

VIP Proj Team: GR II

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Course prefix: VIP

Course number: 6602

Section: VYR

CRN

91751

Instructor first name: Suhasjain

Instructor last name: Suresh

Semester: Fall

Course description: Multidisciplinary course supporting faculty research. Students can participate multiple semesters. Graduate students will pursue needed knowledge/skills; make meaningful contributions; provide leadership in technical areas/team management.

Academic honesty/integrity statement:

Students are expected to maintain the highest standards of academic integrity. All work submitted must be original and properly cited. Plagiarism, cheating, or any form of academic dishonesty will result in immediate consequences as outlined in the university's academic integrity policy.

Core IMPACTS statement(s) (if applicable):

- *Critical Thinking and Problem Solving:* Experience analyzing, evaluating, and synthesizing information
- *Research & Analytical Skills:* Understanding the scientific method and research methodologies; Ability to critically evaluate information sources
- *Ethical Reasoning and Professionalism:* Knowledge of ethical standards in behavioral science, including confidentiality, informed consent, and professional conduct.
- *Intercultural Competence:* Awareness of cultural influences on behavior and mental processes; Explores Prejudice and Stereotyping.
- *Perspective-Taking:* Theory of Mind, Covers Empathy and Social Cognition, Discusses Developmental Milestones in perspective-taking ability.
- *Persuasion:* Foundational models like the Elaboration Likelihood Model (ELM) and Cognitive Dissonance Theory; Attitude Change; Techniques of Persuasion; Applications of Persuasive Communication; Critical Evaluation of Persuasive Messages.