

# Course Schedule - Fall 2005

## Center for Advanced Study

**587 *Advanced Study: Special Topics*** Credit: 4 hours.

(CAS 487) Course is an upper-level graduate course in multi-disciplinary studies with topic material that will vary term to term. Interested graduate students should contact the instructors. May be repeated to a maximum of 12 hours. Prerequisite: Consent of Instructor

CRN	Type	Section	Time	Days	Location	Instructor
43583	lecture-discussion	B	01:00 PM - 02:50 PM	M	room 1 912 W Illinois	Schiller, D; Contractor, N
43583: Instructor Approval Required						
43583: Topic: The Age of Networks: Social, Cultural and Technological Connections. This interdisciplinary course will draw on scholarship in computer science, humanities, engineering, life sciences, law, organizational sciences and social sciences in order to take an in-depth look at socio-technical networks and theories for self-generating, self-organizing networks. It will undoubtedly reveal many ironies, ambiguities, and contradictions -- precisely those shifting areas where we are likely to discover basic human and societal values. Faculty from different disciplines will take turns leading the discussion. This course is part of a year-long initiative that includes a public events series.						