

# ISP Application Form

**Due December 7, 2009 in Mrs. Gross' Office**

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

Name of ISP Faculty Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Regular Advisor \_\_\_\_\_

Beginning and ending dates of ISP \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Site Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Site Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Phone and email of Site Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Location of ISP if not at this site \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone number of Site Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

In a typed 1-2 page paper answer the following questions. Please put some thought into your response and conduct research as needed to answer the questions fully. **Your ISP Faculty Sponsor's signature indicates familiarity and approval of this part of your application.**

1. What is the overall plan for your Independent Study Project? (In your answer explain what you propose to do; where (name and place of company, trip, and program) you will work or conduct your ISP, and what kind of activities you will engage in during the two weeks?)

2. Why do you wish to participate in this ISP? How does it fit with your thoughts for your future? What long-term benefit do you expect to gain from this experience? **Please pay close attention to this section. Why you chose to do this particular ISP and what, specifically, you hope to gain from the experience is important in the review of your proposal.**

3. Who (name and position) is your Site Sponsor? In as much detail as possible, explain exactly what you will be doing during your ISP. How long will you work each day and who will work with you? Will you be working directly for the Site Sponsor or for someone else? If you will work for someone besides your Site Sponsor, please explain. **This is required.**

4. How would someone prepare for a job in this profession, what kind of education/training is necessary? What might you study at the undergraduate level? Will you need a graduate degree? Are there certain exams you must take to become certified? Are there alternate ways to gain access to a career in this field?

5. What are various related job options that you could consider with this training?

