Registration Request for an Honors Project or Independent Study

Instructions:
A student who wishes to register for an honors project or independent study should:

- fill in this form,
- obtain the project director’s signature on the form, and
- submit the completed form to the Office of the Registrar no earlier than the first day of Round 1 registration and no later than the last day of Add/Drop II course registration.

Why must this form be submitted on paper?
In Polaris, separate honors project and independent study course sections are created for each project director. These sections are built only as we determine they are needed.

Student Name: __________________________________________

Bowdoin ID Number: _______________  Semester: _______________

Subject Area of Independent Study: ____________________________

Level/Type of Independent Study:

☐ Intermediate Independent Study  ☐ Intermediate Collaborative Study
☐ Advanced Independent Study  ☐ Advanced Collaborative Study
☐ Check here if you are seeking Departmental Honors with this project

Honors Project/Independent Study Course Number: ___________

When the subject area of the independent study is Earth and Oceanographic Science, Government, or History, the course number must be obtained from the appropriate academic department coordinator and filled in here. For all other subjects, the course number may be left blank as long as the level is identified above; in this case, the Office of the Registrar will assign the appropriate number.

Note about Honors Projects: If a student, in consultation with a department, intends to pursue honors, the student will register for an appropriate honors project course number, 4050 – 4079. If a department determines that a project does not meet the standards for honors, the course number(s) for one or two semesters of independent study will be changed to 4000 – 4028.

Brief Description of Independent Study Project:

Printed Name of Project Director: ________________________________

Signature of Project Director: __________________________________

If a project director is currently off campus or on leave, intent/consent to serve as a project director may be sent to registrar@bowdoin.edu through email in lieu of a signature on this form.

☐ Project Director will send an email in lieu of a signature.

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