

Graduate Thesis/Dissertation Prospectus

Candidate Name:

Degree Sought:

Dissertation Title:

Thesis Credits:

Advisor:

Committee Member:

Committee Member:

***External Committee Member & Affiliation:**

*Outside member for MS thesis must be from outside of the ME Department. Outside member for PhD dissertation must be from outside of Tufts University.

This is the title page of the thesis/dissertation prospectus. Consult with your research advisor and please attach a summary of the proposed project including:

- Introduction
- Technical Significance
- Background Summary
- Thesis Goals and Proposed Methodology
- Approximate Schedule of Milestones
- References

The purpose of the Prospectus is to describe the work to the rest of the ME Department and other interested parties. The prospectus must be submitted at the end of the first semester a thesis or dissertation credit is taken:

- ME0295 or ME0296 for MS degrees
- ME0297 or ME0298 for PhD degrees