# **Three Rivers Community College**

Norwich, Connecticut

Fall 2006

CRN #30352

**Syllabus** 

## **BOT 219**

## **INTEGRATED OFFICE**

Mohegan Campus - Room 310

**3 Credit Hours** 

Mondays - 6:30-9:15 p.m.

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#### **BOT K219**

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#### **Course Description**

Prerequisites: BOT\* K137, CSA\* K131A, CSA\* K141A, and CSA\* K150 or CSA \*K105 and BOT \* K137. This course provides students with further application and enhancement of their office skills. Topics include the role of administrative support services using an integrated software package (word processing, spreadsheet, database, and graphics) to complete business projects.

#### **Objectives**

- 1. Reinforce and build upon your software skills
  - a. Keyboarding
  - b. Word Processing
  - c. Desktop Publishing
  - d. E-Mail
  - e. Spreadsheets
  - f. Presentations
  - g. Database
  - h. Web Design
  - i. Graphics
  - i. Multimedia
- 2. Improve your Internet skills
- 3. Develop teamwork
- 4. Learn to use your critical thinking skills in an ever-changing office environment

#### **Instructional Modes**

- 1. Lecture
- 2. Discussion
- 3. Internet Research
- 4. Teamwork

### **Materials**

- <u>Integrated Business Projects</u>, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, Olinzock, Arney, & Skean ISBN: 0-538-72762-4
- A folder or binder for handouts, notes, and papers

### Assignments, Test Dates, and Due Dates

Assignments will be given in class. It is strongly suggested that notes be taken on new material and compiled into a reference manual or folder over the course of the semester.

Type your name and assignment number at the top of each page in the right-hand corner. Staple related parts together, and save all papers returned to you.

Example: Joe Smith - Lesson 1

Grades on assignments not submitted by due date will be given a <u>lowered grade</u> (20 points off each class period late.). All assignments, except for the final project, are <u>due the following class</u>. No assignments will be accepted after the last day of class.

Each student is expected to follow the program of assignments, attend all classes, and plan on research and task-oriented work outside of the classroom in order to develop an adequate knowledge of skills and procedures related to the office.

You are responsible for staying informed on all assignments, expectations, and class procedures. I suggest that you several friends in this class and exchange contact information to determine what you missed.

I reserve the right to revise information contained in this syllabus. Changes, if any, will be announced in class.

All project coursework (including homework) must be kept in a 3-ring binder and submitted to instructor at the end of the course.

## **Evaluation Procedures**

Your final grade will be determined by a combination of homework assignments, two tests, and a final project.

Homework 10% Tests (2) 40% Final Project 50%

#### **Final Grade Scale**

| A  | = | 94 - 100 | C  | = | 73 - 76 |     |   |             |
|----|---|----------|----|---|---------|-----|---|-------------|
| A- | = | 90 - 93  | C- | = | 70 - 72 | W   | = | Withdrawal  |
| B+ | = | 87 - 89  | D+ | = | 67 - 69 | I   | = | Incomplete  |
| В  | = | 83 - 86  | D  | = | 63 - 66 | P/F | = | Pass / Fail |
| B- | = | 80 - 82  | D- | = | 60 - 62 | AU  | = | Audit       |
| C+ | = | 77 - 79  | F  | = | 00 - 59 |     |   |             |

## **College Withdrawal Policy**

A verbal "drop or withdrawal" from course(s) will be accepted through the 10<sup>th</sup> week of classes in accordance with the designated withdrawal deadlines. Students will need to provide the following information: full name, address, date of birth, student identification number and social security number, course reference number (CRN), description/subject and instructor's name, if VA / FA benefits, Verbal drops or verbal withdrawals are processed through the Registrar's Office and Subase site ONLY.

## **Instructor's Attendance Policy**

Consistent attendance at class meetings is crucial to success in this course. You are expected to attend all classes in order to receive full benefit from instruction, lab work, lectures, discussion, and review of handouts. Attendance tends to have a strong influence on a student's successful completion of the course.

Gratuitous cutting is strongly discouraged. You are permitted to miss up to six hours (two 3-hour classes) of class time for illness or personal business. A student who must miss more than six hours should formally withdraw from the course through the Registrar's Office to avoid penalty. Students who miss more than six hours and who do not formally withdraw may receive an "F" for the course. Students having attendance problems should speak with the instructor before taking any action.

## **Academic Dishonesty**

Conduct which as its intent or effect the false representation of a student's academic performance and/or knowingly and intentionally assisting another student to do so in any way constitute academic dishonesty. In the event of academic dishonesty, the College's policy will be enforced.

## **Cellular Phones and Beepers**

Students are notified that cellular phones and beepers are allowed in class or in the Learning Resource Center only if they are turned off or turned to a silent mode. Under no circumstances are phones to be answered in class. When there are extenuating circumstances that require that a student be available by phone or beeper, the student should speak to the instructor prior to class so that together they can arrive at an agreement.

## **Disabilities and Learning Difference Statement**

If you are a student with a disability and believe you will need accommodations for this class, it is your responsibility to contact the Disabilities Counseling Services at 383-5240. To avoid any delay in the receipt of accommodations, you should contact the counselor as soon as possible. Please note that I cannot provide accommodations based upon disability until I have received an accommodation letter from the Disabilities Counselor. Your cooperation is appreciated.

## **Early Warning Policy**

Students experiencing academic difficulty and/or chronic absenteeism will be notified of their class standing.

## **Additional Comments**

A substantial amount of out-of-class computer work is required for success in this course. If you do not have the needed software at home, computer lab time is available. Hours of room availability are posted at the beginning of each semester.

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## **Login Instructions**

With the implementation of MIIS, the new configuration of student logons are as follows:

Username will be their banner id without the @

Password is Mmm&xxxx where Mmm is the first 3 letters of month of birth and the xxxx is the last 4 numbers of the social security number.

Log on to: Must be STARS

# BOT K219 INTEGRATED OFFICE TENTATIVE SCHEDULE, FALL 2006

| Week  | Date         | Lossons/Tonics                                |
|-------|--------------|---|
| vveek | Date         | Lessons/Topics                                |
| 1     | August 28    | Lesson 1                                      |
| 2     | September 4  | Lesson 2                                      |
| 3     | September 11 | Lesson 3                                      |
| 4     | September 18 | Lesson 4                                      |
| 5     | September 25 | Lesson 5                                      |
| 6     | October 2    | Lesson 6                                      |
| 7     | October 9    | NO CLASS                                      |
| 8     | October 16   | Test  |
| 9     | October 23   | Lesson 7                                      |
| 10    | October 30   | Lesson 8 & 9                                  |
| 11    | November 6   | Lesson 10 & 11                                |
| 12    | November 13  | Lesson 12                                     |
| 13    | November 20  | Extra Assignment Outside of Class (Lesson 13) |
| 14    | November 27  | Lesson 14                                     |
| 15    | December 5   | Review & Test                                 |
| 16    | December 4   | Test & Turn in Final Project                  |