

**University of Colorado at Boulder**  
**Department of English**  
**Graduate Study Contract**

The Independent Study Contract must be completed by the petitioning student, approved by the professor and submitted to the Associate Chair for Graduate Studies for final approval **NO LATER THAN THE SECOND WEEK OF THE SEMESTER**. Independent Study cannot fulfill a requirement unless that requirement is not being offered or available within the year that the student finishes. The agreed-upon project must show an adequate amount of coursework for the credit hours requested.

**Student Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First M.I.

Independent Study hours already completed: \_\_\_\_\_

**Course Information**

1. Please check ONE independent study course number and indicate the number of credit hours (1-3) you are requesting.

\_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 5849. Indep Study (Master's students) Credit Hrs: \_\_\_\_\_ Sem/Year: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 7849. Indep Study (PhD students) Credit Hrs: \_\_\_\_\_ Sem/Year: \_\_\_\_\_

2. If any person other than the student will be involved in the independent study project, please provide: \_\_\_\_\_

Name Address Phone

3. Describe the proposed project answering all items on the reverse side of this form. Attach as a separate, typed document if necessary.

**Your signature means you have read the procedures and policies for the Department of English Independent Study Contract.**

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved by:**  
Faculty Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
PRINT NAME

Associate Chair for Graduate Studies \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Enrollment completed by:**  
Graduate Assistant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **Proposed Independent Study Project**

**Describe the course and indicate why this proposed project is important to your work:**

**Bibliography:**

**Expected Outcome:**

(Discuss the readings, papers of certain length, oral examination, etc. you will complete)

**Time Frame for the completion of the project:**

The minimum expectation per hour of credits is 25 hours of work on the project. This is required by the Colorado Commission on Higher Education (CCHE). Please provide an explanation of the time frame for completion of the project which should include the date of the first conference, future conferences, and **most importantly, when the project is due.**