Justification

NREM is a multi/inter-disciplinary program with students entering the Master’s degree program having little or no experience in doing research. It is important that these graduate students be exposed early in their graduate studies to the research process and the knowledge and skills necessary for them to develop their own research program.

This course is integral to the overall training of Master’s degree students in natural resources and environmental management. It is critical that these graduate students be able to write research grants and design research proposals.