

**LEGAL WRITING REQUIREMENT
INDEPENDENT STUDY PERMISSION FORM**

NAME _____ **PS#** _____

Email _____ **Year in School** _____

I hereby request permission to register for a **one / two credit (circle number of credits)**

Independent Study under the supervision of Professor _____ for the _____ semester of Academic Year _____ for fulfillment of my upper level Legal Writing Requirement. *Please note that under our new Credit Hour Calculation Policy, a paper or series of papers must equal or exceed twenty double spaced pages (no more than one inch margins) to constitute a single credit of work. A paper or series of papers must equal or exceed thirty double spaced pages (no more than one inch margins) to constitute two credits of work.*

Following is a brief description of the subject of my study:

I understand that (i) I must adhere to any and all draft and final submission deadlines imposed on my work by the supervising faculty member, (ii) the paper will not satisfy the writing requirement unless the final draft receives a grade of at least a "B-", (iii) I must submit the final paper no later than 12:00 noon on the last day of the current examination period, and (iv) it must be of sufficient length to satisfy the Credit Hour Calculation policy. Failure to complete my study or to submit my paper on time will result in the denial of credit for the work and the necessity to undertake another Legal Writing Requirement project.

Student Signature

Date

APPROVED: _____

Supervising Faculty Member

Date

APPROVED: _____

Associate Dean

Date