Course Syllabus

AMAR 352W - Industrial Management – 3.0 Units

Prerequisite: ENGL 130 with C- or higher. Junior standing
Course Times: Tues & Thurs 12:30-1:45pm
Course Location: OCNL 438
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Required Textbook and Materials:

Course Description
Investigation of effective industrial safety management practices and principles of industrial accident prevention for manufacturing and concrete industries. Topics include examination of current industrial safety practice, governmental safety standards and assistance programs, effective technical writing for safety documentation, environmental sustainability standards, industrial emissions, pollution, and environmental concerns.

Course Goal
Provide students a thorough study of Health and Safety issues in the manufacturing and concrete industries. Provide students a study of effective industrial safety management practice and the philosophy and principles of industrial accident prevention. Provide students education in technical report writing and presentation.

Student Learning Objectives
Students will gain understanding and practice of health and safety programs and technical writing techniques for the concrete and manufacturing industries.

Course Content Learning Outcomes
Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:
1. Understand and access OSHA safety regulations for CA and the US industries.
2. Understand the importance of machine guarding for safety.
3. Understand the components of a safety manual and be able to create one.
4. Understand technical writing techniques.
5. Create technical documents.
Course Usage of Canvas
Copies of the course syllabus and major assignments may be found on Canvas. You are responsible for regularly checking the online resources, which is accessed through the Chico State Portal at http://portal.csuchico.edu.

General
1. Absences are allowed only for illness or other serious reasons with permission prior to the class. Please communicate with me in the event that you require time away.
2. Students can work together on writing assignments. Copying others work in your report is not allowed. University policies, due process, and sanctions for academic dishonesty are followed.
3. Grades will be reduced one full grade for each week assignment is late. Days are rounded up to nearest week. No work will be accepted after December 6th, 2023.
4. Each group report must be signed by each member signifying that each member worked on the paper.
5. The format of the papers is provided in the following pages. We will be using MLA formatting and reference citing.
6. You are responsible for understanding the policies and procedures about add/drops, academic renewal, etc. found http://www.csuchico.edu/catalog/. You should be aware of the new deadlines and penalties for adding and dropping classes.
7. This is a writing proficiency, WP, course; a grade of C- or better certifies writing proficiency for majors.
8. If you need course adaptations or accommodations because of a disability or chronic illness, or if you need to make special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please make an appointment with me as soon as possible, or see me during office hours.

Grading

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Grade Distributions
Final grades will be given according to the following distribution after the weighting above has been performed for each category.

Note: This distribution is subject to change over the course of the semester.

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Reports (All reports will be typed with 1” margins and double spaced.)

1. Literature Review—Resume and literature review for each student
   - Each student will write a Resume. Take the resume to the career center for critiquing. Rewrite and submit both the original with notes from the career center critique and final resume for grading. Resume format is not MLA, but should be appropriate and attractive to future audience.
     [https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/mla_style/mla_formatting_and_style_guide/mla_general_format.html](https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/mla_style/mla_formatting_and_style_guide/mla_general_format.html)
     **Due: September 19, 2023**
   - Each student will write a Summary Report on a current article concerning Health and Safety in the Manufacturing or Concrete Industries. *(1 page minimum, MLA format [typed with 1” margins and double spaced, proper reference citation]).
     **Due: October 8, 2023**
   - Each student will write a Summary Report on selected videos or articles as outlined in the class schedule. *(1 page minimum, MLA format [typed with 1” margins and double spaced, proper reference citation]). Continuous

2. Other Short Papers
   - Each student will write a Paper on a Tesla’s adoption of its current Health and Safety Practices *(1 page minimum, MLA format [typed with 1” margins and double spaced, proper reference citation]).
     **Due: September 10, 2020**
   - Each student will write a Work Instructions Document for Manufacturing or Concrete Company document per the template on Canvas. *(4 to 6 pages, MLA format).
     **Due: October 22, 2023**
   - Each student will present a Work Instructions Presentation for Manufacturing or Concrete Company *(5-7 min – PowerPoint Suggested)*
     **Due: November 19th, 2023**
3. **Safety Report: long:** Format of the paper is provided in the class folder on Canvas. Students will complete a Safety Procedures Report concerning the safe use of a process, or other notable safety related topic for an existing manufacturing or concrete company that is provided by the instructor. (10 pages minimum, typed with 1” margins and double spaced).

**Due: December 3, 2020**

**Americans with Disabilities Act**
If you need course adaptations or accommodations because of a disability or chronic illness, or if you need to make special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated, please make an appointment with me as soon as possible, or see me during office hours. Please also contact Accessibility Resource Center (ARC) as they are the designated department responsible for approving and coordinating reasonable accommodations and services for students with disabilities. ARC will help you understand your rights and responsibilities under the Americans with Disabilities Act and provide you further assistance with requesting and arranging accommodations.

**Accessibility Resource Center**
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Student Services Center 170
arcdept@csuchico.edu

**COVID-19**
Please visit the Chico State COVID-19 News & Information page for any concerns.