# **Global Learning Semesters**

# **Course Syllabus**

Course: IMT-540 Information Technology Management

Department: Management and MIS

Host Institution: Intercollege, Nicosia, Cyprus



| Course Summary     |                                   |                          |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Course Code        | Course Title                      | Recommended Credit Hours |
| IMT-540            | Information Technology Management | 3                        |
| Semester Offered   | Contact Hours                     | Prerequisites            |
| Please contact us  | 42-45                             | None                     |
| Department         | Level of Course                   | Language of Instruction  |
| Management and MIS | Upper Division                    | English                  |

## **Course Description**

Information systems (IS) are the most critical infrastructures of modern organizations. This course provides the intense knowledge needed to understand the use of IS in organizations and to effectively use IS tools for solving business problems through the development of a strong understanding and appreciation of information systems. The course aims at developing the skills required to support business organizations and management decision-making. Information Technology Management requires critical thinking and analytical skills in solving business problems, these skills are developed throughout the duration of the course. Current trends and key technologies are shaping the field of computing and communication, therefore it is important to place emphasis on this throughout the course. All different areas and fields of information technology are included, such as the use of spreadsheets as decision support tools, trends in enterprise-wide computing, client/server computing, electronic commerce, and intra- and inter-organizational communication and coordination. Class discussions will include tools and techniques of management information systems and how they can be used to improve the quality of management decisions.

### **Prerequisites**

None

# **Readings and Resources**

## **Required Text Book/Other Readings**

- Efraim Turban, Ephraim McLean and James Wetherbe (2001). Update, John. ISBN: 0471389196.
- Ray Hackney and Dennis Dunn (eds) (2000). Business Information Technology Management, Palgrave Macmillan. ISBN: 033379253X.
- Mehdi Khosrow-Pour (ed) (2002). Annals of Cases on Information Technology, Volume 4, Idea Group Publishing. ISBN: 1930708408.

#### **Recommended Reading**

- Mehdi Khosrowpour (ed) (2000). Challenges of Information Technology Management in the 21st Century: 2000 Information Resources Management Association International Conference, Idea Group Publishing. ISBN: 1878289845.
- James Taylor (2004). Managing Information Technology Projects: Applying Project Management Strategies to Software, Hardware, and Integration Initiatives, AMACOM. ISBN: 0814408117.