

# APPROVAL OF COMPLETED THESIS [Ready for Examination]: THESIS SUPERVISOR

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| <b>Student Name</b>           |   |  |
| <b>Thesis Title</b>           |   |  |
| <b>Student Program</b>        | Master of Psychotherapy and Spirituality<br><input type="checkbox"/> MPS <input type="checkbox"/> MPS (Art Therapy) | Master of Theological Studies<br><input type="checkbox"/> MTS <input type="checkbox"/> MTS (Hon) <input type="checkbox"/> MTS (Diaconal) |
| <b>Thesis Supervisor Name</b> |   |  |

## How well does the candidate . . .

|   | Low |   |   |   |   | High |  |  |  |  |
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| 1. Describe the area to be studied?   |     |   |   |   |   |      |  |  |  |  |
| a) provide a general statement of topic area  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| b) describe theological themes  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| c) describe psychological themes (MPS/MPS-AT only)  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| d) describe personal interest in subject  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| e) state research question  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| f) identify methodology to be used  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| g) identify relevance of topic  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| h) describe relevance/implications to professional practice (MPS/MPS-AT only)   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| 2. Review the literature: demonstrate a working knowledge of relevant resources?  |     |   |   |   |   |      |  |  |  |  |
| a) discuss key literature relating to the topic area  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| b) discuss key literature relating to theological themes  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| c) discuss key literature relating to psychological themes (MPS/MPS-AT only)  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| d) discuss key literature relating to the chosen methodology(ies)   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| 3. Develop the chosen methodology?  |     |   |   |   |   |      |  |  |  |  |
| a) outline steps in researching the question  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| b) discuss ethical issues involved (if applicable) and how these ethical issues were managed as per the directions of the Research Ethics Committee (ethics review guidelines in Degree Manual) | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| 4. Carry out validation process (if applicable)?  |     |   |   |   |   |      |  |  |  |  |
| a) describe how trustworthiness is built into the study throughout its development  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Craft the thesis document?   |     |   |   |   |   |      |  |  |  |  |
| a) write smoothly and clearly   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| b) present material in a logical and orderly manner   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| c) write in an inclusive style  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| d) suitable chapter outline   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| e) quality of bibliography and other resources  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| f) according to APA (MPS/MPS-AT) or Turabian (MTS)  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| g) include required Appendices (ie. consent forms, artwork if applicable)   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| 6. Bibliography/Reference List  |     |   |   |   |   |      |  |  |  |  |
| a) comprehensive  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| b) evidences familiarity with available resources   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |
| c) demonstrates proper bibliographical form   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |      |  |  |  |  |

The student has completed their Thesis to my satisfaction and it is ready for examination. Suggestions for possible examiners may be submitted to the Department Chair.

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| Signature, Thesis Supervisor | Date |

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|                  | Date received _____      |