

University of Florida
Department of Agricultural Education and Communication
Application for Individual Study

Students desiring to register for an independent study must complete this form, following approval by the supervising faculty member **before** the independent study begins. Approval must be received no later than the last day of the drop/add period for the term in which registration occurs. Failure to do so will result in the student being dropped from the course.

Student/supervisor conferences are a requirement in an independent study course. The first conference should be scheduled no later than the third week of class. Additional conferences for guidance must be scheduled throughout the term.

Student's Personal Data

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Major or specialization: _____

College/classification (ex: 1AG, 2AG...): _____

UFID: _____

Independent Study Information

Course number: ___ AEC 4905 ___ AEC 6905 ___ Other _____

Number of credits: _____

Semester/Year of independent study: ___ Fall ___ Spring ___ Summer ___ Year

Faculty supervisor: _____

Student/Supervisor Conference Dates

Please confirm the dates when a student/supervisor conference will take place.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Due date of study/project: _____

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Approvals

Student: _____

Date: _____

Supervisor: _____

Date: _____

Description of Study/Project

Please provide a typed description of the study/project. The description should include much of the information outlined below.

1. Study/project title
2. Background
 - a. Nature of the study/project
 - b. Need for the study/project
 - c. Purpose/objectives (What does the student expect to accomplish?)
3. Review of related literature (if appropriate)
4. Description of study/project and procedures the student will follow. Example procedures to follow may include the following:
 - a. Data collection procedure
 - b. Outline for final report
 - c. Summary, conclusions, recommendations
 - d. Costs/budget
 - e. Timeline