

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAM

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

California State University, Fullerton

APPLICATION PSYC 599, INDEPENDENT GRADUATE RESEARCH

Date _____ Semester _____

Student Name _____ CWID# _____

Address _____ Telephone _____

City _____ Zip _____ E-mail _____

Independent Research is under the direction of a faculty member. You may only register for a maximum of 6 units of PSYC 599, Independent Research, a semester. Please consult the Graduate Office (H 835N) regarding registering for PSYC 599 during Summer Sessions.

3 UNITS OF PSYC 599 are required for the MS Study Plan

Three hours each week will be required for one (1) unit of PSYC 599 credit. For three (3) units of credit a student should expect to work a minimum of nine hours a week on the project. Regular contact should be made with the supervising professor.

Students should contact the professor the semester prior to the semester they plan to enroll in PSYC 599, Independent Graduate Research.

Supervising Professor _____

Number of Units _____

Schedule Number _____

Application Deadline: by the second week of each semester

Title of Independent Graduate Research Project:

Activities Anticipated in Project (check all that Apply)

- Collect data from animal subjects
 - Collect data from human subjects (face to face)
 - Construct a survey instrument based on literature review
 - Construct an annotated bibliography of selected references
 - Create graphical displays of data
 - Create poster displays for presentations
 - Create tabular displays for data
 - Devise Internet data collection procedures
 - Devise test instrument/survey items
 - Do literature search on selected topic(s)
 - Do phone data collections
 - Enter data for later statistical analyses
 - Perform statistical data analyses
 - Read/analyze book(s)
 - Read/analyze journal article(s)
 - Write paper summarizing literature review
 - Other (specify below)
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Basis for Final Evaluation (check all that apply):

- Paper (estimated length: pages)
 - Project (describe below)
 - Exam (describe below)
 - Performance (specify below)
 - Other (specify below)
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Student Signature

Supervising Faculty Member Signature

Graduate Program Coordinator Signature