

## Global Learning Semesters

### Course Syllabus

Course: COMM-550 Thesis / Project

Department: Communications

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
COMM-550	Thesis / Project	6
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Please contact us	42-45	Graduate Standing
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Communications	Upper Division	English

### Course Description

Students should provide a thesis or a research project of not more than 15,000 words on a topic in media and communications approved by the candidate's teachers.

### Prerequisites

Graduate Standing

### Topic Areas

1. The nature and purpose of the dissertation
2. Choosing a topic
3. Supervisory arrangements
4. Preparation of dissertation according to a strict timetable
5. Structure
6. Style and Presentation
7. Assessment

Ways of Assessment

The thesis will be supervised by a three member committee from the Communications Department and two stages will have to be observed before final evaluation. A defense stage of the work (almost completed) by the student and a final presentation where the standing of the work will be decided by the full supervising committee.

### Readings and Resources

#### Recommended Textbooks

- Berry, R. (1994). "The Research Project: How to Write It." Rout ledge, London.