## Major Professor/Advisory Committee approval to defend the thesis for the Master of Arts – History

After you have reviewed the thesis in preparation for a prospective defense, please signify your approval to defend at the bottom of the page.

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A candidate must submit a thesis which shows independent judgment in developing a problem from primary sources. The thesis shall be written under the direction of the student's major professor. The thesis must be approved by the major professor, who will distribute copies to the remaining members of the advisory committee and schedule a final examination. The committee members must have three weeks to read and evaluate the completed thesis. Written assent of two of the three committee members will be required before a thesis will be approved as ready for a final defense.\*

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Committee Member Signature	Date
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Instructions on scheduling the defense of the dissertation can be found on the history department's <u>MA Checklist online</u>. The graduate program in history will notify the Graduate School of the defense time, place, etc.

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