

# COMMITTEE ON INSTRUCTION

## Student Appeal Form

The Barnard Committee on Instruction has carefully selected the courses designated as satisfying the College's general education requirements. Before petitioning the Committee to grant an exception and to allow a course not designated as filling one of the "Nine Ways of Knowing" or *Foundations* "Modes of Thinking" to fill a GER, students are urged to consider the many course options available. Please note that students may only appeal courses they have already completed. Summer and transfer courses must go through the Office of the Registrar, *not* the Sub-Committee on Student Appeals.

Send the completed form and the course syllabus by email to [lkeyser@barnard.edu](mailto:lkeyser@barnard.edu) or in hard copy to the Office of the Provost, 110 Milbank Hall. The Committee meets once a month. The decision of the Committee is final. You will be notified of the decision by email.

### I. Student Information

Name:

Last, First - Graduation Date (e.g. May 2017)

Student Identification Number:

Barnard Email Address:

### II. Course Information

*All of the information requested in this section refers to the course for which you are seeking GER fulfillment.*

Course Number :

e.g. HIST      e.g. BC      e.g. 3488

Course Credit:

[Points for the course]

Course Title:

Course Instructor:

Term and Year the course  
was completed:

e.g. Fall 2014

Catalogue description if a Columbia Course:

Course Format [select one]:

Lecture

Seminar

Lab

List all course prerequisites  
[if not included on the syllabus]:

List Course Requirements [if not included on the syllabus, list the exams, papers, all other course requirements and the percent of grade assigned to each]:

### III. General Education Designation

**Desired Designation: Nine Ways of Knowing** [Only one selection is allowed]:

Ethics and Values

Language

Quantitative and Deductive Reasoning

Cultures in Comparison

Historical Studies

The Visual and Performing Arts

Social Analysis

Laboratory Science

Literature

**Desired Designation: Foundations** [Only one selection is allowed]:

Thinking through Global Inquiry

Thinking Quantitatively and Empirically

Thinking about Social Difference

Thinking with Historical Perspective

Thinking Locally—New York City

Thinking Technologically and Digitally

#### Nature of Appeal

- Please explain why the course you completed satisfies one of the College's general education requirements. Include in this discussion, how specific aspects of the course meet the aims of the general education requirement you wish to have satisfied.

*Please attach the course syllabus. Obtain the signature of the Barnard College Department Chair for the subject of the course under review. Sign and date this petition.*

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Barnard Department Chair's Signature

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Student's Signature

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Date

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Barnard Department Chair's Printed Name

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Student's Printed Name

For Barnard Chair:  I agree with this student's rationale.  I would like this GER request to go to the Barnard COI.