The Media Studies MA Project: COMM 290
The Media Studies project is an original project guided by the student’s advisor. For example, it can be a thorough literature review, a write-up of an empirical or qualitative study, or a description of a novel methodology developed by the student. Most importantly, the advisor must pre-approve the content and format of the thesis. The student must work on the project with the advisor for a minimum of two quarters. The length of the thesis will vary according to project type. For example, exhaustive literature searches are often longer in terms of page length than write-ups of experiments. However, the amount of time and effort the student contributes to both types of projects are roughly equivalent. In sum, there is no length requirement, but typically theses are at least thirty pages and rarely more than 100 pages.

I have read this student's Personal Statement giving specific information about his/her thesis proposal and agree to act as Coterm advisor for this student - should they be admitted - for both the program in general and specifically for the project.

Faculty Name: ____________________________________________

Faculty Signature: ___________________________ Date: _____________

I understand that any changes to the thesis proposal must be approved by my advisor (and may be rejected).

Student Signature: ___________________________ Date: _____________