

Title: Graduate and Undergraduate Counterpart Courses (4000 and 5000 combined courses)	Policy No. 1.16
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Policy Statement:

1. Paired counterpart courses have the same title, basic catalog description, primary instruction format, and course credits on both the undergraduate and graduate levels.
2. Counterpart courses have clearly differentiated and unique performance criteria outlined in separate undergraduate and graduate syllabi.
3. Counterpart courses are often cross-listed in the class schedule with an undergraduate Course Reference Number (CRN) for the undergraduate course (taken for undergraduate credit) and a graduate CRN for the graduate course (taken for graduate credit).
4. The graduate counterpart courses must be taught by faculty who are approved graduate faculty.
5. Applying credit for both the graduate and undergraduate counterpart courses is not permitted, even if the counterpart courses are taken in separate terms.
6. Adding a counterpart course to an existing course follows the new course process through the appropriate council.
7. To receive graduate credit a student must enroll for graduate credit during the designated enrollment period.

Background: The term “cross-listed” has been used on campus to describe both a scheduling function and graduate and undergraduate counterparts.

Purpose: Differentiate between the scheduling function of cross-listing and the status of undergraduate and graduate counterpart courses.

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Related Procedures:

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