Independent Study Approval Form

This form must be filled out when a student wishes to take one of the following course numbers as an independent study:

070:530, 531, 532, 553, 554, 564, 573, 585, 586

NB: A separate form must be filled out for field-statement-related independent studies, for which students should register under one of the two numbers (070:600 or 070:601, Field Statement), or for research credits (070:701 or 070:702).

TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE STUDENT:

Name of Student__________________________________________

Title of independent study ___________________________________

Registration number _________________    Course Number _________________

Term __________________

Supervising faculty member __________________________________

How many independent study credits have you taken previously? ________

How will this independent study contribute to your graduate training? Why is it preferable to taking a regularly offered graduate seminar?

TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE SUPERVISING FACULTY MEMBER:

What are the assignments and expectations for the student? What will the student need to do in order to earn a good grade? (Independent studies always get graded with a regular letter grade, not an S/U designation.) Attach extra sheet(s) if necessary.

Signature of supervising faculty member __________________________

Date __________________________

Signature of advisor (if different from above) _______________________

Date __________________________

Signature of Graduate Director _________________________________

Date __________________________