

MS Independent Study Proposal Form

Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
College of Engineering, Boston University



Student Name: _____ **BU ID Number:** _____

Supervising Instructor's Name (in print): _____ **Department:** _____

Semester and Year of Registration (circle one): Fall Spring Summer **Year:** _____

Proposed Number of Credits: _____

Brief summary of directed study/independent work:

(e.g., to conduct research in the field of..., to prepare a thesis on..., to design a..., to fulfill requirements for [course #] independently, to study [subject matter] independently, etc.

Attach detailed summary of directed study/independent work:

A one page proposal or detailed summary of goals, signed and dated by your supervising instructor must be attached to this form. The proposal includes the following components:

1. Clear and precise problem statement
2. Summary of prior work by others as reported in the relevant literature
3. Approaches to be used in carrying out the project
4. Plan and schedule

Undergraduate students must include how their work will be evaluated/assessed and graded (e.g., Project, paper, etc.).

Student's Signature _____

Supervising Instructor's Signature _____

ECE Department Use Only:

Master's Committee Approval _____ **Date** _____
