

Undergraduate Independent Study Petition
Energy, Environmental and Chemical Engineering Department
Washington University in St. Louis

Independent Study petitions are generally considered in the semester preceding the independent study experience. Registration for an independent study will not be approved after the last day to add a class in that semester. Students should be aware that there are a maximum number of Independent Study credits that can be counted towards course credit for degree requirements as detailed in the footnote below.

All registrations for Independent Study must have *prior* approval of a faculty sponsor and the student's faculty advisor.

Specify course number¹ and section number²:

<input type="checkbox"/> E44 EECE 100 Independent Study	Section _____
<input type="checkbox"/> E44 EECE 200 Independent Study	Section _____
<input type="checkbox"/> E44 EECE 300 Independent Study	Section _____
<input type="checkbox"/> E44 EECE 400 Independent Study	Section _____

Name: _____

Email: _____

Student ID: _____

Phone: _____

Degree Program:

Chemical Engineering (BChE)
 Environmental Engineering (BEnvE)
 Applied Science (Chemical Engineering)
 Other (please specify): _____

Requested Semester: Fall Spring Summer Year: _____

Is this course intended to replace a required (core) course? Yes No

If yes, which course? _____

Why can't the regular course be taken?

¹ Course numbers should be chosen based on your year of study when the course will be taken (e.g., students in their second year should choose EECE 200). For dual degree students, choose according to your class level (e.g., first year dual degree students should choose EECE 300). Only upper-level independent studies (i.e., EECE 300 and higher) can be counted towards the requirement for Chemical or Environmental Engineering Electives because these projects will presumably draw upon engineering principles learned in lecture courses or on advanced science backgrounds. First and second year students may enroll in EECE 300 only with extenuating circumstances and must justify why upper division credit should be awarded. **Up to six units total from EECE 300 and 400 can be counted towards the electives requirements.**

² Each faculty sponsor has their own section number which can be found in the course listings.

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Complete the sections below or attach separate pages that provide the information for each of the five sections.

A. Summary of the independent study:

B. Learning objectives of the independent study:

C. Methodology to be used in conducting the independent study:

D. Criteria for measuring the degree to which learning objectives are met (i.e., how will a grade be assessed):

E. Schedule criteria (meeting requirements, project milestones, etc.):

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Signatures and Approvals

Student

Signature of Petitioning Student

Printed Name of Student

EECE Faculty Sponsor Approved ____

Disapproved ____

Date _____

Signature of EECE Faculty Sponsor

Printed Name of EECE Faculty Sponsor

Student's Faculty Advisor Approved ____

Disapproved ____

Date _____

Signature of Student's Advisor

Printed Name of Student's Advisor

Program Director Approved ____

Disapproved ____

Date _____

Signature of Program Director

Janie Brennan

Printed Name of Program Director

Number of Approved Units