

**Department of Geography  
Plan of Study – Thesis Option**

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

Thesis Advisor \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID # \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Course Number and Title      Credit Hours      Semester Planned or Taken**

**1. Required Core Courses**

<b>GEOG 5014</b>		
<b>GEOG 4084, 4354, 5034 or 5314</b>		

**2. Research and Thesis (6 hours required)**

<b>GEOG 5994</b>		
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**Additional 5000 level courses (minimum of 21 hours in entire program – including any 5000 level courses taken in areas 1 and 2 above)**

**3. GEOG 5000-level courses (minimum of 6 hours required)**

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**4. Cognate 5000-level courses (minimum of 3 hours required)**


**Selected 4000 level courses (maximum of 9 hours in entire program– including any 4000 level courses taken in area 1 above)**

**5. GEOG 4000-level courses (maximum of 9 hours allowed – none required)**


**6. Cognate 4000-level courses (maximum of 3 hours allowed – none required)**

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**TOTAL GRADUATE CREDITS:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(30 hours required)**

**7. Supporting Courses (courses without graduate credit, extra hours, etc.)**


(Obtain required signatures on back!)

**Signatures:**

**Student:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Committee Member:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**NOTE:**

**For a Master's degree program, a maximum of 6 hours of independent study courses and a maximum of 6 hours of special study courses, with the total for both independent study and special study courses of no more than 9 hours, may be used on the plan of study.**

**Only 6 hours of research and thesis (Geog 5994) are allowed to count towards the 30 required hours to obtain the degree.**