

<u>Course Descriptions</u> Senior Independent Study Semester

NEW YORK

Required Course

GNYC 470 Independent Study Seminar (3 units, fall semester)

The Independent Study Seminar is an online course taken by all students during their Independent Study Semester. This course complements the Independent Research Project allowing students to share with fellow students progress on their projects, and to discuss topics relevant to their research such as ethical concerns, methodological choices and interdisciplinary associations. Readings will engage students in questions of theory and methodology.

Independent Research Project: Select 4, 5, OR 6 units (GYC 474 or GNYC 475 or GNYC 476)

GNYC 474 Independent Research Project (4 units, fall semester) Students have the opportunity to conduct an independent research project with guidance from their faculty advisor which must be approved to make sure it meets academic, health and safety criteria. The advisor and the student develop a learning plan for the semester and regular meetings take place to discuss the student's project. Students are expected to hand in written work on a regular basis. Students may not repeat the same course number for credit either in the same or in a different semester. Expected total course hours (activities and individual study and documentation): 45 hours per credit.

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GNYC 475 Independent Research Project (5 units, fall semester) Students have the opportunity to conduct an independent research project with guidance from their faculty advisor which must be approved to make sure it meets academic, health and safety criteria. The advisor and the student develop a learning plan for the semester and regular meetings take place to discuss the student's project. Students are expected to hand in written work on a regular basis. Students may not repeat the same course number for credit either in the same or in a different semester. Expected total course hours (activities and individual study and documentation): 45 hours per credit.

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GNYC 476 Independent Research Project (6 units, fall semester) Students have the opportunity to conduct an independent research project with guidance from their faculty advisor which must be approved to make sure it meets academic, health and safety criteria. The advisor and the student develop a learning plan for the semester and regular meetings take place to discuss the student's project. Students are expected to hand in written work on a regular basis. Students may not repeat the same course number for credit either in the same or in a different semester. Expected total course hours (activities and individual study and documentation): 45 hours per credit.

Independent Study

GNYC 472 - 499 Independent Study (variable units)

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Elective Course

GNYC 202 Strategies and Uses for Digital Communication. Fall 2014, online elective seminar for all LIU Global students (2 units)

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