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| **Use for Studies using Students as a research population** | | |
| Title of Study: |  | |
| IRB ID: |  |  |
| Principal Investigator (PI): |  | |

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| This worksheet is used to determine whether appropriate measures are being used when  a Principal Investigator is faculty and will conduct research with students who are in their class.  The primary issue with student participation in research conducted by Faculty is that there is a possibility that students’ agreement to participate may not be freely given. Students may volunteer to participate because they think it will gain them favor with faculty,  OR, if they don’t participate, it will negatively affect their grades or relationship with faculty. | | | |
| 1. **Outline specific measures that will be used to reduce Coercion.** | | | |
|  | | **1.1**  **Recruitment** | |
| No direct interaction with students during recruitment | |
| General announcement | |
| Central posting or announcement | |
| Other (describe): | |
|  | **1.2 Confidentiality** | |
| No “sensitive information” will be collected. (Sensitive information would include sexual activity, use of illicit drugs or alcohol, criminal behavior, etc.). | |
| Sensitive information will be collected but no identifiable information will be attached to the data. | |
| Sensitive information will be collected and identifiers will (or may) be attached to the data. | |
| Describe measures that will be used to protect the students’ confidential information: |
|  | **1.3 Student Records for research purposes only *(This includes SAT or GRE scores, GPA, class grades, etc.)\*\**** | |
| Students *(or parents if student is under 18 years)* will be asked to provide written permission for accessing their records. | |
| Students *(or parents if student is under 18 years)* will **not** be asked to provide written permission for accessing their records. | |
| Explain why it is not practicable to obtain consent: |
| \*\*Researchers may not access classroom performance evaluations, grades, and information in a (current) student’s records without prior written permission from the student, regardless of the access an investigator may have in his/her academic role. |
|  | **1.4 Extra Credit for student participation** | |
| Not applicable. | |
| Research is closely tied to the course subject matter. | |
| Credit will be reasonable to the effort. | |
| Equal alternatives to participation will be offered. | |
| Describe alternatives that will be offered: |
|  | **1.5 Student Participant Activities** | |
| Not applicable. | |
| Research Activities **are not** part of the required class activities. | |
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| Data collection **will not** occur during regular class meetings. | |
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| Describe how research activities will not interfere with normal classroom activities: |
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| 1. **Describe why student participation is necessary to the conduct of this research. [REQUIRED]** | | |
| Enter description here: | | |