# Undergraduate Programs—NEW COURSE PROPOSAL

**Department:** NA  
**College:** Honors

**Recommended Course Identification**  
(TO OBTAIN A COURSE NUMBER, CONTACT ERUDOLPH@FAU.EDU)

**Prefix:** ENG  
**Course Number:** 4916  
**Lab Code:** (if appropriate, L or C)  
L = Lab Course. C = Combined Lecture/Lab

**Complete Course Title:** Honors Directed Independent Research in English

**Effective Date**  
(first term course will be offered)

**Credits:** 1 - 3  
**Textbook Information:** TBD

**Grading (select only one grading option):**  
Regular  
Pass/Fail  
Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory  
**X**

**Course Description, no more than three lines:**  
The student will work closely with a research mentor to conduct research and inquiry in English. The requirements for the course and the criteria for evaluation will be agreed upon by the research mentor and the student. A Directed Independent Research Form will be completed for each DIR student.

**Prerequisites with Minimum Grade:**  
**Corequisites:**

**Registration Controls (major, college, level):**

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**Default Minimum Passing Grade is D+. Prerequisites, corequisites and registration controls will be enforced for all course sections.**

### Minimum Qualifications Needed to Teach This Course:

#### Terminal Degree in English or a Related Field

**WAC/Gordon Rule Course:**  
YES  
NO  
**X**

WAC/Gordon Rule criteria must be indicated in syllabus and approval attached to proposal. Guidelines: [www.fau.edu/WAC](http://www.fau.edu/WAC)

Faculty contact, email and complete phone number:  
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#### General Education Requirement (Mark X in front of selection)

- Written Communication
- Math/Quantitative Reasoning
- Science/Natural World
- Society/Human Behavior
- Global Citizenship
- Humanities

General Education criteria must be indicated in the syllabus and approval attached to proposal. Guidelines: [www.fau.edu/ugstudies/GeneralEdCourseApprovalRequests.php](http://www.fau.edu/ugstudies/GeneralEdCourseApprovalRequests.php)

Please consult and list departments that might be affected by the new course and attach comments.

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**Approved by**

Department Chair:  
College Curriculum Chair:  
College Dean:  
UUPC Chair:  
Undergraduate Studies Dean:  
UFS President:  
Provost:

**Date**  
1/29/16  
4/8/16  
5/10/16

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1. Syllabus must be attached; syllabus checklist recommended; see guidelines and checklist: [www.fau.edu/academic/registrar/UUPCInfo](http://www.fau.edu/academic/registrar/UUPCInfo)

2. Review Provost Memorandum:  
Definition of a Credit Hour  

3. WAC approval (attach if applicable)

4. Gen. Ed. approval (attach if applicable)

5. Consent of affected departments (attach if applicable)

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Mail this form and syllabus to [mienning@fau.edu](mailto:mienning@fau.edu) seven business days before the UUPC meeting.

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