

Supervised Independent Study approval form for Slavic Languages and Literatures, Graduate Program

*Students must ensure full completion of the form and obtain required signatures.
Bring completed form to the Graduate Student Affairs Office for course control numbers.*

SEMESTER: _____

YEAR: _____

NAME: _____ SID: _____

EMAIL: _____ PHONE#: _____

Home Department (if not a graduate student in Slavic): _____

COURSE #: _____ SEC#: _____ CCN: _____

Proposed topic:

INSTRUCTOR: _____ # of Units? ____ Letter grade? ____ S/U only? ____
Required for the final grade—either letter or S/U (*to be stated by instructor*):

Signature of Student Date

Signature of Instructor Date

The guidelines for eligibility and units of supervised independent courses are noted below.

SL 298. Special Study for Graduate Students. (2-8 units) *May be taken Letter Graded or S/U.* (3 units required if course is to count toward the Research Paper requirement for Ph.D. degree). Preliminary exploration of a restricted field involving research and requiring a written report. Two units of 298 will be included on graduate study lists for: audited classes if the student attends regularly and writes a short paper; upper-division (100 level) classes where additional written work and consultations with the instructor are required; Research Assistants whose tasks involve research learning experiences.

SL 299. Dissertation Writing. (2-12 units) *Must be taken S/U.* Post advancement to candidacy units reserved for students directly engaged in doctoral dissertation research and writing. Course may be repeated for credit.

SL 310. Internship in the Teaching of Literature/Linguistics. (1-2 units) *Must be taken S/U.* One 2-hour conference per week. Weekly meetings with the instructor/supervisor. Discussion of course aims, syllabus preparation, lecture and assignment planning, grading, and related matters. Students may prepare a representative portion of the work for such a course (e.g., lecture outline and assignments for a course segment) and may participate in presentation of the material and in evaluation of samples of student work.

SL 601/602. Individual Study for Master's/Doctoral Exams. (2-8 units) *Must be taken S/U.* Preparation for MA or PhD comprehensive (or in some cases, language) examination. Units do not meet unit or residence requirements for the MA or Ph.D. program however they do count toward minimum units per semester required by the registrar. Maximum of 8 units per semester; no student may accumulate more than a total of 16 units of 600-series courses.