



## Directed Research (BMEn 4710) and Directed Study (BMEn 4720)

### Guidelines for Final Report Format

The final report submitted to your Directed Research/Study advisor should be approximately five pages in length per credit taken (including figures) and should be single-spaced.

The report must include the following sections:

- Report Cover Sheet (page 2 of this document)
- Project summary
- Background
- Objectives
- Materials and methods
- Results
- Discussion
- Conclusions and future directions
- References

This is a technical report and should therefore be written in third person. For example, the statement, “The temperature was measured...” is preferable to “I measured the temperature....”

If others performed an experiment or contributed to the project in some way, their contributions should be explicitly acknowledged.



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**Final Report Cover Sheet**

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Project Title

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Student Name

Date Submitted

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Advisor Name

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Number of Credits

Semester/Year

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