Pre-Approval to count a non-S&S Independent Study/Summer Research Experience toward the Genome Sciences & Policy Certificate

In order to earn a certificate in Genome Sciences & Policy, students must complete two approved semester-long independent study research experiences or one semester and one summer research experience. Lab-based projects should focus on the development and application of genetic, genomic, and/or computational approaches that utilize genomic information for humans, model organisms, or other species. Policy studies should focus on the impact of genome sciences and technology on human activity, policy, and/or society as a whole. More detailed information about the policies/procedures of independent studies may be found here. If you seek pre-approval to ensure that an independent study will meet the GSP certificate requirements, please fill out the form below, and email it to scienceandsociety@duke.edu.

Name: ___________________________  Date: _______________
Email: ___________________________  Student ID (not unique ID): ______________
Independent Study/Summer Research Experience Title: _____________________________________________
Department: _________________  Course #: ______________  Term / Year _________________
Supervising Faculty Member: _______________________  Academic Title: ________________________
Affiliation (dept or program): __________________________________________________________________
Instructor (if different from Supervising Faculty Member) ___________________________________________
Instructor Title and Affiliation: _________________________________________________________________
Please provide a 1-2 paragraph description of your Independent Study, including the topic, goals, and research.

Student Signature ___________________________  Date _________________
Supervising Faculty Signature ___________________________  Date _________________
Certificate Advisor Signature ___________________________  Date _________________