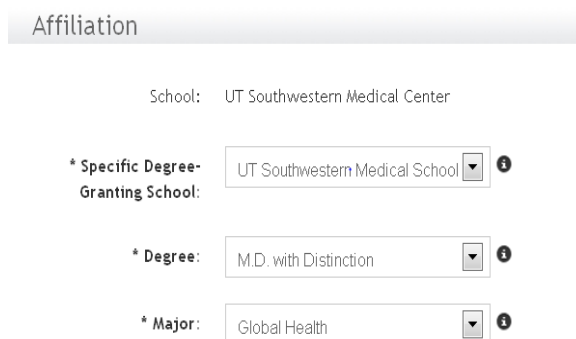# Electronic Thesis Submission 2015

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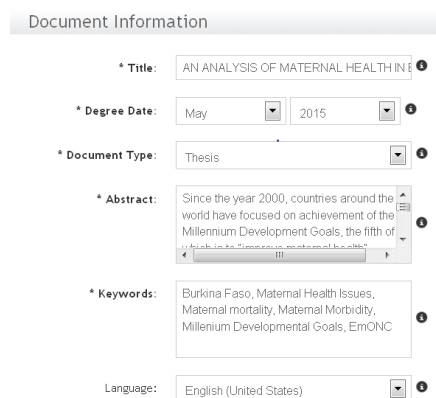1. First Time use: enter in your information
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