I don’t see any unintended overlap or conflict with courses or programs in the ESE Department.

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The Department of Educational Leadership and Research Methodology is proposing two new undergraduate research methodology courses.  Currently these courses have been taught as special topics courses for FAU High students seeking duel enrollment credits at the undergraduate level.  While these courses  are currently being offered as a collaboration with the FAU High School, in the future they may be offered to support the university’s initiatives in undergraduate research.  The first course,  *Multidisciplinary Introduction to Research*, aims to expose students to a variety of disciplines and research methodologies. Students will build basic research knowledge and enhance their research interests. The second course, *Multidisciplinary Research Methods II*, is tailored to students that already have a university research faculty mentor. Students will enhance their research skills and learn how to apply for research grants to fund their research study. We are also seeking "research intensive" designation on this course.

Please let me know as soon as possible if there are any conflicts with your department in regard to these new course proposals.  Bob