For an external member approval, the chair of the student's committee needs to send an email to <u>heather.greenhalgh-spencer@ttu.edu</u> stating the reasons for the request. The body of the email should also include

- 1. Student's name
- 2. Student's R#
- 3. Whether this is for a master's committee or PhD Committee
- 4. Name of the proposed external committee member
- 5. CV of the proposed external committee member
- Names of the other committee members (because we have to have a record showing that over 50% of the committee is made up of people with grad faculty status...which usually means TT/T faculty at TTU)
- 7. A justification (a few sentences is fine) for why this person should serve on the committee