

Preliminary Approval 2026–2027 Thesis/Design Project

If you wish to have your Thesis or Capstone Design Project count toward your electives for your minor or certificate, you must obtain approval. To obtain approval, please complete the following:

1. Provide your personal information.
2. **Provide a one-page description of your project or research.** This must justify how the work you will be undertaking relates to your minor or certificate of choice. If it is a group project, please outline what your individual tasks will be for the project. Generic department/course descriptions are unacceptable.
3. Obtain your supervisor's signature and email your completed form and description to the Cross-Disciplinary Programs Office by **September, 30, 2026**: engineering.minors@utoronto.ca

Following completion of your final report, you must provide a **one-page summary** of your results. If this is a group project, a 2nd page with the individual work breakdown will be required. Approval at this time is conditional on your final submission to us. **This form does NOT replace any documentation required by your home program.**

1. Personal Information

Please indicate your minor or certificate:

Advanced Manufacturing
Artificial Intelligence Engineering
Bioengineering

Engineering Business
Environmental Engineering
Global Leadership

Music Performance
Nanoengineering
Robotics and Mechatronics

Sustainable Energy
Other _____

Name of Student

Student Number

Phone Number

Email Address

Program

Course Code

2. Attach Description

Thesis/Design Title and Project Number (if applicable)

Is this a group project? Yes No If yes, how many members are in the group?

I verify that the attached description accurately describes the work I intend to undertake for this course.

Student Signature

Date

3. Supervisor Signature

Name of Supervisor

Supervisor's Email Address

I agree to supervise this student's work on the specified topic:

Yes No

Supervisor Signature

Date

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Director Signature

Date