

Request for Graduate Course Addition

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College: COHP

Dept/Division: SOCIAL WORK

Alpha Designator/Number: 642

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NEW COURSE DATA:

New Course Title: ADVANCED SOCIAL RESEARCH |

Alpha Designator/Number:

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Title Abbreviation:

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Course Catalog Description:
(Limit of 30 words)

THIS COURSE INTRODUCES STUDENTS TO THE PHILOSOPHICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL ISSUES OF QUALITATIVE RESEARCH. THE COURSE FOCUSES ON PRACTICING VARIOUS METHODS WITH THE GOAL OF PRODUCING A SMALL QUALITATIVE STUDY.

Co-requisite(s): NONE

First Term to be Offered: FALL 2016

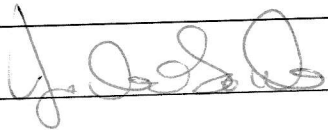
Prerequisite(s): ~~SWK 501 and SWK 511~~
~~500 LEVEL & 642~~

Credit Hours: 3

Course(s) being deleted in place of this addition (must submit course deletion form): NONE

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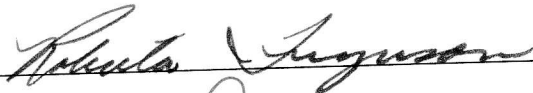
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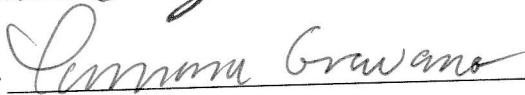


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3/26/15

College Curriculum Chair



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Graduate Council Chair

Date

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Provide complete information regarding the new course addition for each topic listed below. Before routing this form, a complete syllabus also must be attached addressing the items listed on the first page of this form.

1.FACULTY: Identify by name the faculty in your department/division who may teach this course.

Future faculty and such as the dean and program director shall designate

2.DUPLICATION: If a question of possible duplication occurs, attach a copy of the correspondence sent to the appropriate department(s) describing the proposal. Enter "**Not Applicable**" if not applicable.

Not Applicable

3.REQUIRED COURSE: If this course will be required by another department(s), identify it/them by name. Enter "**Not Applicable**" if not applicable.

Not applicable

4.AGREEMENTS: If there are any agreements required to provide clinical experiences, attach the details and the signed agreement. Enter "**Not Applicable**" if not applicable.

Not Applicable

5. ADDITIONAL RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS: If your department requires additional faculty, equipment, or specialized materials to teach this course, attach an estimate of the time and money required to secure these items. (Note: Approval of this form does not imply approval for additional resources.) Enter "**Not Applicable**" if not applicable.

No additional resources required at this time

6. COURSE OBJECTIVES: (May be submitted as a separate document)

See Syllabus

7. COURSE OUTLINE (May be submitted as a separate document)

See Syllabus

8. SAMPLE TEXT(S) WITH AUTHOR(S) AND PUBLICATION DATES (May be submitted as a separate document)

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9. EXAMPLE OF INSTRUCTIONAL METHODS (Lecture, lab, internship)

Lecture, written assignments, group discussion and group projects

10. EXAMPLE EVALUATION METHODS (CHAPTER, MIDTERM, FINAL, PROJECTS, ETC.)

Small study assignments

Final exam

Article reviews

Small study

11. ADDITIONAL GRADUATE REQUIREMENTS IF LISTED AS AN UNDERGRADUATE/GRADUATE COURSE

None

12. PROVIDE COMPLETE BIBLIOGRAPHY (May be submitted as a separate document)

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Please insert in the text box below your course summary information for the Graduate Council agenda. Please enter the information exactly in this way (including headings):

Department:

Course Number and Title:

Catalog Description:

Prerequisites:

First Term Offered:

Credit Hours:

Department: Social Work

Course Number and Title: SWK 642 Advanced SWK Research I

Catalog Description The purpose of this course is to introduce students to the philosophical and methodological issues of qualitative research. It will be a "hands-on" class, with a focus on practicing various methods with the goal of producing a small qualitative study.

Prerequisites: SWK 501 & 511

First Term Offered: Fall 2016

Credit Hours: 3