

Directed Study Planning Worksheet

1) What is the compelling question or idea?

- From what field of study is the topic derived?
- What is interesting about this topic?
- What theories and concepts from your concentration areas will you engage?

2) What are the main goals of this project?

- How will research be conducted?
- What resources are needed?
- How many sources will you analyze?

3) How often will you meet with Faculty Member, and kind of support do you anticipate you will need?

- When, where, and how many times each semester will you meet?
- How will meeting agendas be determined?
- What will the goals of these meetings be?

4) What are your goals for the meetings? Outline the semester timeline with goals and milestones.

- Develop a schedule of internal due dates.
- Decide on format and style for the written component.
- Discuss review periods for each draft of your work.
- Determine a timeframe for your final product.
