

Research Paper Agreement: MAPS

Student Name: _____

Faculty Name: _____

Course Number: _____ 770
(area prefix)

Course Title: MAPS Research Paper: _____

Month(s): _____ Year: _____

Course Requirements:

- It must be written in Pastoral Care or Practice of Ministry on a topic related to the student's ministerial goals. The topic must be approved by the director of the program and a faculty advisor assigned in consultation with the Dean.
- The paper must reflect substantial research and should include scholarly apparatus. Through researching and writing the paper, the student will show evidence of being able to find relevant material and being able to express local and clear thought. In the Roman Catholic programs, the student should bring abstract concepts to bear on concrete ministerial settings.
- The length of the paper is normally 40-60 pages.
- The paper must follow the *A Manual for Writers of Research Papers, Theses, and Dissertations* 7th edition, by Kate Turabian.

The student understands the criteria for grading and that all work must be completed by the end of the period.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Faculty Signature: _____ Date: _____

Director for Roman Catholics: _____ Date: _____