Quarterly Student Self-Assessment (QSSA) Form

Name:

Quarter and year:

Courses taken this quarter:

The IAS program has identified the following objectives as central learning goals for students across all of the degree options:

1) Critical Thinking
2) Shared Leadership and Collaboration
3) Interdisciplinary Research
4) Writing and Presentation

Each course will contain some of these learning objectives—refer to the course syllabus to determine which ones are applicable to the course. The syllabus will also list other learning objectives particular to the course, including disciplinary and interdisciplinary methods, perspectives, and content. When answering question #1 below, consider how each course you have taken has contributed to your progress in mastering these areas. When answering question #2, consider how you might combine your learning experience across courses during this term and in the past.

1. What did you learn this quarter, using the program’s and the course’s listed learning goals and objectives as starting point? Refer to your learning in and across your courses, including both formal and informal settings. Be as specific as possible.

2. What connections would you make between what you learned this quarter and what you have learned in the past?

3. What do you plan to change about your approach to learning that will improve your learning experience in the future? Include any learning objectives you hope to master in the future as well as specific practices you intend to change.