Undergraduate Programs—NEW COURSE PROPOSAL

**FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY**

**DEPARTMENT**  
Exceptional Student Education

**COLLEGE**  
Education

**RECOMMENDED COURSE IDENTIFICATION**  
(TO OBTAIN A COURSE NUMBER, CONTACT hmaldonado@fau.edu)

**PREFIX**  
SLS

**COURSE NUMBER**  
1281

**LAB CODE**  
(L or C)

**COMPLETE COURSE TITLE:** Diverse Communities

**EFFECTIVE DATE**  
(first term course will be offered)

_**FALL 2016**_

**CREDITS**  
2

**TEXTBOOK INFORMATION:**  
READINGS SUPPLIED IN MULTIPLE FORMATS BY INSTRUCTORS

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

**COURSE DESCRIPTION, NO MORE THAN THREE LINES:**
Designed to expand student’s awareness of the skills necessary to effectively interact with diverse populations. Emphasize attitudes and competencies that are important in their lives beyond college, as well as in their interactions with others.

**PREREQUISITES/W/MINIMUM GRADE**  
No Prerequisites

**CO-REQUISITES**  
No Co-Requisites

**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:**

**MASTER’S DEGREE IN EXCEPTIONAL STUDENT EDUCATION OR RELATED CREDENTIALS AND EXPERIENCE**

**WAC/GORDON RULE COURSE?**  
**YES**  **NO ✔**

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

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**GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENT (MARK X IN FRONT OF SELECTION)**

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

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.  
All departments in the College of Education have been consulted and comments are attached.

**Approved by**

Department Chair:  
[Signature]

College Curriculum Chair:  
[Signature]

College Dean:  
[Signature]

U UPC Chair:  
[Signature]

Undergraduate Studies Dean:  
[Signature]

UFS President:  
[Signature]

Provost:  
[Signature]

**Date**  
2/10/2016

**Date**  
2/12/2016

**Date**  
2/14/2016

**Date**  
2/16/2016

**Date**  
3/1/2016

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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)

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(email this form and syllabus to miennyng@fau.edu seven business days before the UUPC meeting.

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