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Course Overview

Course Title	Introduction to Research
Course and Section Number	IDS-206-ONL
Number of Credits	3 Semester Credits
Term	21/AUTM
Course/Section Dates	08/16/2021 – 10/09/2021
Meeting Time	Class meets online via Canvas
Instructor	April Paschall
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Textbook Information: (e.g. title, edition, publisher, ISBN)	None Link to Doane Bookstore: https://www.bkstr.com/doaneuniversitystore/shop/textbooks-and-course-materials
Additional Course Materials	
Course Description	The study of basic research methodology and the tools of research with instruction in principles and procedures applicable to all disciplines. Students are introduced to the concepts and skills necessary for data collection and analysis.
Foundational Area of Knowledge	
Course Learning Outcomes/Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Assess the different types of research methods, tactics, and terminology.● Explain the purpose of utilizing peer-reviewed journals in academic writing.



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- Justify and value the use of credible sources.
- Formulate a research question and thesis statement.
- Design a research proposal based on a research question.

Technology Requirements

For the successful use of Canvas please refer to Doane University's [minimum computer requirements](#). This may also include:

- Reliable computer and internet connection
- A web browser (Chrome or Mozilla Firefox)
- Adobe Acrobat Reader (free)
- Word processing software -Microsoft or Google Docs
- Webcam and mic

Syllabus Addendum

www.doane.edu/syllabus includes information regarding:

- Academic Support
- Military Friendliness & Services
- Study Time
- Credit Hour Definition
- Catalog and Policies

Technological Support

If you are in need of technical assistance, please contact the help desk at 402-826-8411 or by email at helpdesk@doane.edu.

Learning Management System

Canvas: <https://doane.instructure.com>

Campus Network or Canvas Outage

When access to Canvas is not available for an extended period of time (greater than one entire evening - 6pm till 11pm) you can reasonably expect that the due date for assignments will be changed to the next day (assignment still due by midnight).