Department of Rhetoric

APPLICATION FOR SUPERVISED INDEPENDENT STUDY
RHETORIC 199 (1-3 UNITS)

Name: ____________________________ SID: ____________________________

Course Number: ______ Units: ______ Major: ____________________________

Semester/Year: ______ Email address: ____________________________

Signature: ________________________________________________________

Please state your reasons for wanting to enroll in a Supervised Independent Study:

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Attach a detailed description of your proposed topic of study and your most recent grades. A bear facts
grade printout will be sufficient. Include how you intend to do your topic, the manner of final
presentation, proposed basis of grade, etc.

Rhetoric 199’s may only be taken on a pass/not pass basis and may not be used for the major.

Course control numbers for this class will be given to the student when this form has been signed by the
instructor, faculty adviser and presented to the Undergraduate Adviser by the end of the third week of
class.

Number of units: ______ Instructor name: ____________________________

Date: _______________ Instructor Signature: ____________________________

Date: _______________ Faculty Adviser Signature: _______________________

In this course an individual student does an independent study, under the supervision of an instructor, of a
special topic that otherwise cannot be accommodated in the usual course offerings. Proposed projects of
Supervised Independent Study must fall within the purview of the Department’s interests and capabilities.
Specifically, this means that topics must be concerned with the area of traditional rhetorical study: the
communication relationships among speaker/writer, text, and audience.

Prerequisites for registration in Rhetoric 199 are: Upper-Class standing (60 or more units) and an overall
Grade Point Average of at least 3.00. This course must be taken on a Pass/Not Pass basis only. The
student must register for 1-3 units. All work for the course must be completed and submitted to the
supervising instructor no later than the last day of instruction for the semester. Failure to do so will result
in a grade of Not Pass. This course may not be used to satisfy requirements for the Rhetoric Major. The
total units in 199 courses in all departments for any one semester may not exceed four units.

For departmental use only:

Course Control Number: __________________ Section/Number: __________________ Class Entry Code: ____________________________