

## APPLICATION FOR INDEPENDENT UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH OR CREATIVE INVESTIGATION COURSE CREDIT

Date:		Student ID #		
Student Name	Last	First	Middle	
Class Level: (Check On Freshman	e) Sophomore	Junior	Senior	
Semester: Fall	Spring Semester	Year		
Department Number of Credit Hours			Hours	
Course Number and Title				
Student's Signature			Date	
Instructor Name (please p	rint)			
Instructor's Signature			Date	
Department Chair Name	(please print)			
Department Chair's Signa	ature		Date	

For a description of independent undergraduate research or creative investigation course credit see reverse side of this form. Registration on drop/add form must accompany this form.



## INDEPENDENT UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH OR CREATIVE INVESTIGATION COURSE CREDIT DESCRIPTION

<u>Course description</u>: Students collaborate with faculty mentors on an ongoing faculty research project or conduct an independent project under the guidance of a faculty member. This directed undergraduate research or creative investigation will culminate in a conference presentation, journal article, or other creative/scholarly project.

A uniform course number has been established to designate participation in independent undergraduate research/creative activities across all departments in RCAS. For example: Dept195 (e.g., PSYC195, ART195, etc.) is used for first year students participating in independent undergraduate research/creative investigations. A similar course is offered for sophomore level credit (Dept295), junior level credit (Dept395), and senior level credit (Dept495). Each course can be completed for variable credit hours (1-3) and can be repeated for two semesters. Student must obtain prior approval from a faculty mentor before they can register for any of these independent research courses