Florida Atlantic University
Undergraduate Programs—NEW COURSE PROPOSAL

Department: NA
College: Honors

Recommended Course Identification: (To obtain a course number, contact EREDOLPH@FAU.EDU)
Prefix SYG Course Number 4915

Complete Course Title: Honors Directed Independent Research in Sociology

Effective Date
(first term course will be offered)

Credits
1 - 3
Textbook Information
TBD

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

Course Description, no more than three lines:
The student will work closely with a research mentor to conduct research and inquiry in Sociology. 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)

*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 Sociology or a Related Field

WAC/Gordon Rule Course
Yes X No

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

Faculty contact, email and complete phone number:
Julie Earles, jearles@fau.edu, 561 799-8612

General Education Requirement (Mark X in Front of Selection)

Written Communication X
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

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

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

Date: 4/7/16

1. Syllabus must be attached; syllabus checklist recommended; see guidelines and checklist:
www.fau.edu/academic-registrar/UUPCinfo

2. Review Provost Memorandum:
Definition of a Credit Hour
www.fau.edu/provost/files/Definition_Credit_Hour_Memo_2012.pdf

3. WAC approval (attach if applicable)

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

5. Consent of affected departments (attach if applicable)

Email this form and syllabus to mjennings@fau.edu seven business days before the UUPC meeting.

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