

FILM PRODUCTION Independent Study Request Form

Undergraduate

FMPR 448 Independent Study I (3 credits)
FMPR 449 Independent Study II (3 credits)

Prerequisites for FMPR 448: 24 credits completed in FMPR, written permission of the School of Cinema and a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.5

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Independent studies offer a limited number of students the opportunity to pursue advanced production and/or research under the supervision of a full-time Cinema faculty member. The study workload should be equivalent to a 3-credit course in the FMPR program (45 hours per credit = **135 hours**). Independent Studies may not duplicate curriculum offerings.

GUIDELINES

- Attach a 2-page description of the project that clearly states the nature of the production and/or research to be undertaken, including a provisional list of your production/research projections (i.e. filmography, bibliography) and a work schedule including the number of meetings with your Advisor, film(s) and/or number of assignments to be submitted, expected scope/length of each and dates of submission.
- Attach a copy of your current unofficial transcript/student record.
- Submit all documents to the Cinema Office (FB 319) no later than 7 calendar days before the drop-add deadline (second Monday after classes begin) in the term you are requesting the course.

Number of meetings with advisor: _____

Course Start Date: _____

Course Completion Date: _____

Student Name _____

ID _____ Email Address _____

Have you previously completed a Professional Internship or Independent Study? Yes / No

Number of credits previously earned for Professional Internships and Independent Studies:

FMPR 445 _____ FMPR 446 _____ FMPR 447 _____ FMPR 448 _____ FMPR 449 _____

***NOTE:** Students cannot exceed a total of 9 combined credits between internships and independent studies. Students WILL NOT receive credit past the maximum number of credits allowed.*

I am requesting registration Independent Study Course Number (choose one):

(check one): FMPR 448 ___ FMPR 449 ___

(check one): Term: fall ___ winter ___ summer term 1 ___ summer term 2 ___

Section _____ Year _____

APPROVALS

Student (print name) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Faculty Supervisor (print name) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

FMPR UPD (print name) _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Chair (print name) _____

Signature _____ Date _____