

IB H196B HONORS RESEARCH



Department of Integrative Biology Application for IB H196B: Integrative Biology Honors Program

IB H196B: The Integrative Biology Honors Program is intended for advanced undergraduates wishing to receive the second semester of honors credit for independent research projects. To apply for IB H196B, the research project must be rigorous and H196A must have been completed.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Be a **declared** IB major
- Have at least a **3.3 GPA** overall **and** in the IB major
- Have completed IB H196A

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Meet with PI and obtain PI signature by end of Week 3.
- Meet with IB Faculty Sponsor and obtain signature by end of Week 4. *See below for information.*
- Obtain CCN from IB USSO (3060 VLSB) enroll in the course via Telebears by the end of Week 5.

CREDIT: This is a 3-unit, letter-graded course, and assumes an average of 9 hours of work/week. To receive honors, a thesis must be submitted to the PI and faculty sponsor at the end of the semester, and the student must participate in the Cal Day poster session. Only three units of honors credit (H196A or H196B) may be applied towards elective credit for the IB major.

SPONSORSHIP of IB H196B: The IB H196B course must be sponsored by an IB faculty member, though the research may be in any biology lab. *If working in a non-IB lab, please visit the IB USSO by the 4th week of classes to be assigned a faculty sponsor who will be the official instructor of record.*

Semester: _____ **Date:** _____

Print Name: _____ **SID#:** _____

Print PI Name: _____

Print IB Faculty Sponsor Name (if in a non-IB lab): _____

Student Email Address: _____ **Student Phone:** _____

Project Update: Please attach a 1-page (double-spaced) update of the research project.

Student's Signature: _____

By signing, I recognize that I must complete the lab responsibilities, Cal Day poster presentation, and written thesis.

PI Signature: _____ **PI Email:** _____

By signing, I recognize that this student will receive 3 units of IB H196B credit for research in my laboratory, and that the final grade will be based on lab participation, Cal Day poster, and written thesis.

IB Faculty Sponsor (non-IB labs): _____ **Sponsor Email:** _____

By signing, I agree to sponsor this student pursuing 3 units of IB H196B credit in a non-IB lab. I agree to evaluate student progress and written thesis, and record the final letter grade in consultation with the PI.

For Departmental Use:

IB GPA: _____ CCN: _____ SECTION #: _____

TOTAL UCB EARNED UNITS: _____ STAFF INITIALS: _____ DATE: _____

