

## College Level Courses of Interest for Transfer Students

### **PREPARE FOR YOUR FUTURE!!!!** **LAHS 3004: Professional Seminar** Fall 2009, Monday 1:25-2:15, CRN 93755

Designed *specifically for liberal arts and human sciences majors*, this course **prepares students for careers and/or graduate school**. In the current economy where the job market and graduate school application process is increasingly more competitive, students need to learn how to **stand-out among other applicants**. Interviewing, resume writing, the graduate school application process, writing personal statements, electronic job searching, and budgeting for the real world are examples of class topics. **Guest Speakers include Corporate Recruiters and Kaplan Graduate School Experts!**  
*Junior or Senior standing required. Junior standing preferred. (1 credit)*

### **GO ABOVE AND BEYOND WITH UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH!!**

### **LAHS 3914: Survey of Undergraduate Research Methods** Fall 2009, Wednesday 2:30-5:15, CRN 93756

With the increasing need for research skills in the job market and for graduate school, this course is designed to give students *an overview of quantitative, qualitative, mixed methods, creative scholarship, and interdisciplinary approaches to research*. In addition students will complete a research proposal, learn about funding sources, and connect with faculty mentors. Students pursue an individual research topic of their choice as part of the course and are highly encouraged to explore presentation and publication opportunities. Students work at a pace based on their previous research experience. *No prior research experience necessary. Those with previous research coursework can use this course to further a project or start a new one.*

Can be used as a research experience for the University Honors Program. See your University Honors Program Advisor. (3 credits)

**Consider Registering for One or Both of These Classes for Fall 2009**  
**Discuss Them With Your Advisor Today**

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