

MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal Approval Request

Graduate Business Studies, School of Business, Eastern Illinois University

- Note that MBA 5510: Business Research Methods must be taken before or with MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal.
- This form is due by mid-term of the semester prior to which the student will take MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal.
- Approval of this request is contingent upon faculty mentor availability and school funding as determined by the Chair of the School of Business.

To Be Completed By Student

I will be working with _____ to complete MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal during the _____ semester. Working with the professor, I have developed a framework of a Proposal* which includes the following:

- General description of project
- Preliminary literature citations
- Expected outcomes of the project
- Expected learning outcomes

*** Attach a copy of the framework of the Proposal.**

I understand that I must complete the business proposal by the end of the semester in which I am enrolled in the course.

Student's Name (Please Print)

E-Number

Student's Signature

Date

To Be Completed By Graduate Faculty Member

I have worked with the student to develop the framework of a Proposal and agree to continue working with the student to successfully complete MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal during this semester. Upon successful completion of MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal, the project proposed will be completed in MBA 5905: Business Research Project in a future semester.

I agree to submit a final evaluation at the end of the current grading period.

Graduate Faculty Member's Signature

Faculty Name (printed)

Date

To Be Completed by MBA Coordinator

The MBA Program Coordinator approves this MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal.

After successful completion of the business research proposal, the student is eligible to apply for MBA 5905: Business Research Project in a future semester.

MBA Coordinator's Signature

Date

To Be Completed by School of Business Chair

The Chair of the School of Business approves this MBA 5515: Business Research Proposal approval request.

If this project will result in a faculty assignment overload during the regular semester, or if it will be held in the summer semester, the Chair has consulted with the Dean to gain approval for the faculty overload.

School of Business Chair's Signature

Date