1. Will this course revision affect a current program?  
   □ Yes  X No  
   If "yes", has a Program Revision Form been submitted concurrently?  
   □ Yes  □ No

2. Teaching Department:  
   GEOG

3. Administering Faculty/Unit:  
   SCIENCE

4. Campus  
   (Downtown, Macdonald, Off Campus, Distance Ed, Other – specify)  
   DOWNTOWN

5. Effective Term of Implementation  
   (Ex. Sept. 2004 = 200409)  
   Term: 200605
   □ Retirement

6. Responsible Instructor:

7. Credit Weight  
   (or CEU's for non-credit CE courses):
   3
   Old Credit Weight or CEU's (if applicable):
   3

8. Course Number(s)  
   Indicate course number & the number of terms spanned: (tick all that apply)
   Subject/course number: GEOG 490, 490D1, 490D2
   Course(s) Span:
   □ 1 term
   □ 2 consecutive terms (D1, D2)
   X 2 non-consecutive terms (N1, N2)
   □ 3 consecutive terms (J1, J2, J3)

9. Number Change From:

10. Consolidation of Courses:

11. Split of Multi-Term Course:

12. Course Title (Limit 30 char.) - required for all courses.
   Geography: Independent Studies
   Old Course Title (if applicable)
   Geography: Independent Studies

13. Course Title to Appear in the Calendar (Optional)  
   (Limit 59 characters):  
   Note: This can ONLY be an expansion of word(s) abbreviated in the 30 character course title in Box 12.

14. Rationale for revised course

   Restrictions limiting this course to U3 students in the Geography Major are being removed to increase the number and variety of opportunities for undergraduate research by all students enrolled in Geography programs and those interested in Geography. The revised course description highlights that the course is appropriate for the DMURL (Dean's Multidisciplinary Undergraduate Research List).

15. New Course Description  
   (as it will appear in the Calendar [maximum 50 words]):  
   (N.B. Faculty of Medicine must append complete course outline)
   Research project permitting independent study under the guidance of a staff member specializing in the field of interest.

16. Old Course Description  
   (may be found in the Calendar or Banner)
   Research or reading projects permitting independent study under the guidance of a staff member specializing in the field of interest.
17. Supplementary information to appear in the Calendar in addition to the course description. Such as: equivalent course(s), contact hours, enrolment limitations, language of instruction etc. Please enter the information as it should appear in the calendar notes.

Before registration a project must be arranged with an instructor and a plan for the independent studies approved by the Department.

18. Schedule Types(s):
(Enter all that apply – see course guidelines for a complete list.)

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19. Projected Enrolment:

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20. Revised Prerequisite(s) (Courses or Tests) (in full)
Specify course number(s) or name(s) of test(s):

Permission of instructor and completion of 30 credits of courses at the 200-level or above.

If the student does not have a prerequisite should web registration be blocked?

☐ Yes    ☐ No

If “Yes” complete A and B:

A. Indicate minimum grade or test score(s) the student must attain in prerequisite course(s) or test(s):

B. Can the prerequisite course(s) or test(s) be taken in the same term as this course?

☐ Yes    ☐ No

Old prerequisite course number(s) or test score title(s) (if applicable)

Open to U3 Geography Major students only.

21. Revised Corequisite(s) Course Number(s) (in full):
Specify course number(s):

If the student does not register for the corequisite in the same term should web registration be blocked?

☐ Yes    ☐ No

Old corequisite(s) course numbers (if applicable):

22. Revised Restriction(s):

Old Restriction(s):

23. Additional Course Charges (must be approved by the Fee Policy Committee)
Description of Fee (e.g. screening fee) Amount

24. Requires Teaching, Physical, or Financial Resources
Not Currently Available (attach explanation)

☐ Yes    ☐ No

25. Consultation Reports Attached

☐ Yes    ☐ N/A
### INFORMATION FOR ADMISSIONS, RECRUITMENT & REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

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