Individually Designed Concentration Proposal Form

Guidelines:
a. Courses selected for the concentration should reflect a coherence of study towards a thesis that brings together those studies.
b. Proposal should include course work, thesis committee and thesis topic.
c. The proposed concentration must have a minimum of 36 credits, 30 of which cannot be courses that the student is also counting as core courses.
d. **Proposals must be submitted by the end of the fall semester of the student's junior year, or three semesters before the student plans to graduate.**
e. Any necessary modifications to coursework after approval by the Curriculum Committee and the Faculty Assembly will need approval of the thesis advisor, Associate Dean and one Curriculum Committee member.

Note: All students are subject to the requirement of 45 credits of upper class courses. Students must submit the completed form to the Associate Dean, HC 133, who will then present the proposal to the curriculum committee for its approval.

Name: 

Email:

Z number:

Date:

Title of the proposed concentration:

Description of the concentration: (The description should identify how the proposed concentration concerns a coherent plan of study that is not addressed by existing concentrations)
Proposed coursework (Minimum of 36 credits including thesis):

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<th>Course Number</th>
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Thesis topic:

Thesis advisors:

Explain how the thesis is relevant to the coherent course of study:

Signature of Primary Concentration Advisor/Date:

Signature of Secondary Concentration Advisor/Date:

Student signature/Date:

---Do not write below this line---

Curriculum committee action:

------ Approved

------ Not approved (give reasons)

------ Approved by faculty (provide date of approval)

Submit to Associate Dean, HC 133, and retain copy for your records.