

Course	ITM 5000 Introduction to Information Technology Management									
Term	Fall 1 2009									
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Catalog Description	This course introduces students to the tools for managing information and computer resources. Students examine the concepts of business applications, system management, project management, systems analysis & design, networking & telecommunications, and database management.									
Prerequisites	None.									
Course Level Learning Outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To expand the student's knowledge of basic computer terminology and information technology concepts. • To provide both a technical and a philosophical framework for future CRM studies. • To increase the student's awareness of the Internet, e-mail, and online resources. 									
Materials	<p>Discovering Computers 2010: A Gateway to Information (Complete); Gary B. Shelly, Thomas J. Cashman, Misty E. Vermaat; Thomson Course Technology; ISBN 0-324-78645-X. (softcover)</p> <p>Addition details regarding where to purchase this text are available on the COMP 5000 web site. There are several different editions of this text. Make sure that you purchase the COMPLETE edition. Otherwise, you may be missing some of the chapters.</p> <p>"World's Easiest Guide to APA" by Carol Amato, 3rd edition; ISBN: 09-713756-7-4</p>									
Grading	<p>Grades will be assigned in accordance with the following criteria:</p> <table> <tr> <td>A > 93%</td> <td>B+ ... 89 - 87%</td> <td>C 79 - 70%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>A-.... 93 - 90%</td> <td>B 86 - 83%</td> <td>F..... < than 70%</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>B- 82 - 80%</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	A > 93%	B+ ... 89 - 87%	C 79 - 70%	A-.... 93 - 90%	B 86 - 83%	F..... < than 70%		B- 82 - 80%	
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	<p>Each test, quiz, and supplemental assignment will have designated point values assigned to them by the instructor. Your course percentile score will be determined by dividing the total points that you have earned during the course by the total number of points possible.</p> <p>All assignments, quizzes, and examinations are to be completed on or before the designated dates. Penalties will be assessed for late assignments. Allowances will be made for special circumstances like confirmed illnesses, deaths in the family, etc.</p> <p>The grades for each of your homework assignments will be posted to Homework Grades web page as soon as they are received and graded. Your Composite Course Grade (showing all tests, homework, etc.) will also be available on line so that you can review your progress throughout the semester. For your convenience, these web pages are typically updated 2-3 times per week (depending upon course assignments and tests).</p> <p>Absences will have an adverse impact on your overall grade since class participation and interaction with the instructor and your classmates are considered a vital part of this course. Review the Webster attendance policy on the COMP 5000 web site.</p>
<p>Activities</p>	<p>All of the weekly homework assignments will be posted on the ITM 5000 web site. You should check it routinely for updates.</p>
<p>Policy Statements: University Policies</p>	<p>University policies are provided in the current course catalog and course schedules. They are also available on the university website. This class is governed by the university's published policies. The following policies are of particular interest:</p> <p>Academic Honesty The university is committed to high standards of academic honesty. Students will be held responsible for violations of these standards. Please refer to the university's academic honesty policies for a definition of academic dishonesty and potential disciplinary actions associated with it.</p> <p>Drops and Withdrawals Please be aware that, should you choose to drop or withdraw from this course, the date on which you notify the university of your decision will determine the amount of tuition refund you receive. Please refer to the university policies on drops and withdrawals (published elsewhere) to find out what the deadlines are for dropping a course with a full refund and for withdrawing from a course with a partial refund.</p>

	<p>Special Services If you have registered as a student with a documented disability and are entitled to classroom or testing accommodations, please inform the instructor at the beginning of the course of the accommodations you will require in this class so that these can be provided.</p> <p>Disturbances Since every student is entitled to full participation in class without interruption, disruption of class by inconsiderate behavior is not acceptable. Students are expected to treat the instructor and other students with dignity and respect, especially in cases where a diversity of opinion arises. Students who engage in disruptive behavior are subject to disciplinary action, including removal from the course.</p>																				
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Additional Information	<p>As soon as possible, you should go to the ITM 5000 web site and complete your first two assignments: 1) your STUDENT SURVEY and 2) your vCard. These are due prior to the first class session. You also need to submit a SEATING REQUEST to me. (Details are on the web site).</p> <p>This course is not designed to teach you about how to use your PC. Its main purpose is to prepare students for the other courses that they will be taking in the Information Technology Management program.</p> <p>Students should either own a personal computer or have access to one on a routine basis so that they complete the weekly homework assignments. Internet access is required to complete some of the homework assignments as well as for e-mailing assignments to me as they are completed and for receiving updates from me on topics that we discuss in class.</p> <p>Students are expected to read the scheduled chapters prior to class. The web site contains a list of Review Topics for each chapter. These are the topics that I consider most important in the chapter and the ones that you should concentrate on for both the lectures and the tests. You are strongly encouraged to ask questions or to share your computing experiences with the class.</p> <p>You will find it beneficial to supplement your answers to my Review Topics by taking notes during the lectures. Note-taking not only forces you to pay attention in class but it also gives you specific material to review in preparation for the scheduled tests. Because of the constantly evolving nature of information technology, some lecture topics will not be in the textbook. These subjects will be identified in the Review Topics as "Lecture".</p>
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