COURSE TITLE: Special Topics in Public Administration

COURSE NUMBER: MPA 7900

I. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Each student will:

1. Become significantly more informed on the special topic of study and know how to relate it to their workplace.

2. Understand how to apply their new knowledge to application, analysis, synthesis and evaluation activities encountered in their workplace.

3. Become more informed on the current literature in the topic of study and the applicability to current organizational issues in the workplace.

4. Understand how the new knowledge plays out in their professional growth plans and in the organization with which each participant is currently involved.

5. Perform a literature review in a chosen area of the special topic using refereed journals.

6. Demonstrate the ability to assimilate and communicate knowledge, ideas and innovations relative to the area of study in written and oral presentations.