

**ENGL 7/8100: English Graduate Independent Study**

To register for a graduate independent study, you need to work closely with a faculty member to plan your course of study. You should begin planning your course and obtaining the required signatures well in advance of the semester in which you intend to register for independent study credit. As the student intending to enroll in the course, you are responsible for submitting this form and a full syllabus and obtaining all required signatures before registration.

**Notes:** Only 3 hours of independent study credit can count toward your degree if you are an MA student or 6 hours if you are a PhD student. MA students may only use independent study credit for an elective. MFA students may not use independent study credit towards their degree. You must have completed a minimum of 12 hours that count toward your degree before you are qualified to take an independent study.

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ UUID \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor Name \_\_\_\_\_

Term \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Hours \_\_\_\_\_ Contact hours per week \_\_\_\_\_ 7100 or 8100? \_\_\_\_\_

Topic and/or Course Title \_\_\_\_\_

Attach a **full course syllabus** that includes learning objectives, reading list, assignments that are to be completed along with a grading breakdown and due dates, and schedule of contact hours.

This syllabus must also include an explanation of why you wish to take this particular course as an independent study. Note that independent studies are not intended to replace a course that is currently offered in the Department of English.

After you have obtained the required signatures below, submit this form and your full syllabus to the Graduate Office in Patterson 461.

**Required Signatures**

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Instructor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Major Advisor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Graduate Studies \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Department Chair \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_