

# Cover Sheet: Request 11241

## OTH 6xxx Doctoral Mentorship 1

### Info

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## Responses

**Recommended Prefix**OTH

**Course Level** 6

**Number** xxx

**Category of Instruction** Intermediate

**Lab Code** None

**Course Title** Doctoral Mentorship 1

**Transcript Title** Doctoral Mentorship 1

**Degree Type** Professional

**Delivery Method(s)** On-Campus

**Co-Listing** No

**Effective Term** Spring

**Effective Year** 2018

**Rotating Topic?** No

**Repeatable Credit?** No

**Amount of Credit** 1

**S/U Only?** No

**Contact Type** Thesis/Dissertation Supervision

**Weekly Contact Hours** 1

**Course Description** Collaboration with individual faculty mentor. Identification of a focus area for the Experiential Component and Capstone Project.

**Prerequisites** OTH 6XXX Professional Development (B)

**Co-requisites** n/a

**Rationale and Placement in Curriculum** Content meets the intent of program Student Learning Objectives. Also meets educational standards of accrediting body (ACOTE standards). Content builds upon previous courses and clinical experiences.

**Course Objectives** Student Learning Objectives: ACOTE Standards

Upon the conclusion of this course, the student will:

1. Examine advanced practice area(s) of interest for the residency.
2. Identify a faculty mentor whose professional background aligns with the student's area(s) of interest for the residency.
3. Prepare a professional development plan that addresses draft goals and objectives related to the residency.

Course activities support the following ACOTE standards:

- Advising related to professional coursework, fieldwork education, and the experiential component of the program must be the responsibility of the occupational therapy faculty. (A.3.9.)
- Ensure that the doctoral experiential component is designed and administered by faculty and provided in setting(s) consistent with the program's curriculum design,

including individualized specific objectives and plans for supervision. (C.2.1.)

- Ensure that the student is mentored by an individual with expertise consistent with the student's area of focus. The mentor does not have to be an occupational therapist (C.2.4.)

**Course Textbook(s) and/or Other Assigned Reading** There is no required text for this course.

Students are required to read the UF OTD Residency Handbook.

**Weekly Schedule of Topics**

1	Introduction to the Residency Handbook	OTD Residency Handbook
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2	Faculty Mentor Introductions/Presentations
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3	Faculty Mentor Introductions/Presentations (cont.)
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4	Interest Exploration	Complete Interest Reflection Paper 1
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5	Group Discussion	Be prepared to discuss your residency interest area(s)
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6	Interest Exploration (cont.)	Complete Interest Reflection Paper 2
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7	Group Discussion	Be prepared to discuss changes to your residency interest area(s)
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8	Meet with Faculty	Email faculty to schedule
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9	Meet with Faculty	Email faculty to schedule
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10	Identify Faculty Mentor
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Introduction to Professional Development Plan      Faculty Mentor form due- you and your mentor should both sign

Begin PD plan with draft residency goals and objectives

Sign up for Presentation

11	Work on Professional Development Plan	Complete draft PD plan with draft residency goals and objectives due
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12	Professional Development Plan Presentations	Short presentation of PD plan with draft residency goals and objectives (10 min. for presentation, Q & A)
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13	Professional Development Plan Presentations	Cont.
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14	Professional Development Plan Presentations	Cont.
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15	Wrap-Up
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**Links and Policies** Policies related to attendance, make up work and exams:

Attendance to program and course activities is required. For a review of the OTD Attendance policies and documentation requirements see the OTD Student Handbook. Emergency issues will be handled on an individual basis.

All faculty are bound by the UF policy for excused absences. For information regarding the UF Attendance Policy see the Registrar website for additional details:  
<https://catalog.ufl.edu/ugrad/current/regulations/info/attendance.aspx> .

Letter

Grade	A	A-	B+	B	B-	C+	C	C-	D+	D
	D-	E	WF	I	NG	S-U				
Grade Points	4.0	3.67	3.33	3.0	2.67	2.33	2.0	1.67	1.33	1.0
	0.67	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0				

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## STUDENT EXPECTATIONS, ROLES, AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR INPUT

Expectations Regarding Course Behavior: Professional Behavior is expected of health professional students at all times.

Personal responsibility for prompt arrival, and regular participation and attendance all course activities; with appropriate and judicious use of class and lab time is expected.

Health professional students are expected to treat peers, professors, teaching assistants, guest lecturers, clinical personnel, children and their families with consideration, confidentiality (HIPPA compliant), and respect.

Preparation for class: To maximize the use of class time, students are expected to read and study assigned readings in text and course syllabus prior to coming to class.

Participation: Students are expected to actively participate in discussions and class activities. Attendance assists student to develop knowledge and skill in interpersonal relationships and communication by relating to others of different backgrounds and performance deficits.

Professional work habits also include: being on time for class and staying until class is dismissed; being courteous in lecture by refraining from chatter or other distracting behaviors; turning off your cellular phone; not reading other material during class (such as the newspaper, crossword puzzles, internet, etc.); getting your work in on time; arranging with another students to get handouts or announcements if you cannot attend class.

Laptop policy: Course instructor reserves the right to prohibit laptop use privileges during class times. Students shall lose laptop privileges if content becomes disruptive to classmates or if it is used for unrelated course objectives. Acceptable uses include taking notes, accessing course-related documents (on or off line), following along with power point documents or class demonstrations, course-related internet searches, and performing class projects. The definition of "use unrelated to course objectives" includes, but is not limited to use of instant messaging, Face Book, chat rooms, games, surfing the net, etc.

### Academic Integrity

Students are expected to act in accordance with the University of Florida policy on academic integrity. As a student at the University of Florida, you have committed yourself to uphold the Honor Code, which includes the following pledge:

"We, the members of the University of Florida community, pledge to hold ourselves and our peers to the highest standards of honesty and integrity."

You are expected to exhibit behavior consistent with this commitment to the UF academic community, and on all work submitted for credit at the University of Florida, the following pledge is either required or implied:

"On my honor, I have neither given nor received unauthorized aid in doing this assignment."

It is your individual responsibility to know and comply with all university policies and procedures regarding academic integrity and the Student Honor Code. Violations of the Honor Code at the University of Florida will not be tolerated. Violations will be reported to the Dean of Students Office for consideration of disciplinary action. For additional information regarding Academic Integrity, please see Student Conduct and Honor Code or the Graduate Student Website for additional details:

<https://www.dso.ufl.edu/sccr/process/student-conduct-honor-code/>

<http://gradschool.ufl.edu/students/introduction.html>

Please remember cheating, lying, misrepresentation, or plagiarism in any form is unacceptable and inexcusable behavior.

#### Online Faculty Course Evaluation Process

Students are expected to provide feedback on the quality of instruction in this course by completing online evaluations at <https://evaluations.ufl.edu>. Evaluations are typically open

during the last two or three weeks of the semester, but students will be given specific times

when they are open. Summary results of these assessments are available to students at <https://evaluations.ufl.edu/results/>.

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## SUPPORT SERVICES

### Accommodations for Students with Disabilities

Students with disabilities requesting accommodations should first register with the Disability Resource Center (352-392-8565, [www.dso.ufl.edu/drc/](http://www.dso.ufl.edu/drc/)) by providing appropriate documentation. Once registered, students will receive an accommodation letter which must be presented to the instructor when requesting accommodations. Students with disabilities should follow this procedure as early as possible in the semester.

### Counseling and Student Health

Your well-being is important to the University of Florida. The U Matter, We Care initiative is committed to creating a culture of care on our campus by encouraging members of our community to look out for one another and to reach out for help if a member of our community is in need. If you or a friend is in distress, please contact [umatter@ufl.edu](mailto:umatter@ufl.edu) so that the U Matter, We Care Team can reach out to the student in distress. A nighttime and weekend crisis counselor is available by phone at 352-392-1575. The U Matter, We Care Team can help connect students to the many other helping resources available including, but not limited to, Victim Advocates, Housing staff, and the Counseling and Wellness Center. Please remember that asking for help is a sign of strength. In case of emergency, call 9-1-1.

Students sometimes experience stress from academic expectations and/or personal and interpersonal issues that may interfere with their academic performance. If you find yourself facing issues that have the potential to or are already negatively affecting your coursework, you are encouraged to talk with an instructor and/or seek help through University resources available to you.

- The Counseling and Wellness Center 352-392-1575 offers a variety of support services such as psychological assessment and intervention and assistance for math and test anxiety. Visit their web site for more information: <http://www.counseling.ufl.edu>. On line and in person assistance is available.
- You Matter We Care website: <http://www.umatter.ufl.edu/>. If you are feeling overwhelmed or stressed, you can reach out for help through the You Matter We Care website, which is staffed by Dean of Students and Counseling Center personnel.
- The Student Health Care Center at Shands is a satellite clinic of the main Student Health Care Center located on Fletcher Drive on campus. Student Health at Shands offers a variety of clinical services. The clinic is located on the second floor of the Dental Tower in the Health Science Center. For more information, contact the clinic at 392-0627 or check out the web site at: <https://shcc.ufl.edu/>
- Crisis intervention is always available 24/7 from:  
Alachua County Crisis Center  
(352) 264-6789

<http://www.alachuacounty.us/DEPTS/CSS/CRISISCENTER/Pages/CrisisCenter.aspx>

Do not wait until you reach a crisis to come in and talk with us. We have helped many students through stressful situations impacting their academic performance. You are not alone so do not be afraid to ask for assistance.

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#### Inclusive Learning Environment

Public health and health professions are based on the belief in human dignity and on respect for the individual. As we share our personal beliefs inside or outside of the classroom, it is always with the understanding that we value and respect diversity of background, experience, and opinion, where every individual feels valued. We believe in, and promote, openness and tolerance of differences in ethnicity and culture, and we respect differing personal, spiritual, religious and political values. We further believe that celebrating such diversity enriches the quality of the educational experiences we provide our students and enhances our own personal and professional relationships. We embrace The University of Florida's Non-Discrimination Policy, which reads, "The University shall actively promote equal opportunity policies and practices conforming to laws against discrimination. The University is committed to non-discrimination with respect to race, creed, color, religion, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, marital status, national origin, political opinions or affiliations, genetic information and veteran status as protected under the Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act." If you have questions or concerns about your rights and responsibilities for inclusive learning environment, please see your instructor or refer to the Office of Multicultural & Diversity Affairs website: [www.multicultural.ufl.edu](http://www.multicultural.ufl.edu).

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#### **Grading Scheme** Interest Reflection Paper 1

15

Interest Reflection Paper 2

15

Faculty Mentor Form

5

Professional Development Plan

45

Presentation

20

Total points equal 100

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