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Course Outline for HORT 95

WORK EXPERIENCE

Effective: Fall

I. CATALOG DESCRIPTION:

HORT 95 — WORK EXPERIENCE — 1.00 - 3.00 units

Application of principles and skills through participation in on-the-job training.

1.00 - 3.00 Units Lecture

Prerequisite

HORT 50 - Introduction to Horticulture

Corequisite

HORT 96 - Work Experience Seminar

Grading Methods:

Letter Grade

Discipline:

	<u>MIN</u>	<u>MAX</u>
Lecture Hours:	18.00	54.00
Total Hours:	18.00	54.00

II. NUMBER OF TIMES COURSE MAY BE TAKEN FOR CREDIT: 1

III. PREREQUISITE AND/OR ADVISORY SKILLS:

Before entering the course a student should be able to:

A. HORT50

IV. MEASURABLE OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to:

- A. integrate classroom and laboratory experience with on-the-job training;
- B. gain direct experience and skills in various aspects of the horticulture industry;
- C. acquire first-hand knowledge of the detailed operation of one or more phases of the horticulture industry;
- D. acquire information concerning short- and long-term employment in the field of horticulture.

V. CONTENT:

- A. Introduction to the work experience site
- B. Assessment of the tasks and activities to be undertaken by the work experience student
- C. Identification of knowledge and skills that will be needed in the work experience placement
- D. On-the-job involvement in the activities of the work-experience site
- E. Evaluation of work experience by means of the work experience objectives and supervisor-instructor feedback

VI. METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:

- A. Students will be placed in a cooperating firm for five hours per week (minimum) for on-the-job experience.

VII. TYPICAL ASSIGNMENTS:

VIII. EVALUATION:

- A. **Methods**
- B. **Frequency**

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IX. TYPICAL TEXTS:

X. OTHER MATERIALS REQUIRED OF STUDENTS: