

# Undergraduate Thesis in Economics Application

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Project Title:

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Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Separate Attachments:**

**Research Proposal (2-3 pages):** The proposal should include a clear statement of the research question, a quick overview of the relevant research, and an overview of the research method that will be used. If doing a replication, the original study should be summarized in detail with a brief discussion of the availability of the data. The proposal should include a works cited page and in-text citations. It is strongly recommended that the proposal be reviewed by a faculty member prior to submission. If the proposal has been reviewed by a faculty member, please indicate who has reviewed the proposal and provide a summary of the comments that were provided.

**Degree Evaluation:** Please provide a detailed overview of your degree evaluation and include it in the application materials.

## **Notes:**

Most thesis projects take at least two semesters to complete with the typical schedule being fall to spring. Students can start during other semesters with prior approval from the department. Students can register for a single semester (3 credit hours) to receive credit for a capstone course and credit in the major. However, for students pursuing departmental honors in economics, they must register for two semesters (6 credit hours) to be eligible. Also, these hours must be in addition to the all the requirements for the economics major and they cannot count as major electives to receive that recognition.

All material should be submitted through email to Prof. Dunick at [jdunick@gmu.edu](mailto:jdunick@gmu.edu) using the student's @gmu.edu account.