Florida Atlantic University  
Masters Programs in Biological Sciences  
Members for Supervisory of Research Committees

The Graduate Supervisory Committee will guide and facilitate the student’s progress toward completion of their Master Degree. The committee members must be a member of the Graduate Faculty or Associate Graduate Faculty. The Graduate College maintains the updated list of approved Graduate Faculty Committee Members.

Requirements and Instructions for Nomination of Biology Faculty Committee Members:

1) During the end of your first semester or beginning of your second semester meet with your Advisor to discuss who you would like to have on your committee. Select your members and get each member’s signature below.

2) You are required to have a minimum of three (3) Biology Graduate Faculty members on the Biology Masters Examination committee (including the Advisor). Committee members must hold a doctoral degree and be a Member of the Graduate College Faculty or Associate Graduate Faculty.

3) An optional fourth (or more) member can be accepted. This additional member may be affiliated with other FAU programs or may be a professional from an external agency or another university whose appointment has been approved by both the chair of the committee and the Chair of the department or the director of the program. For the optional/additional fourth proposed members who are not members of the Graduate Faculty must hold the rank of a master degree or higher. They must indicate professorial affiliation and credentials, and provide curriculum vitae.

4) To be considered making adequate progress, this form must be completed by the end of your second semester and turned into SC 136

Please Print:

Student: (last name) ________________________________ (first name)______________________________

Student Z# Number:__________________________________  Admission Date: __________________________

Research Title #: (if available or applicable)
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Thesis ______ Non-thesis #1 ______ Non-thesis #2 (MST) ______ BS/MS ______ PSM ______

Individuals below are nominated to serve on the master degree (designated above) committee

2) ________________________________ ______________________________
   Signature and date                                               Please Print Name

3) ________________________________ ______________________________
   Signature and date                                               Please Print Name

4) ________________________________ Optional Member 
   ________________________________ ______________________________
   Signature and date                                               Please Print Name

1) ADVISOR - Graduate Supervisory Committee:
   ________________________________ ______________________________
   Signature and date                                               Please Print Name