MIS PROGRAM:
APPLICATION FOR D601 as INDEPENDENT STUDY

Student Name: _______________________________ ID# ______________________

Instructor: ________________________________ Semester & Year _____________

Instructor’s Signature: _______________________ Date _________________

Student’s Signature: _________________________ Date _________________

GENERAL FORMAT OF D601

• START: Student has identified area of interest or general research idea

• END: Student will have well-defined and researched thesis proposal
  o Two chapters of thesis:
    (1) Literature review
    (2) Method or plan of work
  o Knowledge of relevant research ethics
  o Thesis committee members identified
  o Signed thesis proposal form submitted to director

• FORMAT:
  o Taken as a course with other students taught by the MLS Director, or
  o Taken as independent study with a member of the thesis committee

• RECOMMENDED TEXT:
    Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

• REQUIRED
  o One meeting of the entire thesis committee with the student to discuss the thesis
    proposal.

Instructor’s Signature: _______________________________ Date _________________

Student's Signature: _______________________________ Date _________________

Please return this form to the Director of Interdisciplinary Studies
(A copy will be sent to the instructor & the student upon approval)

Approved: _______________________________________ Date _________________

Director of Interdisciplinary Studies

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