



Gateway Student Services
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Student-Designed Independent Study (SDIS) Proposal

Who needs to use this form? Important Notes

A student who wishes to request credit for student-designed independent study (SDIS). Complete sections 1-3 and page 2 after consulting with your advisor and the intended evaluator.

- Before your SDIS will be registered, this form must be approved and signed by the department chair of the appropriate department and the dean of the college.
- Contact your advisor/college advising center with any procedural questions.

How to Submit

Submit the completed form to Gateway Student Services by mail to the address above, in person, or by e-mail from your Metro State account.

Section 1: Student Information

Student Name: _____
Last First Middle

Permanent address: _____
Street City State Zip Code

Phone (with area code): (____) _____ - _____ Metropolitan State e-mail address: _____

Metropolitan State student ID: _____ Advisor (first and last name): _____

Section 2: Registration Information

Credits: _____ Term: Fall Spring Summer Year _____ Level: Lower Upper Graduate Grading: Letter Pass/No credit
Please check the academic calendar for registration deadlines.

Subject/Dept.: _____ 160 360 660 _____
Number Title

Proposed competence statement:

Evaluation techniques--check all that apply:

<input type="checkbox"/> Essay	<input type="checkbox"/> Oral interview	<input type="checkbox"/> Portfolio review	<input type="checkbox"/> Written exercise
<input type="checkbox"/> Journal	<input type="checkbox"/> Project evaluation	<input type="checkbox"/> Simulation	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe): _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Objective test	<input type="checkbox"/> Research paper	<input type="checkbox"/> Situational observation	

Section 3: Evaluator Information

Evaluator: _____ Resident faculty Community faculty Other*

Phone (day): _____ Email address: _____

*If the evaluator is not a Metropolitan State resident or community faculty member, you must attach a copy of the evaluator's résumé with permanent address, phone (with area code), and e-mail address.

Department chair signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____
Signature indicates approval to register. MM DD YYYY

Dean signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____
Signature indicates evaluator assignment/readiness to register. MM DD YYYY

Office Use Only

SDIS approved? Yes No - Provide rationale/suggestions for revision, and return form to the student listed. Cost center # _____



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Resource Materials

List the resources you intend to use (title, author, etc) and indicate the type of resource.

_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Book	<input type="checkbox"/> Journal/Magazine
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_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Book	<input type="checkbox"/> Journal/Magazine
_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Book	<input type="checkbox"/> Journal/Magazine

If other, describe below. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Learning Outline

List topics to be addressed in this independent study. Attach additional sheets as necessary.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

Learning Strategies

How will you apply your knowledge? Write your statement below. Attach additional sheets as necessary.
