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Welcome to Independent Study:

This Colorado Consortium for Independent Study catalog contains a rich variety of academic courses offered in both print and electronic formats that will permit you to learn on your own schedule, at your own pace, wherever you live. When you take one of these courses you will join students in Colorado, across the country and around the world who are engaged in independent study. Independent study courses and programs provide a convenient learning environment for the self-directed learner, and offer opportunities for those individuals who are unable to come to a campus or who have complicated life schedules.

All courses listed in this catalog are offered as part of the Colorado Statewide Extended Studies Program under the policies of the Department of Higher Education. Institutions participating in CCIS are encouraged to develop new courses for independent study from their unique curricula, resulting in an expanding selection of courses that extend the resources of the campuses to the distance learner.

Independent study is one of several learning opportunities provided by members of the Colorado Statewide Extended Studies Program. If you are a Colorado resident you may also wish to consider attending classes in or near your hometown. To learn more about the Colorado Statewide Extended Studies Program and the public colleges and universities that participate, visit our website at [www.coloradoextendedcampus.org](http://www.coloradoextendedcampus.org).

The CCIS member institutions wish you success in all of your educational endeavors!

Sincerely,

Matthew McKeever, Director

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