

**COURSE TITLE: OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT** 

COURSE NUMBER : **DSCI 310** CREDITS : 3

PREREQUISITE: MATH 210 ECTS CREDITS: 6

OFFERED: FALL & SPRING SEMESTER HOURS: 36

## **COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

This course provides second year students with the broad concepts that make up the field of Operations Management. It focuses on the design, operation and control of productive systems.

## **COURSE OBJECTIVES:**

To increase student understanding of the problems and opportunities faced by the operations manager in manufacturing and service organizations. To develop an ability to apply operations management concepts in a variety of settings. To develop an understanding of operations management techniques in order to be able to evaluate recommendations made by technical specialists in the field.

## **INSTRUCTIONAL METHODOLOGY:**

The course is developed through lectures, discussion and numerical problem solving sessions. Students are expected to participate in class discussion. Will be covered in class:

- Productivity & Competitiveness
- Product Design & Process Selection
- Quality Control System
- Forecasting
- Capacity Planning & Location
- Job Design & Work Measurement
- Project Planning & Control
- Inventory Systems

TEXT: Operations Managment, Johnston, Financial Times, 6<sup>th</sup> Edition, 2010

## **EVALUATION:**

The final grade will be made up of a class participation and homework (25%), a mid-term test (35%) and the final examination (40%).