

Special Course Contract

Fall
Spring
Summer

(year)

Name: _____ PID#: _____

Check one

Independent Study

Tutorial

Assistantship

2997 - Lower level

2996 - Lower level

VIS3920 - Artist Assistant

3997 - Upper level

3996 - Upper level

3998 - Undergraduate Learning Assistant

5997 - MFA/MA level

5996 - MFA/MA level

VIS5870 - Graduate Teaching Assistant

Number of Credits to be earned

Number of contact hours between faculty and student

Total number of hours to be spent on outside/independent work by student

See reverse side for credit and contact hour information

Title of Special Project or Course: (Only 32 characters, including spaces) _____

Description of this Special Course: _____

Goals to be attained through this project: _____

Methods for evaluating work, performance or competencies: _____

Signature of student: _____ Date _____

Signature of sponsor: _____ Date _____

Print Sponsor Name: _____

Prefix & Course Number:

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Independent Study and Learning Assistantship: One credit should represent the equivalent of 37½ hours of student academic activity, i.e.: A 4 credit course might include a one hour meeting every other week (7 contact hours) plus 143 hours of independent work.

Tutorial Study: Tutorial study is study which is given initial faculty guidance followed by repeated, regularly scheduled student conferences with periodic as well as final evaluation of student performance. One credit should be assigned for each 15 contact hours of regularly scheduled instructional sessions. Students would then be expected to complete at least two hours of outside work for each contact hour.

The amount of credit agreed upon at the time of registration is the amount of credit to be awarded at the end of the semester. Credit may not be reduced at the end of the semester due to only partial fulfillment of the special course. Likewise, credits may not be increased.