

## INDEPENDENT STUDY

The Independent Study period in late April and May offers USAO students a unique chance to take part in exciting, unconventional educational experiences. Independent Study classes emphasize innovative educational approaches and individual learning. Past course choices have included educational trips to Paris, New York, Great Britain, Italy, and the Yucatan. Other groups have wondered *Who Shot JFK?* and engaged in unusual sociological observations in *People Watching*. Organized classes have practiced skills for career success or undertaken art or botanical projects to beautify the campus. In 2003, a group of students traveled across the nation by bus, visiting, Oklahoma to Montana, following *Kiowa Migration Trails*. Students are free during Independent Study to undertake projects of their own conception under the guidance of a faculty mentor. Independent Study activities are graded Passing/Non-Passing. Independent Study credit cannot be used in fulfillment of major requirements

- IS 1115 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *individual* projects for a student enrolled in independent study while classified as a freshman. 5 hours.
- IS 1125 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *group* projects for a student enrolled in independent study while classified as a freshman. 5 hours.
- IS 2115 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *individual* projects for a student enrolled in independent study while classified as a sophomore. 5 hours.
- IS 2125 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *group* projects for a student enrolled in independent study while classified as a sophomore. 5 hours.
- IS 3115 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *individual* projects for a student enrolled in independent while classified as a junior. 5 hours.
- IS 3125 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *group* projects for a student enrolled in independent study while classified as a junior. 5 hours.
- IS 4115 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *individual* projects for a student enrolled in independent study while classified as a senior. 5 hours.
- IS 4125 INDEPENDENT STUDY  
Independent Study in *group* projects for a student enrolled in independent study while classified as a senior. 5 hours.