EE 6398 --- Dissertation I

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Prerequisite: Coursework, as necessary in preparation for dissertation level research.

Students completing EE 6398 will:
1. Initiate creation of an individualized research topic that has been investigated and supported by work in research courses.
2. Initiate work on a dissertation manuscript, for archival purposes, detailing their research, discoveries, and conclusions on the selected topic.

Course Grading:

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Scale:
- 90% – 100% → A
- 80% – 89% → B
- 70% – 79% → C
- 60% – 69% → D
- 0% – 59% → F

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