

Master of Arts Liberal Studies

Completion Option

Name _____

Date _____

Program Option _____

Which of the following program completion options do you intend to select?

Thesis, LSTD 5980 (Complete 1-7 below)

Non-Thesis with Written Comprehensive Examination

Research Project, LSTD 5940 (Complete 1-7 below)

Internship, LSTD 5950 (Complete 1-7 below)

Advanced coursework, LSTD 5xxx (Do not complete 1-7 below)

1. What is the general nature of the problem or issue you wish to address or focus area of study for advanced coursework?

2. What is the basis for your interest in this topic or focus area of study?
What is your background and prior knowledge of this topic or focus area of study to support your investigation or advanced study of it at a graduate level?

3. How do you propose to go about your study within the context of your completion option? What kind of design or plan do you envision?

4. What particular or specialized skills will you need to conduct your study?

5. What resources, materials, and services will you need for your study? Are they available?

6. Have you read the requirements for Human Subjects in Research? Do you need to make an IRB application? (See IRB webpage <http://www.ouhsc.edu/irb-norman//default.asp>)

7. What do you anticipate learning from this study?

