



V i r g i n i a C o m m o n w e a l t h U n i v e r s i t y

HONORS INDEPENDENT STUDY PROPOSAL (HONR 492)

Date submitted: _____ Student name: _____

Major: _____ V#: _____

Classification: _____ Number of honors credits completed: _____

Instructor: _____ Dept: _____

Instructor email: _____ Instructor phone: _____

Semester: _____ Number of proposed credit hours: _____

On a separate piece of paper, submit a typed proposal with the following information:

Description of the Plan of Study:

Explain how this independent study will meet the standards of an honors-level course. Provide a comprehensive description of the topic or problem to be examined. Include a detailed outline describing work to be completed, such as research, field investigations, written assignments, online journaling, etc. Clearly indicate the topics, lengths, etc. of all assignments.

Evaluation Criteria:

Provide a detailed breakdown of how assignments will be evaluated and what percentage of final grade each will comprise.

Scheduled Meeting Time(s):

Indicate how often and how much time will be scheduled to meet with the instructor individually (i.e. MWF from 11:00-11:50 a.m.).

****NOTE: Student and instructor must initial each separate page of attached documentation.**

Signature of student _____

Signature of instructor _____

Signature of honors advisor _____

Signature of honors dean _____

Date approved _____