**Senate C&I Committee to the University Senate – March 20, 2017**

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**Courses Approved**

College of Professional Studies

Nursing Department

**Title: *Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice***

**Credits:** 3

**Level:** 400

**Course Prerequisites or Co-requisites:** Course Prerequisites: Acceptance to the Nursing Major, ENGL 101, ENGL 102 and Pre or Co-requisite: PSYC 230 Statistics for the Social Sciences or Approved Statistics Course

**Course Description:** This course explores research methodologies as applied to the nursing discipline. The course will include analysis of selected nursing research studies, identification of researchable problems in nursing practice and evidence-based practice. At the end of this course the student is expected to be an informed nursing research consumer.