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**Revised Course Request: Unique Course  
(Substantive Modification)**

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**Section 1. Existing Course Title and Description**

Prefix & No.	Course Title	Credits
ECON 707	Research Methodology in Applied Economics	1-3
<b>Course Description</b>		
Planning and conducting empirical research in applied economics. The organization of research, philosophy and the aim of science and research. Research project proposal and presentation are required.		

**Section 2. Modification(s) Requested**

**2.1. This modification will include:**

**A change in description/subject matter content (enter revised description below).**

The methods and procedures used to conduct empirical research in applied economics and management. Effectively develop and address research questions and objectives; includes the techniques to review literature and collect and analyze data. Research project proposal and presentation are required.

**Course title change** Research Methodology in Empirical Economics and Management

**Effective term of the change:** Fall 2025

**2.2. Add justification for all changes noted above:**

The course description and title were adjusted to reflect the expanded scope of the course for inclusion in the Operations Management program.

**Section 3. Other Course Information**

**3.1. Will this course equate (i.e., be considered the same course for degree completion) with any other unique or common courses in the common course database?**  Yes  No

**Section 4. Department and Course Codes (Completed by University Academic Affairs)**

	<u><b>Current</b></u>	to	<u><b>New</b></u>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Change in University Department</b>	Ness School of Management and Economics	to	No change
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Change in Banner Department Code</b>	SSME	to	No change
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Change in <u>CIP Code</u></b>	45.0602	to	No change