GRAD 930
Ethics in Research and Scholarship

Fall 2015 Course Information
Tuesday, 4:10 – 6:30 p.m., Rudman 110
Variable credit (2-3), credit/fail
CRN #12653

GRAD 930 is an interdisciplinary course offered by the Graduate School that examines questions and issues related to the conduct of research and scholarship.

Why take this course?

“I thought the class was an 'eye-opening' experience and really codified a lot of things that graduate students just do not get exposed to. More specifically, the less tangible things such as authorship, collaboration, and animal ethics. I believe that this course should be mandatory for all graduate students and would really help clarify a lot of things that until this course were vague to me.”

~ A former student

Through this course, participants will gain knowledge of professional and ethical standards of behavior in research and scholarship as well as pertinent regulations, polices, and guidelines. Through case study analysis and discussion participants will learn to identify and to analyze ethical issues that may arise in their professional careers in order to develop reasoned and justifiable plans of action. The course stresses both principles and application.

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