

GEOG 489: Independent Research in Geography
Supervisor-Student Agreement

This form must be submitted to the Geography Advisor for registration approval (advisor.geog@mcgill.ca) **at least three days before the add/drop deadline of the semester in question.** To avoid problems, however, it is highly advisable to make arrangements before the semester begins.

Complete the required information on both sides and attach a bibliography of relevant literature.

Instructor Name:

Date:

Email:

Student Name:

ID number:

Email (McGill email address only):

Major Program:

Term of Project (*e.g.*, Fall 2025):

Research Project Title:

Does this project require Research Ethics Board (REB) approval?

If yes, it is the supervisor's responsibility to obtain REB certification.

No

Yes

Does this project require Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS) training?

If yes, it is the supervisor's responsibility to ensure that the student has WHMIS certification.

No

Yes

Project Summary (50 - 100 words)

Summarize the aims and the methodology of the project and identify the research location.

Schedule of meetings

Normally the student and supervisor should meet on a regular basis, either in person or remotely, throughout the semester. In the space below, describe the schedule of meetings, *e.g.*

Monday, 1-

Method of Evaluation:

Describe the final research project to be evaluated and complete the table of deadlines. The deadline of the final project report must come before the end of the semester.

***Note that the final product (paper, report, etc.) may not be worth more than 70% of the total mark, and that some formal evaluation must be given before the end of the semester.**

Task	Percentage of course grade*	Date of deadline

