

LAS Global Scholars Capstone Form

This form is to verify that the academic content inherent in the student's capstone project is consistent with LAS Global Scholars program aims:

- "Global" means a phenomenon or force that is cross-cultural or even worldwide in scope. The nature of a global "phenomenon or force" could be historical, artistic, religious, scientific, political, economic, etc...
- The capstone project must be a semester-long student project that addresses a theme, problem, and/or topic tied to global considerations, broadly defined (see above).
- The exact nature of the project can take a variety of forms. These include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - Semester-long term paper, archival research, translation work, literary or philosophical analysis, a grant proposal to an external entity, cultural studies, interviews, media studies, creative writing and poetry, scientific laboratory work, field research, software design and/or application, survey research, and statistical or mathematical work

A capstone project is a "culminating experience that requires students nearing the end of their college years to create a project of some sort that integrates and applies what they've learned"(Source: Association of American Colleges & Universities). LAS Global Scholars capstone projects may be satisfied by an independent studies project, an honors thesis, or departmental capstone coursework (see the reverse side for relevant courses).

Please print:

Course: _____

Tentative title of capstone project: _____

Student name, major, and ID _____

Faculty advisor/Department _____

Student signature/date

Faculty signature/date

The content of the capstone project is consistent with the aims of the LAS Global Scholars Program:

LAS Global Scholars Director signature/date

Students seeking Capstone approval in their final term, must submit this form for review by March 1 for spring graduation, July 1 for summer graduation, or October 1 for fall graduation.

Capstone course grade must be "B" or better to satisfy LAS Global Scholars requirements.

Completed form must be returned to the LAS Dean's office, Bradley Hall, Room 226.

Eligible LAS Global Scholars Capstone Courses

<u>Departmental Capstone Courses in LAS</u>	<u>LAS Independent/Directed Studies</u>
ANT 402	BIO 385
AAS 400	BIO 480
BIO 490	BIO 485
CHM 480	CHM 499
CS 490	CS 498
CS 491	CIS 498
ENS 470	CJS 480
IS 495	ENG 495
HIS 450	HIS 406
HIS 451	I S 499
HIS 452	MTH 491
MTH 494	NEU 490
MTH 495	PHL 551
PHL 403	PHL 552
PHY 399	PHY399
PLS 491	PLS 485
PLS 492	PSY 481
PLS 493	PSY 491
PLS 494	SOC 491
PSY 400	SOC 492
RLS 497	S W 490
RLS 498	S W 499
SOC 450	WLF 495
S W 393	WLG 495
S W 395	WLS 495

Other

ENG 304

Note: Enrollment in these courses can only satisfy Global Scholars capstone requirements with faculty and Global Scholars approval (see above).

