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**Texas A&M University
Department of Agricultural Leadership,
Education & Communications**

**Graduate Students
Application for Enrollment in Directed Studies (685), Graduate Internship (684)
and Professional Study Course (693)**

Student Name: _____ UIN: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Course you wish to be enrolled in: 684 (max. 6 hours) 685 (max. 4 hours) 693 (max. 3 hours)

Semester: Fall Spring Summer I Summer II 10 week SS

Year:

Hours of credit:

1. Faculty member that has agreed to direct your study/internship:

2. The purpose of this Directed Studies/Internship/Professional Study is to (Describe briefly what you intend to do to receive credit for this course.):

3. Techniques proposed for completing this Directed Studies/Internship/Professional Study are (Describe briefly the steps, experiments, statistics, readings, observations, activities, procedures, or other outcomes to be accomplished):

I have read the general information included in this application.

Signature or Student

Signature of Faculty Member

Date

Printed Name of Faculty Member

Signature of Associate Head for Graduate Programs

Directed Studies/Professional Internship/Research/Professional Study

The University catalog describes Directed Studies/Professional Internship/Research/Professional Study courses as follows:

Directed Studies: Studies related to classroom, laboratory, supervised activities in agriculture, work experience, extension education and adult educational activities in agricultural programs.

Prerequisite: Approval of department head.

Professional Internship: An on-the-job supervised experience program conducted in the area of the student's specialization. **Prerequisite:** Graduate classification; approval of department head.

Research: Initiation and completion of research for advanced degree. **Prerequisite:** Approval of department head.

Professional Study: Approved professional study of project undertaken as the requirement for the Master of Agriculture. May be taken more than once, but not to exceed 3 hours toward a degree. **Prerequisite:** Graduate classification.

It is further understood that:

1) Individual consultation and agreement between the student and faculty member of the Directed Studies/Professional Internship/Research/Professional Study about the nature and conduct of such a course will precede the student's registering Directed Studies/Professional Internship/Research/Professional Study course.

2) The final, written report or product submitted by the student will be graded by the director of the Directed Studies/Professional Internship/Research/Professional Study course and a copy filed in the department.

3) Although clock hours are not absolute or limiting, a general guideline is to work approximately 45 clock hours for each semester hour of credit being sought for a Directed Studies/Professional Internship/Research/Professional Study course.

4) Deviations from the above conditions require approval of the Graduate Curriculum Committee. Prepare three copies for:

- Faculty member directing the study
- Student's record file
- Student