Department of Statistics & Data Sciences
Approval for SDS 398R Master's Report

SDS398R Master's Report course is restricted. This form must be turned into the Graduate Coordinator **before** you can be cleared to add the course during registration. Incomplete forms will not be accepted. Add/drop closes on the 12th class day (Fall/Spring semester) or the 4th class day (Summer sessions). Credit is only granted for work completed in the semester in which the student is enrolled (no retro-credit). All projects must be approved by the MS in Statistics Graduate Advisor in advance of registration.

*Asterisk indicates a required field

*Student Name: _____   *UT EID: _____

*Semester/Session: _____   *Course Number and Unique: _____

Check one: ____ Working Title or _____ Final Title

*Outline of Proposal: Proposals must show evidence of careful thought and preparedness, and be endorsed by a MS in Statistics Graduate Studies Committee faculty member willing to supervise the student's work. You may attach additional pages as needed.

*Proposal should include: What is your report topic? Are you using any theoretical framework or other perspectives/tools for your analysis? What data will you use as part of your research for your report? Attach an agreed upon list of deadlines/milestones for the semester; allow enough time for research, outlining a project, turning in a rough draft, receiving revisions, and turning in additional drafts.

*To the Student: Please check that your proposed supervising professor is a member of the MS in Statistics Graduate Studies Committee. A listing of the Graduate Studies Committee (GSC) can be found on the SDS website https://catalog.utexas.edu/graduate/areas-of-study/natural-sciences/statistics/

Is the proposed Supervisor a member of the MS Statistics Graduate Studies Committee? ____ YES ____ NO

*Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

*Professor Name: _____ Check one: ___ Supervisor/1st Reader or ___ Co-Supervisor

*Faculty Signature: _____ *Faculty UT EID: _____ Date: _____

Professor Name: _____ Check one: ___ Supervisor/2nd Reader or ___ Co-Supervisor

Faculty Signature: _____ Faculty UT EID: _____ Date: _____

*Approval, MS Stat Graduate Advisor: _____ Date: _____

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