

**TRINITY COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES  
DUKE UNIVERSITY**

**INTERDEPARTMENTAL MAJOR PROPOSAL**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Student ID:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E--Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Proposal:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Expected Graduation Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Degree Intended (AB or BS)** \_\_\_\_\_

\*The Student ID is available from the Advisement Report on DukeHub. Please do NOT submit your UniqueID.

**Title of IDM:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Department:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Primary Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Primary Advisor's Signature

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Primary Department DUS signature

**Secondary Department:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Secondary Advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Secondary Advisor's Signature

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Secondary Department DUS signature

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Student Signature

*-submit this form with required signatures to Dr. Heather Settle by email ([interdepartmental-majors@duke.edu](mailto:interdepartmental-majors@duke.edu)). Please note that an IDM must be planned early in your undergraduate career and an IDM will not be approved in your senior year.*

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Dr. Heather Settle's Signature

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Approval Date

## COURSE LIST

*Must include at least 14 courses, evenly drawn from two majors, all of which must be among those normally acceptable for a major.*

*must include at least 10 courses at the advanced (200+) level*

*at least 4 of 7 in each department must be taught within the department*

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**ADDITIONAL PRE-REQUISITES OR CO-REQUISITES REQUIRED BY THE DEPARTMENT**

*These are not required for an IDM, but some departments may choose to document these as part of the IDM approval*

Department/Course # (ex. History 325)	Course Title	Required by which department?

**PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

1. Please describe your course selections for the /OM. How do these planned classes reflect your academic interest(s) at the intersection of the two disciplines?
2. Explain your rationale for choosing an /OM over a traditional departmental or program major, a double major, or a major and a minor. Why is the /OM the better choice for you?
3. How does an interdisciplinary approach can enhance your understanding of those topics?

*Please be noted that an /OM is not meant to be a pre-professional major but rather an interdisciplinary academic interest. (Attach a separate sheet if necessary or if you prefer)*

