



## INDEPENDENT STUDY PROPOSAL FORM

**Only qualified juniors or seniors majoring or minoring in Theatre, Dance or Dramatic Literature may register for TRDA 196, Independent Study.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

- Major       Minor  
 Junior       Senior
- Theatre       Dance       Dramatic Literature

Total Credit Hours Earned at the Beginning of Independent Study: \_\_\_\_\_

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

- Course:     TRDA 196 Independent Study (Undergraduate)
- TRDA 294 Independent Study (Graduate)

Number of Credit Hours ( 1-6 ) \_\_\_\_\_

Supervising Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please attach a typed, double spaced description of the proposed project. Include information concerning: 1) What you intend to do, 2) The methods you will use to accomplish your intentions, and 3) What the final result of the project will be, i.e., paper, presentation, etc.

Student's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Dramatic Lit Program Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
*(only required for a Dramatic Literature Major's Senior Capstone Experience)*

Chair's Approval \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Instructions for Independent Study Credit in Theatre & Dance

1. Meet with the faculty advisor who will be supervising you on your Independent Study to discuss your proposal.
2. Complete an **Independent Study Proposal Form**.
3. Attach to the proposal form a detailed description of your independent study plan, including any written assignments or other parameters for grading. **This description will take the place of a traditional course syllabus and should include all relevant details as such.**
4. Sign your Proposal Form and submit it to your supervising faculty advisor for approval/signature.
5. Once your advisor has signed the proposal form, bring it to the TRDA Main Office for the Department Chair's approval/signature. (*Note that Dramatic Literature Majors who want this independent study to count for their senior capstone must also obtain approval from the Chair of the Dramatic Literature committee.*)
6. Once the Department Chair has signed off on your proposal, complete a *Standard Registration Transaction Form* (not an EZ-Form) to officially register for Independent Study credit. *Registration Transaction Forms (RTFs)* are available in the TRDA Main Office and should be signed by the Department Chair (as opposed to your faculty advisor).
7. Hand your completed *Registration Transaction Form* in to the front desk of the Columbian College Dean's Office in Phillips #107.