

Application Form for a Thesis

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Completing this form and including a brief exposé is required for considering and further discussing the supervision of a thesis.

Please email the Word file to gender-soz@polsoz.fu-berlin.de at least one week before meeting with Professor Zippel during her office hours. Please do not schedule a meeting or come to your scheduled appointment if you have not submitted this form.

ATTENTION: This form does not replace formal registration of your thesis with the examination office. It will remain with the research group and will not be passed on to third parties.

I. Personal information

Name	
First name	
Address	
Telephone	
Email address	
Student ID number	
Study program	
Desired a) start and b) submission date	

Exposé submitted on:	
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II. Details of the planned thesis

Working title	
Type of thesis (BA, MA, dissertation...)	
Possible second supervisor	
Attended seminars or courses on the topic	

III. Exposé

Please use this space to include a short exposé of at least 1-2 A4 pages. Make sure to include the following elements:

- Brief introduction of the topic
- Brief description of the state of your research
- Description of the objective and research question - be very specific
- Theoretical references and questions for further research
- Brief description of your planned methodological approach and, if applicable, the material you want to analyze
- Provisional table of contents
- List of relevant literature you have read and considered important (books and/or essays)
- Time and work schedule

If you are planning to propose a topic in English, the exposé must also be submitted in English.

IV. How does your topic relate to the research conducted in the research group?

Please describe briefly how your work relates to the research conducted by the research group. Please consult the project pages of the research projects, the list of courses, as well as the personal pages and publication list of the team members.

IV. Comments (relevant skills, internships, term papers on the topic, etc.)