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**MA Thesis Degree Program Checklist**

Year 1

Semester 1

Become acquainted with the faculty, assigned temporary advisor

Semester 2

Select an official advisor (major professor) and notify the Graduate Coordinator

Submit Advisor Agreement Form by the first day of Spring Break

Submit Advisory Committee Form

Year 2

Semester 1

Present Thesis Prospectus to Advisory Committee

Submit Program of Study Form

Schedule your colloquium

Semester 2

Present Colloquium

Submit Application for Graduation

Complete Thesis

Complete Oral Examination/thesis defense

Submit Thesis Defense and Final Examination Approval (MA & M.S.)

Submit Thesis

Deadlines and other pertinent information provided by Graduate School forms and the *Graduate Bulletin.*