Thesis & Dissertation Workshop

Spring 2022

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- 1. Availability and Location of Thesis/Dissertation Resources
- 2. Introduction to ScholarWorks@UNO
- 3. Manuscript Submission Process
- 4. Format Check/Approval Process
- 5. Format Manual/Requirements

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Graduate School Webpage: grad.uno.edu

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- Preparation and acceptance of manuscript
- Restriction definitions
- Format guidelines
- Copyright information

Thesis and Dissertation Timeline 4/15/22: Initial Format Check Manuscript in ScholarWorks Need not be final submission-can make changes 4/29/22: Final Version Approved version, final upload 4/29/22: Thesis/Dissertation Approval Form FormStack **Committee signatures**

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Submission Process

- 1. Student creates account in ScholarWorks @ UNO
- 2. Student uploads manuscript to UNO Thesis & Dissertation Collection
- 3. Email confirmation triggered to student and reviewer
- 4. Formats reviewed in sequence
- 5. Review decision sent
- 6. Student makes corrections and uploads revision to ScholarWorks @ UNO

7. Acceptance decision sent

NOTE: The Graduate School does not require defense or approval form prior to first upload

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Think carefully about restrictions and embargoes before submitting Future adjustments to Access Level requires Graduate School approval Access Level

NOTE: See T/D Manual for more information about Access Levels Choose one of the following*

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4/15/22: Initial Format Check

1. Graduate School will review submissions for formatting according to T/D Manual

2. Student will receive email notification of acceptance or revisions required

3. If applicable, student uploads revised/approved version

Final Submission

4/29/22: Final Version

1. Once accepted by Graduate School and approved by defense committee, student uploads final version

2. File format should be PDF (if not, ScholarWorks will convert for you)

3. After Commencement, manuscript posted to ETD repository according to Access Level selected by student

FILE NAME

Use this convention to name your file before submitting a final version: Year_Degree_Lastname_Firstname Example: 2022_MA_Barras_Brittney

Thesis and Dissertation Formatting

https://www.uno.edu/media/26136

*Pages 16--23 of T/D Manual have detailed information regarding content and formatting for theses and dissertations.

MANUSCRIPT ELEMENTS

1. Title Page*

- 2. Copyright
- 3. Dedication Acknowledgements Foreword

4. Table of Contents*

(optional for music compositions, plays, screenplays)

5. List of Figures* List of Tables* List of Illustrations* (required if using)

6. Abstract*

(optional for music compositions, plays, screenplays)

7. Introduction*

- **8. Body*** (*Chapters, sections, etc.*)
- 9. References/ Works Cited/ Bibliography*

10. Appendix/ces

11. Vita*

Required Elements PAGE NUMBERING

- All pages except title page
- Bottom center of page
- Items after title page and through 'Abstract': small Roman numerals (ii, iii, iv, v, etc.)
- First page of first chapter and through 'Vita': Arabic numerals (1, 2, 3, etc.)

Required Elements PAGE NUMBERING

NOTE: See T/D Manual for tips on page numbering and spacing



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May use double-spaced, space and a half, or single-spaced EXCEPT

• Title Page, Table of Contents, Table & Figure Captions, Footnotes, and Reference entries SHOULD be single-spaced

Paragraph indentations SHOULD be 0.5" or 0.7"

NOTE: Spacing consistency throughout the manuscript is mandatory.

FONT

- Uniform font style, consistent throughout
- Script fonts prohibited
- Maximum font size: 16pt.
- Minimum: 10pt.

MARGINS

- 1" margins all around
- Left justification recommended
- Charts, graphs, tables, and illustrations must adhere to 1" margins

Format Requirements TITLE PAGE

Title of manuscript:

- Headline capitalization (upper and lowercase letters), not in bold
- Begin at the 1" top margin
- Identical to approved thesis/dissertation title
- Words must be used in place of scientific formulas, symbols, superscripts, subscripts, Greek letters

CORRECT: Fission-Fragment Synthesis of Potassium Manganicyanide INCORRECT: Fission-Fragment Synthesis of K3Mn(CN)6

TITLE PAGE

Submission statement:

- Must follow spacing guidelines from T/D Manual
- Must use this exact wording

A Dissertation <u>or</u> A Thesis (6 blank lines)

Submitted to the Graduate Faculty of the (line break) University of New Orleans (line break) in partial fulfillment of the (line break) requirements for the degree of

TITLE PAGE

Candidate Degree:

- Degree name must match official degree awarded by UNO as listed in the University Catalog (see appendix in T/D Manual)
- A concentration may be listed on the line directly below

CORRECT: Master of Science in Engineering Electrical Engineering INCORRECT: Master of Science in Electrical Engineering

TITLE PAGE

Author, Degrees, and Conferral:

- Under your name, list only prior-earned degrees
- Graduation date (month and year only):

December for Fall May for Spring August for Summer

No page number on title page

TITLE PAGE EXAMPLE (available in T/D Manual)

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> by (1blank line) John XXXX (1 blank line) B.X. XXX State University, 1981 M.X. University of XXXXX, 1991 (1 blank line) May (<u>or</u> December <u>or</u> August), 2022

Testing Graduate Students' Conformity to Thesis Manuals

A Thesis

Submitted to the Graduate Faculty of the University of New Orleans in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the degree of

> Master of Fine Arts In Film and Theatre

> > by

Brittney Barras B.A. University of New Orleans, 2010

May 2022

Table of Contents

- List and identify all items that follow the Table in the manuscript, including appendices
- Optional only for Music, Playwriting or Screenwriting

Format Requirements Table of Contents

Example:

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Abstract

• Maximum word count:

Thesis—150 Dissertation—350

- Scientific/engineering abstracts must use words in place of formulas, symbols, superscripts, Greek letters, etc.
- Last page in the manuscript to use small Roman numerals
- Must include keywords in abstract

Abstract

Example:

Abstract

Following the logic of Fernando Pessoa's semiheteronym, Bernardo Soares, the artist renders in a visual image the sensations of his emotional state. "I compose landscapes out of what I feel", he declares, while simultaneously conveying the reader into his own physical landscape of the streets of Lisbon. The state of the self is reflected in the spaces that are inhabited, sought, created and reflected by the various personae represented in works by Rousseau, Pessoa and Lispector.

Keywords: Fernando Pessoa; semiheteronym; Bernardo Soares

Preface, Prologue, or Introduction

• First page of manuscript to use Arabic numeral "1"

Vita

- Last page of manuscript
- Brief biographical sketch written in third person
- NOT CV or resume content



Footnotes—not required

- Can be placed either at the bottom of each page or grouped at the end of each chapter as end notes
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- Does not begin a new page
- Single-space end notes with a double-space between entries.
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Tables, Figures, and Illustrations

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