# Minnesota State University Moorhead

## PSY 636: Research Seminar II

## A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 1,2

Lecture Hours/Week: 2

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites:

None

Corequisites: None MnTC Goals: None

Advanced seminar in applications and procedures when conducting psychological research. Two credits when taken concurrently with PSY 696; one credit when taken concurrently with PSY 699.

## B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 08/20/2012 - Present

## C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

- 1. Extensive revision and expansion of existing research paper from Psy 635
- 2. Peer and instructor review of paper
- 3. Critical analysis of project/thesis
- 4. Development of professional oral presentation

## **D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)**

- 1. Demonstrate analysis and synthesis skills needed for research and program evaluation.
- 2. Use effective oral and written communication skills to communicate research outcomes.
- 3. Demonstrate understanding of data-based decision-making principles.
- 4. Use a variety of information resources effectively.
- 5. Demonstrate knowledge of the role of research in school psychology.
- 6. Consult effectively with others in developing a research project or thesis.
- 7. Increase understanding of ethical issues related to research.

## E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

## F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

## G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted

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