

Thesis Proposal Form

Name: _____ email _____

Semester a/b ___ Faculty advisor (name and signature) _____

Please fill in the form below as best you can. If you need extra space, feel free to use the back of the page or attach a separate page. Its function is to help you and your thesis advisor begin planning for your senior project.

1. Briefly describe your topic. Don't worry about being uncertain, at this point, about some of the particulars. Do try, though, to move beyond noting the general subject and primary objects of analysis to speculating upon possible arguments or impetus for the project. What do you hope to discover, or prove?
2. Describe the sort of work you see your thesis as requiring. What primary works might you need to consider? What type of research might it entail? Might your reading include history, criticism, theory, or other sorts of materials? Might you be including other media?
3. Describe courses you taken here or elsewhere that might provide you with useful reference points and materials for your thesis.