SYLLABUS

Course Code: IS6298   Course Name: Research Study

CREDIT HOURS	2

PREREQUISITE	IS6113 – IS6114 IS6123 – IS6124 IS6133 – IS6134

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COURSE DESCRIPTION
This research study course is a pre-requisite for registering the master thesis. Initially, students are associated with potential supervisors based on research interests. Then, students are guided by those supervisors towards writing a complete master thesis proposal. This course is conducted as weekly lectures and meetings in which students and supervisors discuss research topics with the aim to write a complete thesis proposal.

	COURSE LEARNING OUTCOMES (CLOs)	Aligned SOs
1	**Knowledge and Understanding**	
1.1	Comprehend advanced knowledge in a research-oriented, recent topic in the field of Information Systems.	K3
2	**Skills :**	
2.1	Formulate solutions to selected challenges in the field of Information Systems.	S1
3	**Values:**	
3.1	Comply with ethical standards in the field of Information Systems.	V2

TEACHING Strategies

Weekly meetings, thesis proposal writing.

No	List of Topics	Contact Hours	Self-Learning
1	Overall introduction to the course, grading scheme, and research interests.	2	
2	Thesis proposal requirements.	2	
3	Thesis requirements.	2	
4	Independent Research study – proposal writing	2	
5	Independent Research study – proposal writing	2	
6	Independent Research study – proposal writing	2	
7	Independent Research study – proposal writing	2	
8	Independent Research study – proposal writing	2	
9	Independent Research study – proposal writing	2	
10	Thesis proposal presentations	2	
Total		20	

TEXT BOOK

Specified by instructor based on research interests.

REFERENCES

Thesis proposal template:
https://units.imamu.edu.sa/colleges/ComputerAndInformation/graduate_studies/Pages/default.aspx

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	Course Assessment Methods		
No	**Assessment Method**	**Due Week**	**% of Total Assessment**
1	Thesis proposal approved by department and college councils. Course is graded by: • NP (No Grade–Pass): if thesis proposal is approved by councils. • IP: if thesis proposal is not yet approved by councils, • and student has not exceeded the maximum allowed • period for the program. • IC: if thesis proposal is not yet approved by councils, and student has exceeded the maximum allowed period for the program.	10	100