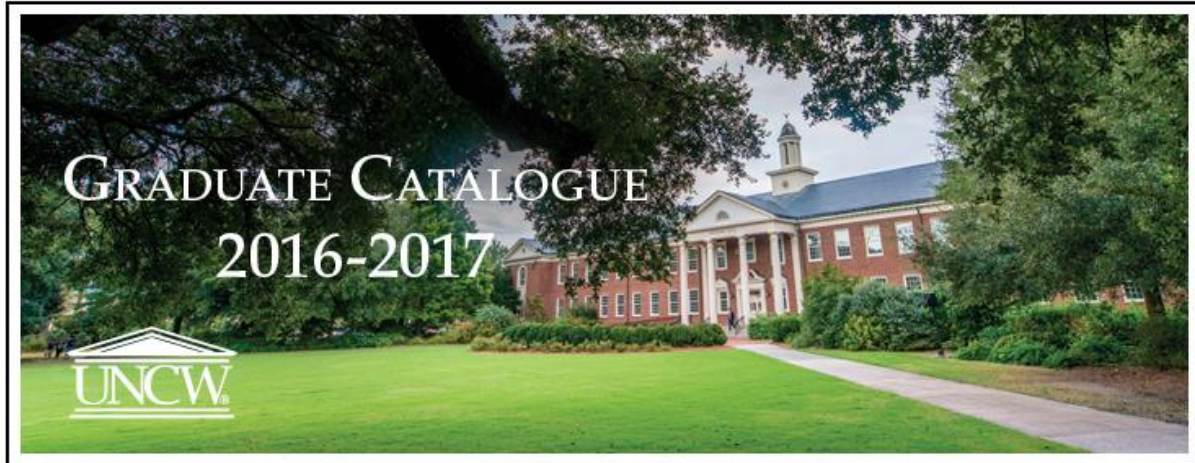


2016-2017 Graduate Catalogue Addendum



Academic Regulations:

- Catalogue change 10/03/2016

The courses below were added to the full-time status listing:

BIO 700, EDL 700, NSG 700 and PSY 700

- Catalogue change 11/03/2016

The courses below were added to the full-time status listing:

LIC 511, LIC 560, SEC 509

- Catalogue change 1/14/2017

Edit to full-time status listing:

[BIO 598](#) (~~One to three hours of r~~Research)

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Courses:

- Catalogue change 9/30/2016

MBA 517 - Applied Learning Residency

Credits: **4** **1.5**

This course is designed to provide an opportunity to promote and develop the soft skills that are essential for managers, but are difficult to develop in an online environment. The purpose of this class is to help bridge the knowing doing gap that occurs when students have strong content knowledge

but limited experience in applying that knowledge to real world situations. Learning activities in this class may include role plays, team-building exercises, real world cases and other applied learning activities that can occur in an immersive learning environment.

- Catalogue change 10/01/2016

GEO 592 - Topics in Geoscience

Credits: 1-4

Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Advanced special topics in geoscience through lectures, seminars, and laboratory or field experiences. More than one topic may be taken for credit ~~for a~~ **maximum of 6 hours**.

- Catalogue change 11/16/2016

MSA 509 - Taxes on the Financial Statements

Credits: ~~4~~ **1-3**

This course provides an analysis of accounting for income taxes under Accounting Standards Codification 740, Income Taxes. Topics include differences between financial and income tax accounting, deferred taxes, and financial accounting requirements for determining and reporting the income tax provision.

- Catalogue change 3/15/2017

GGY 535 - Environmental Geography

Credits: 3

([GGY 435](#)) Prerequisite: Permission of Instructor. A systems approach to understanding past, present and future human impacts on the natural environment, including changes and impacts on the hydrosphere, ~~atmosphere~~ **atmosphere**, biosphere, geosphere and cryosphere. A team-based learning ~~experience~~ **experience** emphasizing socio-environmental synthesis and concept application through a series of case studies discussions.

Graduate Faculty:

- Catalogue change 11/23/2016

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Programs:

- Catalogue change 9/30/2016

Executive MBA:

GENERAL BUSINESS

Students may select four courses (12 credit hours required) ~~from the listed offerings~~, with the approval of the MBA Director.

- Catalogue change 10/17/2016

Executive MBA:

A strong overall academic average, ~~GMAT score~~, and at least two years of appropriate full-time work experience are minimum requirements for consideration for graduate admission. However, admission decisions are based upon several factors, and if other indicators of success are evident, individuals who fall below the established criteria in one of the areas may be considered for admission.

- Catalogue change 11/03/2016

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M.F.A. Creative Writing:

Added an image and video link (<https://vimeo.com/179242899>)

