CAPSTONE CONTRACT

This form must be submitted to the instructor of the course you are completing the capstone in by the <u>end of the second week of classes</u>. Failure to adhere to these deadlines **will** delay your graduation.

Name:		Student ID#:				
Expected Graduation Date:		Major Advisor:				
Course in which capstone project will be completed:						
Working Title of Project:						
Capstone Advisor:						
By signing this document you are agreeing to submit work related to your capstone project to your capstone advisor in accordance with the following deadlines:						
	Outline	Week 3				
	First draft	Week 10				
	Abstract	Week 13				
	Final draft (4 copies)	Week 14				

It is absolutely required that each student follow the set of steps prescribed above in developing the capstone project. There are no shortcuts to excellent research-and-analysis writing. Solid and timely preparation yields the best results with the least anxiety. The capstone project is more a test of each student's self-discipline than it is of his or her factual knowledge or rhetorical brilliance. It is essential that each student maintain the pace set above for completion of the capstone.

Students are responsible for scheduling regular meetings with their capstone advisors during the semester to ensure that the capstone is completed in a timely manner.

The final draft of the capstone will include the following elements:

- Title page
- Abstract
- Table of contents
- Introduction
- Literature review
- Theory and methodology
- Findings
- Conclusion

Student Signature			