

Continuous Enrollment

UNVS (and all other prefixes)

1290R

Section 1

Contact Information

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Course Information

Pursuant to [S17-5](http://www.sjsu.edu/senate/docs/S17-5.pdf) (<http://www.sjsu.edu/senate/docs/S17-5.pdf>) all designated 1290R courses regardless of prefix (i.e. BIO 1290R, CMPE 1290R, PSYCH 1290R, etc.) are designated as 1 unit, special session courses that are assigned after the semester census (add/drop) date. The 1290R course is made available as an accommodation to graduate students to maintain continuous enrollment in fall and spring semesters at a reduced cost (\$288) in comparison with tuition-based regular session enrollment. Students may elect to retake the regular session thesis, dissertation, project, or exam-preparation course in which the original 'RP' or 'I' grade was obtained instead of taking the special session 1290R course; therefore, the 1290R course is not an absolute degree requirement. However, students choosing this path will be paying higher tuition rates instead of the \$288, 1290R course option.

Please review the [FAQ](http://www.sjsu.edu/cgs/docs/forms/1290R%20FAQs%20rev%2009.27.21.pdf) (<http://www.sjsu.edu/cgs/docs/forms/1290R%20FAQs%20rev%2009.27.21.pdf>) for more information on 1290R including enrollment instructions.

Course Description and Requisites

All designated 1290R courses are designed to ensure continuous enrollment. There are no official meeting times as it is expected that the student will meet with their advisor to make progress towards completing their culminating experience throughout the semester.

Requisites

Current semester graduation date or beyond

No longer enrolled in courses for their respective program

Either in 'RP status' for culminating experience course or in the process of taking a comprehensive exam that semester

Program Information

All designated 1290R courses are maintained and supervised by the Associate Dean of Graduate programs in the College of Graduate Studies.

Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)

- 1) Students will complete their culminating experience requirements as required in their culminating experience program or;
- 2) Students will not complete their culminating experience requirements as required in the culminating experience and will be required to enroll in 1290R for the subsequent spring or fall semester.

Course Requirements and Assignments

This course is designated as a hybrid course. Therefore, students are required to regularly meet with their department advisor at least once in person during the semester to work towards completing their culminating experience as required in their culminating experience course syllabus in which they have an assigned 'RP' and/or are working on their comprehensive exam.

Grading Information

This course is 'CR' only, therefore, all students will earn a 'CR' at the end of the semester as progress towards degree and fulfilling the continuous enrollment requirement per S17-5 will be met. Students who complete their culminating experience at the end of the semester should work with their program to have their RP removed from their original culminating experience course. However, students who do not complete their culminating experience by the end of the semester must enroll in a new section of 1290R the following spring or fall semester. Note that 1290R is not required during the winter or summer semester.

University Policies

Per University Policy S16-9 (PDF) (<http://www.sjsu.edu/senate/docs/S16-9.pdf>), relevant university policy concerning all courses, such as student responsibilities, academic integrity, accommodations, dropping and adding, consent for recording of class, etc. and available student services (e.g. learning assistance, counseling, and other resources) are listed on the Syllabus Information

(<https://www.sjsu.edu/curriculum/courses/syllabus-info.php>) web page. Make sure to visit this page to review and be aware of these university policies and resources.



Course Schedule

There is no formal course schedule. Students are responsible for meeting with their advisor periodically including at least once in person throughout the semester.