

ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE
Doctor of Ministry
 FINAL FEEDBACK FOR DISSERTATION
 To be completed by External Examiner
 Innovative Model for Ministry

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| Dissertation Title: | |
| Name of External Examiner: | |

Rate each of the following as *Yes...or...Yes, with changes...or...No*. Add comments regardless of rating. [Note: See descriptive anchors for rating each category below.]

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| Category | | Rating | Comments (share your rating rationale and/or reflective input with the student as you see fitting) |
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| 1. Contextualize and demonstrate the need for the project? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes with changes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |
| 2. Critically review the literature? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes with changes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |
| 3. Provide rationale for the chosen methodology? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes with changes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |
| 4. Address ethical considerations of the research? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes with changes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |
| 5. Provide analysis of results? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes with changes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |
| 6. Provide summary, discussion, conclusions and implications of findings? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
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| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |
| 7. Address the goals for the Doctor of Ministry Program? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes with changes | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |
| 8. Craft the dissertation? | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yes | |
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| | <input type="checkbox"/> | No | |

| Category | Descriptive Anchors for Rating each Category |
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| 1. Research Question/setup | Includes clear statement of issue; identifies gaps in current knowledge and/or provides rationale for current research study |
| 2. Literature review | Cites relevant works and places them in context. |
| 3. Methodology/Methods | Demonstrates proficient knowledge of chosen <i>methodology</i> (the rationale and philosophical assumptions that guide the research and chosen methods) and justifies selection of <i>methods</i> , i.e. the tools, processes and ways by which data is obtained. |
| 4. Ethical considerations | Ensures voluntary participation and rights to withdraw; ensures safety and confidentiality of participants |
| 5. Analysis/presentation of results | Results interpreted in light of proposed research question and existing literature. |
| 6. Discussion/implications | Clearly summarizes the key findings of the research; includes new insights on issue gained from the research. Sophisticated discussion of implications of findings for ministry practice and future research. |
| 7. DMin Goals | Shows advanced understanding of nature and purpose of ministry; ability to reflect theologically on ministry and to advance knowledge about the practice of ministry. |
| 8. Craft | Ideas expressed clearly, logically and concisely. Coherent progression of thought within P/D and within each section. Limited typographical, grammatical and formatting errors. |

Overall, how do you assess this Dissertation (attach additional document, if necessary).

Strengths:

Weaknesses:

Recommendations (including requested revisions).

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