CHM485H5—A dissertation will be written based on literature research of a topic of current interest in the field of chemistry. The research will be conducted under the supervision of a chemistry faculty member other than the student's CHM489Y5 supervisor. The research topic must not overlap that of the student's CHM489Y5 project. The goals of this course are to achieve literature research expertise as well as in-depth knowledge of a particular chemistry topic, while perfecting scientific writing and oral presentation skills. Evaluation is based on a final written report describing the aims and results of the research, as well as an oral presentation of the work. The course is normally taken in the student's fourth year, in either the Fall or Winter terms, but may be taken in the Summer term. Enrolment in CHM485H5 requires submitting an application to the department before the end of the term prior to that in which it is intended to undertake the research. Independent Studies Application Forms may be found at http://uoft.me/cpsforms Applications should be submitted to the CPS Undergraduate Assistant. Registration on ACORN is also required. Students are encouraged to consult with, and obtain the consent of, prospective supervisors before applying for enrolment.

Prerequisites: 2.5 CHM/JCP credits at 300 level.

Note: CHM485H5 and CHM489Y5 cannot be taken concurrently with the same supervisor and each course requires a separate application.

Full Name (Print): ________________________________________________________________ (Surname, given name, and initials)  
Student Number: ___________________________ Registration Session and Year(s): __________________ (eg. Fall 2019)  
Phone Number: ___________________________ Email: ___________________________@mail.utoronto.ca  
Program (to which this course will apply): ____________________________________________________________

Before submitting your application, you must speak to your supervisor. Once you have done so, list their name below and submit the form to the Undergraduate Administrative Assistant, Eliza Escandar, in DV4059B.

I have met with ____________________________, who has agreed to be my supervisor for CHM485H5.

(Name of supervising faculty)

____________________________________  _______________________  
Student’s Signature  Date

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Notes from the Undergraduate Administrative Assistant, Eliza Escandar:

____________________________________  Date

Supervising Faculty’s Signature  Date  Course Coordinator’s Signature  Date

Approved in ROSI: ☐ Yes  ☐ No

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Christina Fortes  Date  
Academic Counsellor/Undergraduate Program Administrator