

# Petition for an Exception to a Liberal Studies Requirement

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The published list of approved Liberal Studies courses expresses the university's best judgment about appropriate ways of meeting Liberal Studies goals. Ordinarily there are no exceptions or substitutions. Students are responsible for knowing and completing requirements. Exceptions may be considered only in extreme or unusual circumstances and may be granted only if alternate coursework substantially fulfills the criteria for the Liberal Studies category. (See LS website <http://www.iup.edu/page.aspx?id=113308> criteria.)

Since Special Topics courses are considered experimental, such courses should not be substituted for Liberal Studies requirements. Any petition to substitute 281/481 for a Liberal Studies requirement MUST have prior review by the Director of Liberal Studies.

(Student's Name) \_\_\_\_\_ (Banner ID Number) \_\_\_\_\_

(Student's Address) \_\_\_\_\_

(Student's Major) \_\_\_\_\_ (Adviser) \_\_\_\_\_

LIBERAL STUDIES CATEGORY for Which Exception Is Being Sought: (check those that apply)

English Composition     Mathematics    Humanities:  History     Literature     Philosophy/Religious Studies  
 Fine Arts    Natural Sciences:  Lab     Non-Lab     Social Sciences     Dimensions of Wellness     Elective  
 Global and Multicultural Awareness     Writing-Intensive    Other: \_\_\_\_\_

NUMBER/TITLE OF ALTERNATE COURSE(S):

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