Thesis Registry Proposal

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- To record thesis topics
- Not to prohibit selection of similar topics

- Items included:
    - Date of registration
    - Thesis topic
    - Name of institution and advisor
    - Dataset to be used
    - Hyperlink to abstract
    - Anticipated date of completion
    - Actual date of completion
    - Hyperlink to completed thesis

Issue for discussion

Theses are public documents. They may contain plots that have not been approved. These could end up being cited and used by other physicists before BaBar collaborators have had a chance to exploit the results and without any quality control by the collaboration. For the Pub Board to exercise any control over theses could interfere with academic freedom.