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Graduate Programs—NEW COURSE PROPOSAL

DEPARTMENT NAME: **SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTING** COLLEGE OF: **BUSINESS**

RECOMMENDED COURSE IDENTIFICATION:
 PREFIX ACG_7916 COURSE NUMBER _____ LAB CODE (L or C) _____
 (TO OBTAIN A COURSE NUMBER, CONTACT ERUDOLPH@FAU.EDU)
 COMPLETE COURSE TITLE _____
 QUALIFYING RESEARCH PROJECT _____

EFFECTIVE DATE
 (first term course will be offered)

SUMMER 2011

CREDITS: **3**

TEXTBOOK INFORMATION: **NONE**

GRADING (SELECT ONLY ONE GRADING OPTION): REGULAR _____ PASS/FAIL SATISFACTORY/UNSATISFACTORY _____

COURSE DESCRIPTION, NO MORE THAN 3 LINES:
 ACCOUNTING PH.D. STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED DURING THE SECOND SUMMER OF THE PROGRAM TO COMPLETE AN INDEPENDENT RESEARCH PROJECT UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THEIR QRP ADVISOR. THE TOPIC AND RESEARCH METHODOLOGY ARE BASED ON THE STUDENT'S INTEREST IN ACCOUNTING RESEARCH. THE QRP RESULTS IN A WORKING PAPER THAT WILL ALSO BE PRESENTED TO THE FACULTY IN A WORKSHOP.

PREREQUISITES W/MINIMUM GRADE: *
ACG 7885

COREQUISITES: **NONE**

OTHER REGISTRATION CONTROLS (MAJOR, COLLEGE, LEVEL):
ADMITTED TO PH.D. PROGRAM

PREREQUISITES, COREQUISITES & REGISTRATION CONTROLS SHOWN ABOVE WILL BE ENFORCED FOR ALL COURSE SECTIONS.
 * DEFAULT MINIMUM GRADE IS D-.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED TO TEACH THIS COURSE:
GRADUATE FACULTY MEMBER, PHD REQUIRED

Other departments, colleges that might be affected by the new course must be consulted. List entities that have been consulted and attach written comments from each. **None**

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SIGNATURES

Approved by: _____
 Department Chair: _____
 College Curriculum Chair: Colleen Surt
 College Dean: Paul Hart
 UGPC Chair: _____
 Dean of the Graduate College: _____

SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Date: 9/10/10
10-19-10
10-20-10

Syllabus—must include all details as shown in the UGPC Guidelines.
Written Consent—required from all departments affected.
 Go to: <http://graduate.fau.edu/gpc/> to download this form and guidelines to fill out the form.

Email this form and syllabus to diamond@fau.edu and egirjo@fau.edu one week **before** the University Graduate Programs Committee meeting so that materials may be viewed on the UGPC website by committee members prior to the meeting.

Statement supporting accounting course for Qualifying Research Project

The qualifying research project is an independent research project that each accounting doctoral student must complete. In the past, students registered for a 6000-level directed independent study course. At times, this created some confusion on the student's plan of study. We therefore are requesting a dedicated course for this program requirement.

Since the course represents an independent research project, a course syllabus is not applicable and any reading list is project / student specific. These are therefore not included with this new course proposal.