

School of Art and Art History Independent Study Application for Studio Credit

Studio Faculty are not required to take on Independent Study students, but do so on top of their course load and other commitments for those students who Show promise. Only the most exceptional applicants will be considered.

Registrar approval is required before the form is to be completed by student, instructor and chair of the department. The following policies apply:

The independent study project must be considered as upper division credit (course number 3991).

At least 1 hour (quarter) of credit is required for Independent Study, and a maximum of 10 credit hours can be applied towards degree requirements, except for students in the Honors Program. Ordinarily, a maximum of 5 credit hours of Independent Study may be taken in any quarter.

Individual academic departments may have further restrictions on the number of independent study hours that can be applied towards major requirements.

Independent Study may not replace a course listed in the course catalogue.

The student, the instructor, and the chair of the department must agree upon the title and outline of the Independent Study project.

Applying for an SAAH Studio Independent Study:

- Applicant must be an art major or minor.
- Applicant should have taken a minimum of two classes within the area of concentration before applying for Independent Study in that same area.
- Applicant can only seek an Independent Study when no other class is open to them within the area of concentration during the same quarter.
- A one-page minimum, outline of the Independent Study project must accompany the application form. The project must also have a title (no more than 30 characters)
- The outline should clearly state the objectives of the Independent Study, i.e. what you plan to do; how you anticipate doing it, and what the anticipated outcomes will be. The outline should reference two other artists (minimum) working within a similar style or genre; the outline should also include a calendar stating your anticipated weekly goals or progress.

- The application and outline should be submitted to the selected instructor no later than four weeks before the quarter of the Independent Study begins.
- The applicant and the instructor will establish a weekly meeting time where progress must be demonstrated.

Independent Study project title (30 characters maximum):

Project outline, must include: what you envision the project to be; how you anticipate executing the project; what the anticipated outcomes will be, and reference two artists (minimum) working within the same or similar genre.

Anticipated weekly progress and/or objectives:

Week 1

Week 2

Week 3

Week 4

Week 5

Week 6

Week 7

Week 8

Week 9

Week 10
