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Placeholder research scholar courses will be needed for students studying at the University of Saskatchewan under several international research scholar programs. These students require course registration at the University of Saskatchewan to access student services and to demonstrate completion of the research to their home institution. Also, SESD needs a means to track these students in SiRIUS and assess student fees.

The Visiting Research Scholar umbrella presently includes the following programs:

Emerging Leaders in the Americas Program

<http://www.scholarships-bourses.gc.ca/scholarships-bourses/can/institutions/elap-pfla.aspx>

MITACS/Globalink initiative

<http://www.mitacs.ca/globalink>

Science without Borders

<http://www.canadainternational.gc.ca/brazil-bresil/study-etudie/swb-ssf.aspx?lang=en>

Courses must use an approved subject code and must be numbered as follows:

XXXX 001.0: Emerging Leaders in the Americas Program: Visiting Research Scholar

XXXX 002.0: MITACS/Globalink: Visiting Research Scholar

XXXX 003.0: Science without Borders: Visiting Research Scholar

The Visiting Research Scholar courses would be authorized by departments and colleges as needed, operating under the same general rules as are presently used for Special Topics courses.

[Special Topics Courses Policy](#) except that the research scholar courses could be located

at the 100-level.

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