

Rutgers University Anthropology Department
Setting up an Independent Study

- Find an anthropology faculty member with the expertise and willingness to supervise your independent study.
- Discuss the scope and timing of the independent study with your proposed supervisor, preferably in his or her office hours.
- If that person agrees to supervise your independent study, both of you should fill out and sign the bottom parts of this sheet.
- Give this form to the Undergraduate Program Assistant and request a special permission number to register for 070:495 (fall) or 070:496 (spring),

Independent studies count as 3 credits. You can take no more than 30 out-of-class credits in your entire program of study, which includes independent studies, coop. ed., and internship.

You can register for up to 2 independent studies (or 8 out-of-class credits) during any one semester. To register for more, you need the Dean's approval.

Non-traditional students and those who have difficulty scheduling daytime classes also may find that online classes provide a good alternative.

Student's name _____

Student's email _____

Student ID# _____

Faculty supervisor of independent study _____

Semester for independent study _____

Does this independent study involve original research? YES NO

Is this independent study an internship? YES NO

Does this independent study include work conducted off-campus? YES NO

Brief description of content of independent study

Product(s) of independent study to be graded (with date[s] of submission)

Student's signature _____ Date _____

Supervisor's signature _____ Date _____

Undergraduate Program Director's signature _____ Date _____