

**DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE AND DANCE  
WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY**

**Independent Study Plan Approval Form**

This form is to be completed in the semester before the student plans to take the Independent Study

**TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT:**

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student's WIU ID # \_\_\_\_\_ Campus/cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Local Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying for credit for (check one):

Undergraduate:

- Theatre 298 Independent Study (1-3)
- Theatre 338 Advanced Topics in Technical Theatre (2)
- Theatre 400 Independent Research and Projects (1-6, repeatable for different topics to 6)  
(Please list number of Theatre 400 hours previously earned: \_\_\_\_)
- Theatre 479 Professional Summer Semester (1-12, repeatable to maximum of 12)  
(Please list number of Theatre 479 hours previously earned: \_\_\_\_)
- Theatre 496 Experiments and Topics in Theatre (1-3, repeatable to 6)  
(Please list number of Theatre 496 hours previously earned: \_\_\_\_)
- Theatre 498 Individual Study (1-3)

Graduate

- Theatre 496G Experiments and Topics in Theatre (1-3, repeatable to 6)  
(Please list number of Theatre 496G hours previously earned: \_\_\_\_)
- Theatre 579 Professional Summer Semester (1-12, repeatable to maximum of 12)  
(Please list number of Theatre 579 hours previously earned: \_\_\_\_)
- Theatre 600 Research and Projects in theatre (1-6, repeatable for different topics to 6)  
(Please list number of Theatre 600 hours previously earned: \_\_\_\_)

Number of Semester Hours of Requested \_\_\_\_\_

Attach your Project Proposal on a separate sheet of paper. The proposal must include:

- A detailed description of the proposed project/paper
- The method that will be employed in the study
- Any materials needed for the study
- Please supply all information that you think would be helpful to the faculty in enabling them to reach a decision concerning your proposed project.

This proposal **MUST** be typed.

**Student Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY FACULTY MEMBER:**

I have read the above student's proposal and agree to advise this student on his or her project/paper. I have discussed with the student my expectations with regard to this project/paper, due dates, and the criteria/rubrics I will use in its grading.

Instructor must attach

- Specific course expectations
- Grading criteria/rubrics
- All due dates.

**Faculty Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY DEPARTMENT CHAIRPERSON:**

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Not Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Approved with the following conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Theatre and Dance Chairperson's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**TO BE COMPLETED BY DEPARTMENT CHAIRPERSON:**

Date presented to theatre and dance faculty for approval: \_\_\_\_\_

Decision:

Approved

Approved with the following conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

Not approved

**Theatre and Dance Chairperson's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_