Area of Concentration

All English majors must finalize their area of concentration within the major before preregistration for their senior year. In order to do so, majors should meet with their advisors to fill out this form. Both student and advisor should sign it. Majors who do not submit this form before preregistration for senior year may be locked out of online preregistration for the following semester.

For your concentration, you must take four English courses at a 300- or 400-level that focus on a particular area of study within English-language literatures. Areas of concentration might entail a traditional historical and geographical field, a genre, or a thematic or theoretical category. Your area of concentration should be based on your own interests, but keep in mind that you will need to (1) find four 300- or 400-level courses that match it and (2) get approval from your advisor or the Director of Undergraduate Studies. (The Department website offers more guidance on organizing your area of concentration.)

My area of concentration within the English major is: ____________________________________________

I have taken the following courses that will fulfill that requirement of my concentration:

(Please include both course number and title.)

1. __________________________________________________________

2. __________________________________________________________

3. __________________________________________________________

4. __________________________________________________________

Also, in order to complete the concentration, I plan to take the following courses next year (if necessary):

1. __________________________________________________________

2. __________________________________________________________

3. __________________________________________________________

4. __________________________________________________________

How do these courses work together to constitute a concentration?

Name (please print): ___________________________________________ ID #: ______________________

Student signature: ____________________________________________ Date: ______________________

Advisor’s signature: __________________________________________ Date: ______________________

All forms will be reviewed by the DUS. DUS initials __________