Geography 491: Capstone Experience in Geography

Objective: The objective of the capstone experience is to provide an independent project for senior-level students, applying geographic theory and techniques to a topic of geographic interest beyond the limits of the regular curriculum. This one-credit course is open to majors or non-majors with appropriate preparation, including G309 and G311. The course may be taken alone or concurrently with another course.

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Course G491 Sect.#__________ Semester____________________________
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Student Section: This is your contract for completing this course. This document will be kept on file in the geography office. In order to receive credit, you must adhere to the program designed by you and the instructor. This proposal must be approved by the department chair and will be circulated for comments by other full-time faculty.

If taken concurrently with another course, give the course number and title.

Briefly explain what specific topic you plan to explore for the capstone experience and the form your final project will take (paper, video, poster, PowerPoint presentation).

How will this experience provide valuable experience for you that cannot be achieved in regular course work?

Note: all general rules regarding academic behavior, misconduct and plagiarism, as outlined in the SLA handbook, apply to this course

Signatures: Obtain signatures 1-3 before turning in to the geography office.

1)___________________________________________________ _________________________
   Student ________________________________ Date

3)___________________________________________________ _________________________
   IUPUI Instructor ____________________ Date

4)___________________________________________________ _________________________
   Department Chair ____________________ Date

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