Florida Atlantic University  
Master of Science in Marine Science and Oceanography  
Members for Supervisory of Research Committees

The Graduate Supervisory Committee will guide and facilitate the student’s progress toward completion of their Master Degree. The committee members must be a member of the Graduate Faculty or Associate Graduate Faculty. The Graduate College maintains the updated list of approved Graduate Faculty Committee Members.

Requirements and Instructions for Nomination of Marine Science and Oceanography (MSO) Faculty Committee Members:
1. During the end of your first semester or beginning of your second semester meet with your Advisor to discuss who you would like to have on your committee. Select your members and get each member’s signature below.
2. You are required to have a minimum of three (3) MSO Graduate Faculty members on the MSO Masters Examination committee (including the Advisor). Committee members must hold a doctoral degree and be a Member of the Graduate College Faculty or Associate Graduate Faculty.
3. An optional fourth (or more) member can be accepted. This additional member may be affiliated with other FAU programs or may be a professional from an external agency or another university whose appointment has been approved by both the Chair of the committee and the Chair of the department or the Director of the program. Any optional/additional fourth proposed member who is not a member of the Graduate Faculty must hold the rank of a Master degree or higher; they must indicate their professorial affiliation and credentials, and provide a curriculum vitae. According to University regulations, committee members may only sign if they are members of the FAU Graduate Faculty.
4. To be considered making adequate progress, this form must be completed by the end of your second semester and turned in to HB 201

Please Print:
Student: (last name) ________________________________ (first name) ________________________________
Student Z# Number: __________________________________ Admission Date: __________________________
Research Title: (if available or applicable)
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__________________________________________________________________________________________
Thesis ______ Non-Thesis ______

Individuals below are nominated to serve on the Master degree (designated above) committee

2) _____________________________________________
   Signature and date  
   Please Print Name
3) _____________________________________________
   Signature and date  
   Please Print Name
4) _____________________________________________Optional Member
   Signature and date  
   Please Print Name

1) ADVISOR - Graduate Supervisory Committee: __________________________
   Signature and date  
   Please Print Name