

**GERMAN 197**  
**SENIOR HONORS THESIS APPLICATION**

Dept. of Germanic, Slavic, and Semitic Studies

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Quarter: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Perm number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Professor: \_\_\_\_\_

Overall G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_ Major G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_

Description:

Number of Units: \_\_\_\_\_

Meet with the instructor \_\_\_\_\_ hours per week    Meet with the instructor \_\_\_\_\_ hours per quarter

*Kindly remind your instructor that a copy of your final project must be filed in the main office.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student's signature      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Instructor's signature      Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chair's signature      Date

[For Department Use Only]: Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_

## Senior Honors Program in German

### REQUIREMENTS:

Students may request nomination for the senior honors program by filing an application form, or they may be nominated by faculty. Qualifying requirements include an overall grade-point average of at least 3.0, with 3.5 in the German major, and at least 105 units completed, including at least two upper-division courses in German.

### DESCRIPTION:

To earn departmental senior honors, students will work with a professor of choice for two quarters to complete a senior thesis, while receiving course credit for GER 197. (Quarter 1 of GER 197 will be a preparatory quarter, and the second quarter will consist of writing the thesis). No more than 4 units of 197 credit may be applied to the major requirements. Students who complete departmental honors will receive the notation of "Distinction in the Major" on both official transcripts and their diploma. Students interested in departmental honors should consult with the undergraduate advisor for German.

*For any questions please consult the Undergraduate Advisor for German:*

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