



# Checklist for enrolling in Honors Neuroscience Independent Research, PSYC 91

\_\_\_\_\_ please print your name

\_\_\_\_\_ date checklist & materials submitted

This checklist will guide you in preparing a successful request for approval of your enrolling in the Honors program. It is intended to help you plan after conferring with your adviser for the courses.

- I have checked the departmental web site for details: <http://www.dartmouth.edu/~psych/undergrad/>
- I have taken PSYC 6 or BIO 34 and PSYC 10 or BIO 29 as prerequisites.  
Accepted, though not recommended, equivalent courses for PSYC 10 are Economics 10, Government 10, Mathematics 10, and Sociology 10.
- My current GPA in the major is \_\_\_\_\_, and is at or above 3.30.
- My current GPA overall is \_\_\_\_\_, and is at or above 3.00.
- I am enrolling before the end of the fall term of my senior year.
- I am taking at least 2 terms of PSYC 91.
- Check the appropriate box(s) to be enrolled  Fall Term,  Winter Term,  Spring Term. Proposal must be submitted during the first two weeks of Fall Term, even if you are not enrolling until Winter.
- I am NOT using PSYC 90 or 91 to fulfill the requirement for 4 elective courses for my major.
- I understand that once my major plan is approved, if I change the courses specified on it, I must submit new major cards and request approval of my new plan from my Neuroscience Advisor.
- I have a primary advisor, who will chair my Thesis Committee.

\_\_\_\_\_ print name of the advisor

position and department: \_\_\_\_\_

- I have a second member of my Thesis Committee.

\_\_\_\_\_ print name of the advisor

position and department: \_\_\_\_\_

- At least one member of my Thesis Committee is a regular faculty member in the PBS Dept.
- I have attached a description of my thesis topic.
- If this work involves human subjects, I have sought IRB approval for my work.  
 Yes, it is approved       Yes, it is pending.       Not yet, but I will       Not applicable
- If this work involves animal subjects, I have sought IACUC approval for my work.  
 Yes, it is approved       Yes, it is pending.       Not yet, but I will       Not applicable

- I have considered all resources I need to complete my work.  
I \_\_\_\_ do \_\_\_\_ do not need additional resources not available through the College or my advisor's lab.
- If I do need additional resources, I have attached my plan for acquiring these resources.
- I have reviewed and I accept the following deadlines.  
I will plan with my adviser the intermediate dates indicated by blank lines.

15 February 2011      Prospectus due for review by Undergraduate Committee

\_\_\_\_\_ Draft of Introduction due

\_\_\_\_\_ Draft of Methods section due

\_\_\_\_\_ Data collection completed

\_\_\_\_\_ Statistical analyses and draft of Results section due

9 May 2011              Final draft of thesis due to Thesis Committee

\_\_\_\_\_ Defense for Thesis Committee (no later than 27 May 2009)

25 May 2011              Poster presentations to Department  
Afternoon

Wednesday  
1 June 2011              2 signed bound theses due in department office  
12:00 noon

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Adviser signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT:**

*If any of the above check boxes cannot be checked, the major plan cannot be approved.*

Bring the Checklist and completed major cards to your meeting with the Chair of the Neuroscience Steering Committee or drop the Checklist and cards in the Undergraduate Advising Box in the Psychology Department main office, Room 103 Moore Hall (which is open during normal business hours).

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