Research Participant Database Project Proposal

The purpose of the database would be to keep track of research participation credits earned by psychology majors and minors.

Minimal Requirements:

The database should be available on-line.

Only approved faculty should be able to view and modify (i.e. data entry) the entire database.

Each student should have the ability to view (but not modify) his or her record (but not other students’ records).

The database itself should contain the following information:

Student name and email.

Major in psychology or minor in psychology.

Studies participated in.

Total research credits earned.

In addition to the above requirements, the ultimate goal would be to create a system that would allow students to view available studies, and to register for those studies on-line. This would also require that researchers have the ability to post and modify schedules (i.e. available times) for each study (but only their own). The available times would need to automatically update as students registered for a particular study and time, or cancelled.