

## History of Art: Honors Thesis Application Form

Applications are due to the Director of Undergraduate Studies by April 15 (for those wishing to pursue a thesis the following Fall) or November 15 (for those wishing to pursue a thesis in the following Spring).

Name of Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Graduating Month and Year: \_\_\_\_\_

JHU Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

The honors thesis is a 20-25 page paper built on the foundation of a final paper undertaken in a 400-level seminar in a semester prior to the thesis semester. The thesis will include a formal presentation, at the Undergraduate Research Day (for Spring theses) or another designated time (Fall theses). Students enroll in the three-credit course 010.521 while writing the thesis. These credits are in addition to the courses required by the major. A full draft of the thesis is due by the end of October (Fall) or the end of March (Spring), if the student wants to be listed as receiving honors in the commencement program. The final version of the thesis is due to the faculty mentor on the last day of classes for the semester during which the student has registered for 010.521.

Please indicate the course title, semester, faculty member, and grade earned for the 400-level seminar you plan to use as the basis of your thesis:

Course title: \_\_\_\_\_

Semester: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Earned: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed faculty thesis mentor

Note:

*You may propose to work with a different faculty member than the one who taught the 400-level seminar.*

*The department may assign mentorship to a different faculty member than proposed.*

Please attach to this form a document detailing the following:

- Proposed title of the thesis
- An abstract of approximately 250 words
- A plan for the completion of the thesis
  - *Include any research that needs to be pursued, as well as a timeline for writing that takes into consideration the departmental deadlines for the submission of the thesis (see above for dates).*
- A one- to two-page bibliography providing an overview of the scholarship to be consulted.

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Signature of Student / date

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Signature of Faculty supervisor / date

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Approval of the Director of Undergraduate Studies / date