

CHEMISTRY DEPARTMENT
Agreement for Credit

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH
Chem 390(WR), 391, 392, 491, 492

This form is required for students working with faculty outside the Chemistry Department and who seek course credit for Chem 390(WR), 391, 392, 491 or 492. The student must complete this form, obtain their Research Advisor's signature, and return this form to their Academic Advisor.

Student Name _____

Research Advisor _____

Department _____

Chem course number (circle): 390(WR) 391 392 491 492 Credit hours: _____

Brief Description of Project

Attach to this form a brief description (one-half to one page length) of the research to be performed. The project must primarily involve one of the primary divisions of Chemistry, including Analytical, Biochemistry, Inorganic, Organic or Physical. The project must involve the student in the actual research. For example, a role of routine data gathering without involvement in design and interpretation is not appropriate.

Follow-up

A paper of 2400 words is required to fulfill the WR requirement for Chem 390.

Otherwise, a short paper (2-3 pages) is required at the end of the project. If a publication or poster presentation results from the work (and in the allowed timeframe), then a copy of same will fulfill this requirement.

Student sign _____ Date _____

Research Advisor: Please sign and date for the following.

You approve this plan and you accept this student. At the end of the project, you agree to notify the student's Academic Advisor of completion and to provide information and/or recommendation for a grade. (Technically, the grade is assigned within the Chemistry Department. Your input is valuable to this process and greatly appreciated.) If this project falls under Chem 390(WR), then you agree to manage the writing component. This includes assessing the written work (in addition to the research work) and providing the student with feedback relevant to their writing skills.

Research Advisor sign _____