PSYCHOLOGY 194 - ADVANCED RESEARCH IN SPECIAL PROJECTS

RESEARCH PROJECT TITLE: Authoritarianism in the Presidential Election and Office

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Brief description of Research Project:
This project is designed to examine authoritarian themes in the 2016 US Presidential Campaign and subsequent presidency.

Major Responsibilities of Undergraduate Research Assistant:
Reading and coding qualitative data. Additional responsibilities may include capturing other qualitative data, reading/summarizing articles, cleaning data, creating tables, and editing documents.

Prerequisites and Qualifications:
Great attention to detail, interest in the topic of study, contextual knowledge of the US political system, good written and oral communication skills.

Expected length of student commitment: Fall ☑ Winter ☑ Spring ☑ Summer ☐
(If student does not fulfill this commitment, it can be reflected in their narrative evaluation.)

Estimated number of hours per week:

- with Faculty Research Supervisor 0
- with Graduate Research Asst 3
  (if applicable)
- independently on project 12

Written report will be required: ☐YES ☐NO  Reading List will be assigned: ☐YES ☐NO

Type of Academic Credit Available:
- Advanced Developmental Research...Psychology 194A ☑
- Advanced Cognitive Research..........Psychology 194B ☐
- Advanced Social Research............Psychology 194C ☑

Number of Undergraduate Research Assistants needed for this project each quarter: 4

Posting Date: __________
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