

Thesis Extension Request Form

Thesis / Dissertation / MBA Report / Joint Applied Project

Please complete this form and email it to your Thesis Advisor and cc your Program Officer and Student Services (sa@nps.edu), by no later than 1 week prior to graduation. Contact your Program Officer if you have any questions or need assistance in completing this form.

Personal Information			
Today's Date (MM/DD/YY)			
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	
Rank or Civil Service Grade	Military Branch or Civilian Agency	Country/Citizenship	
Mailing Address			
Post-NPS Phone	Post-NPS Email		
Program/Project Information			
Degree Program	Previous Extension Requests	(Number of times you have requested this extension previously.)	
Original Graduation Date	Current Extension Expiration (N/A if	first)	
Advisors			
Your Thesis Advisor's Name		Thesis Advisor's email	
Program Officer's Name		Program Officer's email	

Extension Form (continued)

Justification for Request & Thesis Planning

Please explain your reasons for making this request. If you need more space you may include an additional World PDF when submitting this PDF form. If you will be including an attachment, please mention that in the space of	
Your Justification:	
Thesis Completion Plan (Benchmarks, milestones, etc.)	
Agreements and Signature	
I understand that I am solely responsible for filing my own timely thesis extension request(s) and that my degree candidacy expires anytime I let my extension expire, including any lapse between requests, or if I exceed the three year maximum extension policy without explicit Academic Council approval.	Yes
I further understand that for both resident and non-resident students, the need for an active and approved extension commences on my original expected graduation date, and that approval from the Academic Council to extend beyond the third extension from that date is processed by separate correspondence to the Council and is only granted in extraordinary circumstances, typically beyond the control of the requestor.	Yes
Student Digital Signature (Required).	

Sign and email this form and any attachments to your Thesis Advisor and cc your Program Officer and Student Services (sa@nps.edu).

Extension Form Signatures

Required Signatures (OFFICIAL USE ONLY)

Please review and sign in the order listed below.
To: Department Chair
Recommended:
(1) Thesis Advisor
(2) Academic Associate
(3) Program Officer,
(4)
Approved: Department Chair, Signature

-Dept. Chair: Upon completion, return to Education Tech.

-Ed. Tech: File and cc Student Services at SA@nps.edu.