

Department of Arts Administration, Education and Policy Change of Advisor Form

At the end of your first year as a graduate student in the Department of Arts Administration, Education and Policy, you are to declare a Thesis/Dissertation Advisor. Upon admission, you were provided a Contact Advisor when accepted into the program. You should be in conversation with your Contact Advisor during the first year of study. As you come closer to determining your research focus, and experiencing various faculty in the department, you should have a clearer idea of potential advisors. You may stay with your Contact Advisor or choose someone else to be your Thesis/Dissertation Advisor. Once you have narrowed down your choices, please schedule a meeting with your Contact Advisor to discuss. Then, schedule a meeting with your prospective Thesis/Dissertation Advisor to make the request. He or she may or may not accept, depending on many possible factors. If not, move on to your next choice. Once you have agreed with someone, submit this signed form to **Lauren Pace**.

Graduate Student Name

Graduate Student Signature

Date _____

Contact Advisor Name

Contact Advisor Signature

Date _____

Thesis/Dissertation Advisor Name

Thesis/Dissertation Advisor Signature

Date _____