STUDENT’S NAME _______________________________________________________________

(please print clearly)

THESIS TITLE ________________________________________________________________

EXPECTATION OF THE READER: Thesis Advisor – Must be a Biostatistics Faculty member. The
advisor is expected to work closely with the student in designing the project and providing advice about its
implementation. The Thesis Advisor instructs the student on thesis data presentation, reviews the drafts, and
evaluates the final draft.

Upon completion of the thesis, the student will make an oral presentation of their work.

Thesis Advisor: (Print) ________________________________________________________________

Title: ________________________________________________________________

SIGNATURE OF Thesis Advisor ______________________________________________________

SIGNATURE OF STUDENT _________________________________________________________

Approval by Director of Graduate Studies ____________________________________________

Important Deadlines:

**Fall Graduates:**
- September 15, 2016 – Deadline to Petition for December degree (Graduate School)
- October 3, 2016 – Thesis Reader Form due to Melanie Elliot
- October 28, 2016 – Submission of final thesis to Advisor
- November 7, 2016 – Thesis evaluation due to Melanie Elliot (from advisor)

**Spring Graduates:**
- December 15, 2016 - Draft Prospectus Due to Advisor
- December 15, 2016 - Thesis Reader Form Due to Melanie Elliot
- March 1, 2017 - Deadline to Petition for May Degree (Graduate School)
- March 30, 2017 - Submission of final thesis to Advisor
- April 14, 2017 - Thesis evaluation due to Melanie Elliot (from advisor)