I. FSM MISSION STATEMENT:
Fire Science Management is a broad based fire management educational program designed to augment and develop managerial skills necessary for a career in the fire service or continued advancement within the field.

II. COURSE DESCRIPTION:
The use of written and electronic media resources relevant to Fire Science Management and the development of a Fire Science Management research bibliography. The use of bibliographic resources to produce written comparative or persuasive research reports. May be independent study. Prerequisite: 301 and Fire Science Management major or consent of department.

III. PREREQUISITE: FSM 301-3

IV. Required Textbook:


Bibliography:


V. COURSE OUTCOMES:

**Outcome #1:** 30%

**Cognitive Objective:** The student will use written and electronic media resources to find, select, and document a bibliography that includes books, government documents, journal articles, periodical articles, fire science industry produced information, fire science industry association produced information, and newspaper articles on assigned topics of current interest to the fire science industry.

**Outcome #2:** 15%

**Cognitive Objective:** The student will prepare three organizational (topical) outlines for three comparative or persuasive reports to be produced by the student using references included in the above bibliography.

**Outcome #3:** 45%

**Cognitive Objective:** The student will analyze, write, and document three comparative or persuasive reports based on the faculty approved organizational outlines.

**Outcome #4:** 10%

**Cognitive Objective:** The student will use the technical, writing style, and documentation requirements of the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* when producing the bibliography and writing the three reports.