

Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: HOSP-250 Hospitality Information Systems

Department: Hospitality and Tourism

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
HOSP-250	Hospitality Information Systems	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Fall	42	HOSP-245, COMP 150
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Hospitality and Tourism	Lower Division	English

Course Description

Specialized training on end-user applications of computerized systems for hotels. The course will prepare the students for the basic requirements for entry-level positions, as well as further advancement in the operating environment of a hotel unit.

Instructor

Mr. Panicos Constanti

Course Aims and Objectives

To enable students to handle a computerized property management system in hospitality operations.

Teaching Methods

The course is delivered through lectures and laboratory applications.

Course Teaching Hours

42 hours (21 hours lectures/presentations and 21 hours laboratory work). The course is delivered during the Fall semester over a 14 week period (3 hours / week).

Evaluation and Grading

Class Participation: 10%
Report: 20%
Mid-term: 30%
Final Exam: 40%

Readings and Resources

Required Textbook

O'Connor, P., Using Computers in the Hospitality Industry, Cassell: London

Recommended Reading

M. Kasavana & J. Cahill, Managing Computers in the Hospitality Industry, Educ. Inst. of AHLA, (ISBN 0-86612-147-1)

M. Kasavana, Hotel Information Systems, CBI Publishing Company, (ISBN: 0-84362-131-1)

M. Kasavana, Understanding the WEB, Educ. Inst. Of AHLA

Peacock, Information Technology in the Hospitality Industry, Cassell, (ISBN: 0-304-33238-0)

Cornell Hotel and Restaurant Admin. Quarterly - Journal

Lodging - AH+LA Journal

Hotel and Motel Management - Journal