

THESIS OPTION FORM

Name: _____ Date: _____
E-mail: _____ Student Number: _____

1. Indicate the thesis option you intend to pursue for completion of the Master of Architecture degree.

Master's Thesis—Studio Option (*continue with questions 2 only*)

Master's Thesis—Independent Option (*continue with questions 3-5 only*)

Studio Option

2. On an attached sheet, please provide a brief description of the design project you intend to pursue in the Master's Thesis Studio (300 words max.). Even though you may not know the specific building program or site, describe the focus or major issues you would like to investigate in your design project, i.e., urban or rural context, housing, tectonic development, environmental systems, etc.

Independent option

3. On an attached sheet, please provide a preliminary thesis statement and theoretical framework for the research or design project you intend to pursue (300 words max.). Specify why you think it is more appropriate to pursue the project as an independent thesis, rather than in the context of the Master's Thesis Studio. Also briefly describe your preparation for this work (previous courses, professional experience, etc.).

4. Please Indicate which quarter you intend to take *Arch 599: Thesis Preparation*, to prepare the thesis proposal.

Winter quarter

Spring quarter

5. Who have you chosen as your Faculty Mentor for thesis preparation, and thesis?

Faculty mentor (print name) _____

Faculty mentor signature _____

Graduate faculty member? Yes No

(note: if your faculty mentor is not on the Graduate Faculty, you must choose a member of the Graduate Faculty as your second committee member. (See Attachments B and C of the *Master of Architecture Thesis Options and Procedures* document.)