request (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Committee_Request_Form_2018.pdf) (not required in some non-thesis master's programs with no variation in program of study and/or with standardized examinations)

Educational Specialist Forms

Declaration of Examination/Defense (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Declaration_Of_Exam_Defense_Form_2018.pdf)

Graduate Committee Request (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Committee_Request_Form_2018.pdf)

Doctoral Forms

Admission to Candidacy (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/PhD_Admission_to_Candidacy_Form_2018.pdf)

Declaration of Examination/Defense (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Declaration_Of_Exam_Defense_Form_2018.pdf)

Graduate Committee Request (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Committee_Request_Form_2018.pdf)

Other Forms, as Required (All Degrees)

Change of Committee Members (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Committee_Change_Request_Form_2018.pdf)

Distance Student Certification of Off-Campus/Non-MSU Research Facility (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/distance_student_certification_of_off_campus_non_msu_research.pdf)

Request for Extension of Time (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Initial_Extension_Of_Time_Form_2018.pdf)

Request for Additional Extension of Time (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Additional_Extension_of_Time_2018.pdf)

Request to Retake a Course (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Course_Retake_Form_2018.pdf)

Transfer Approval Form (https://www.grad.msstate.edu/files/Transfer_Form_2018.pdf)