



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY  
College of Education

**Approval Form for Directed Independent Study or Supervised Research**

Students may enroll for a Directed Independent Study (DIS) or a Supervised Research Course for the purpose of working individually with a faculty member on a topic. The student negotiates the topic and related requirements with the supervising professor.

DIS and Supervised Research hours are graded on a Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory basis.

*Please note: Form fields must be typed. Incomplete or unsigned forms will not be accepted.*

To register for DIS or Supervised Research hours, students must:

- 1) Negotiate the topic and requirements with the faculty member who will supervise the work
- 2) Fill out this form and obtain the faculty member's signature
- 3) Submit the form to the departmental staff member to obtain a reference code with which to register

Semester:     \_\_\_ Spring     \_\_\_ Summer     \_\_\_ Fall                     Year \_\_\_\_\_

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ EMPLID \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

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DIS Course Title \_\_\_\_\_

Course Prefix and Number \_\_\_\_\_ Course Credits \_\_\_\_\_

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Supervised Research Course Title \_\_\_\_\_

Course Prefix and Number \_\_\_\_\_ Course Credits \_\_\_\_\_

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Nature of DIS or Supervised Research (e.g., reading literature, conducting research):

Anticipated Product (e.g., paper, summary of activities, progress report):

Due Date of Product for Submission of S/U Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Supervising Professor Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Supervising Professor Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Department Chair Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_