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ACCT& 203

Principles of Accounting III (Managerial Accounting)
Course Syllabus (MW 12:30 -2:40 p.m., C208)
Spring 2011

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Course demonstrates the kind of accounting and financial data that are needed in the management process, where this information can be obtained, and how it is used by managers to carry out three essential functions in an organization: (1) planning operations; (2) controlling activities; and (3) making decisions. (Prerequisite: ACCT& 202 - course is designed for students who have completed two quarters of principles of accounting, receiving "C" or better.)

COURSE FOCUS:

Objectives of the course are: (1) to develop a general understanding of the uses and benefits of accounting and financial data within an organization; (2) to provide a framework for applying this knowledge in various business settings; (3) to provide a strong foundation for subsequent courses in accounting, business and finance; and (4) to provide the course work which will lead to a career in the accounting field.

TEXT and REFERENCES:

Garrison, Ray H., Noreen, Eric W. and Brewer, Peter C., <u>Managerial Accounting</u>, 12th Ed. (2008). The text should be brought to each class.

The Briton Manufacturing Co. / a Management Accounting Simulation.

http://www.mhhe.com/garrison12e.



STUDENT CONTRIBUTIONS:

You are expected to spend, on average, 10 hours per week preparing for class; to take an active role in lecture/discussion and to assume self-directed approach to group work.

Tests:

Three tests are scheduled. Test dates are scheduled well ahead of time and no provision is made for make-up tests. If you know you are going to be absent on a test day, see the professor to make arrangements to take the test early.

Final Exam:

The comprehensive final examination (take home) will be distributed Wednesday, June 1. It must be completed and returned, in person, on the date and time of the final examination, Wednesday, June 15 at 11:30 a.m.

Group Activities:

<u>The Briton Manufacturing Co.</u> / a Management Accounting Simulation will be undertaken as group projects. Grades from group activities will be based both on quality of completed group assignments and peer evaluations of individuals' contributions to the group process.

COURSE EVALUATION:

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Points</u>	Grading Scale
		460 - 500 = A
Test 1	72	450 - 459 = A
Test 2	72	440 - 449 = B +
Test 3	96	410 - 439 = B
Final Exam	100	400 - 409 = B-
Group Activities	120	390 - 399 = C +
Peer Evaluation	_40	360 - 389 = C
		350 - 359 = C
TOTAL	<u>500</u>	340 - 349 = D +
		310 - 339 = D
		Below 310= F

COURSE SCHEDULE:

The class meets for 5 lecture/discussion hours per week. Regular classroom attendance is expected.

NOTE: Last day to withdraw without "W" on transcript is April 15. Last day to withdraw from class is May 20.

CODE OF CONDUCT: By being a student in this course you acknowledge that you are a part of a learning community in the Business Administration Transfer Program at Bellevue College that is committed to the highest academic standards. As a part of this community, you pledge to uphold the fundamental standards of honesty, respect, and integrity, and accept the responsibility to encourage others to adhere to these standards.

DATE

ASSIGNMENT SCHEDULE

CLASS PREPARATION

RECOMMENDED

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Week	Day	TOPIC	READING	HOMEWORK
A	N	Introductions		

Apr 4	M	Introduction; Cost Terms, Concepts, and		
•		Classifications	(Garrison) Chapter 2	
6	W	OMSSMICHTONS	(Gurrison) Chapter 2	E2-2 (extended), E2-10
11	M			E2-11, P2-28, E2-12, P2-19, P2-16
		Briton Simulation Introduction	(Briton) Appendix A and Chapter 1	
13	W	Briton Description and Operations; Systems Design: Job-Order	(B) Chapter 2	
		Costing	(G) Chapter 3	
18	M			E3-1, E3-10, E3-6, P3-21
20	W	TEST 1 – Includes (G) Chapters 2-3		E3-13, P3-28
25	M	Cost Behavior: Analysis and		
25	IVI	Use Use	(G) Chapter 5	E5-10, P5-21
27	W	Cost-Volume-Profit Relationships	(G) Chapter 6	E5-6, E5-4, P5-16, P5-15
May 2	M			E6-12, E6-16, E6-15, E6-10, P6-30, P6-22
4	W	TEST 2 – Includes (G) Chapters 5 and 6		Briton Problem: CVP
9	M	Profit Planning	(G) Chapter 9	E9-1, E9-2, E9-3
11	W		(G) Chaptel 7	P9-11, E9-2, E9-3 P9-11, E9-7, P9-18, P9-17, P9-15
		Briton Budgets and Computer Simulation	B) Chapters 3-4	

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CLASS PREPARATION DATE

RECOMMENDED Week Day TOPIC READING HOMEWORK

May 16	M	Prepare Game Year 0 Budgets and Decisions		Trial Period Budgets and Decisions
18	W	Capital Budgeting Decisions; Briton Trial Period Review, Prepare Game Year 1 Budgets and Decisions	(G) Chapter 14	
23	M			E14-18, E14-11; Game Year 1 Budgets and Decisions
25	W			E14-21, P14-13 (Req. 1), P14-26, E14-12; Briton Problem: Capital Budgeting
30	M	HOLIDAY		
June 1	W	Segment Reporting and Decentralization	(G) Chapter 12	Game Year 2 Decisions
6	M			E12-1, P12-21, E12-7; Game Year 3 Decisions
8	W			P12-15, E12-13, P12-23; Peer Evaluations; Game Year 4 Decisions
13	M	TEST 3 – Includes (G) Chapters 9, 14 and 12		Game Year 5 Decisions
15	W	FINAL EXAM (Comprehensive Take Home), 11:30 a.m.		