**TO:** The Engineering Faculty

**FROM:** The Faculty of the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering

**RE:** New Graduate Level Course: ECE 692

The faculty of the School of Electrical and Computer Engineering has approved the following new course. This action is now submitted to the Engineering Faculty with a recommendation for approval.

## **ECE 692** Introduction to Graduate Research

Sem: 1, 2, and 3. Credit: 1 to 3. Prerequisite: Graduate standing.

Research-related activities supervised by an ECE faculty member to introduce newly admitted ECE graduate students to the methods and culture of doing research. Possible activities might include, but are not limited to, participation in group research meetings, association with an advanced graduate student, and individualized reading or project work. A description of the activity, approved by the faculty supervisor, must be filed with the ECE Graduate Office.

**Reason:** 

This course is intended strictly for newly admitted graduate students. Its purpose is to provide these students with an early opportunity to learn about methods and culture of research.

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