

COURSE SYLLABUS
SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE AND DANCE

Title of Course: Independent Study
Course No. DA 461

New: X
Credit Hours: 1

- I. **Catalog Description and Credit Hours of the Course:**
Individual study in dance. (1)
- II. **Prerequisites:** Consent of the instructor.
- III. **Purpose or Objectives of the Course:**
To provide students an opportunity for individual in-depth investigation of matters of special interest which, because of curricular limitations, may not have been treated in other courses.
- IV. **Expectations of Students:**
Each student is expected to complete a project under the supervision of the instructor. The project should be an in-depth study of a particular topic or problem and should display the characteristics associated with scholarly endeavors.
- V. **Course Content or outline:**
There is no particular format for this course. The student will consult with his instructor to formulate a methodology appropriate to investigating the area he wishes to study.
- VI. **Textbook and Other Required Materials or Equipment:**
There is no specific textbook for the course. Students will be expected to become thoroughly acquainted with the literature as it pertains to their chosen area of study.
- VII. **Basis of Student Evaluations:**
Quality, thoroughness, and significance of the project completed.