

**SALEM STATE UNIVERSITY
OFFICE OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS
First Year Experience
*Learning Community Proposal Form***

Faculty Participants: _____
Faculty Name *Department*

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Check One: _____ Fall 2015 _____ *Spring 2016
**Please note that Spring Learning Communities are often challenging to market and fill. Faculty are encouraged to speak with the Faculty Fellows about this option prior to submitting.*

1. Proposed thematic name for the learning community:

2. Which courses will constitute this learning community?

3. Please provide a description of your learning community that would be utilized in marketing materials to first year students (this is used separately from the individual catalog descriptions for the various courses which will make up the proposed learning community – past examples are available at salemstate.edu/firstyear/LC):

4. Please identify the assessable learning outcomes of this proposed learning community that are additional to the learning outcomes of the proposed constituent courses:

5. What is distinctive about the teaching and learning experience this learning community offers? What ideas do you have for the types of activities or assignments which could tie the various courses together? What are you thinking of doing to make this learning community a unique experience beyond the individual courses?

Faculty signatures:

_____	Date_____
_____	Date_____
_____	Date_____

Home department chair signatures (from each department that a course falls under):

_____	Date_____
_____	Date_____
_____	Date_____

Deadline: Completed form is due by **Friday November 7, 2014** to the FYE Office, 100A Meier Hall