

Arrangement of a Thesis

The general arrangement of a thesis is:

Monograph-style thesis	Collected manuscripts-style thesis
1. Title Page	1. Title Page
2. Abstract	2. Abstract
3. Acknowledgements	3. Acknowledgements
4. Post-Defense Acknowledgements (optional)	4. Post-Defense Acknowledgements (optional)
5. Dedication (optional)	5. Dedication (optional)
6. Table of Contents	6. Table of Contents
7. Lists, where applicable (page numbers required): List of Tables List of Figures List of Plates List of Appendices	7. Lists, where applicable (page numbers required): List of Tables List of Figures List of Plates List of Appendices
8. Lists, where applicable (no page numbers required) List of Abbreviations List of Symbols	8. Lists, where applicable (no page numbers required) List of Abbreviations List of Symbols
9. Statements: Transparency Statement	19. Statements: Transparency Statement Statement of Contributions
10. Body of the Thesis, for example: Chapter 1: Introduction Chapter 2: Literature Review Chapter 3: Research Method Chapter 4: Results Chapter 5: Discussion	10. Body of the Thesis, for example: Chapter 1: Introduction Chapter 2: First Manuscript Chapter 3: Second Manuscript Chapter 4: Third Manuscript Chapter 5: Discussion
11. References, Works Cited, or Bibliography	11. References, Works Cited, or Bibliography
12. Appendices	12. Appendices