



## MEMORANDUM

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Date: January 29, 2016

To: Dr. Matthew Gill, Chair, Council on Graduate Studies

Re: Request for Executive Action from the Department of Theatre Arts

**Requested Change:**

Changing the number of allowable credit hours for THA 5990. The course is currently listed as variable 3-6 credit. The Department would like to change this to be variable 1-6 credit offering.

**Rationale:**

To allow greater flexibility for students who wish to engage in independent study at the graduate level.

**Changes in Catalog Language:**

THA 5990 - Independent Study

(Arr.-Arr.-~~1 to 6~~ ~~3 to 6~~) Advanced study in a selected area of theatre arts, subject to approval of Permission of the Department Chair and acceptance by the instructor.

~~1.000 3.000~~ TO 6.000 Credit hours

Levels: Graduate, Post Baccalaureate

Schedule Types: Internet and Meets as Lecture, Independent Study or Research, Internet

**Approved by College of Arts and Humanities Curriculum Committee:** January 27, 2016

**Effective Year/Term:**

Fall 2016