ITMM 470 SYLLABUS

ITMM 470 Fundamentals of Management for Technology Professionals

Hours: 3 credit hours / 45 contact hours

Instructor: Chuck Beck

Textbook, title, author, and year:

Essentials of Management, 9th Edition, Andrew J. DuBrin, 2011

Schaum's Outline of Managerial Accounting, 2nd Edition (Schaum's Outlines), Joel G. Siegel and Jae K. Shim, 2011

Budgeting for Managers, 1st Edition, Eric Dunbar and Sid Kemp, 2003.

Specific course information:

- a. Catalog description: This course explores fundamentals of management for professionals in high-technology fields. It addresses the challenges of the following: managing technical professionals and technology assets; human resource management; budgeting and managerial accounting; management of services, infrastructure, outsourcing, and vendor relationships; technology governance and strategy; and resource planning.
- b. Prerequisites: None.

Specific goals for the course

a. Course Outcomes: The objective of the course is to expose students to the many facets of management and to explore how each of these integrate with day-to-day management, strategic planning and leadership. Students will understand challenges associated with moving from a technical position to a management position. Each successful student will demonstrate foundation knowledge and application of the core concepts of management, of managerial accounting, and resource and asset management

b. Course Student Outcomes:

At the conclusion of this course, students will be able to:

- Recall and describe core concepts of management
- Recall and explain key elements of managerial accounting
 - Calculate Return on Investment (ROI)
 - Read and interpret a balance sheet/financial statement
- Describe resource and asset management
- Prepare and manage a budget

- Describe and discuss methods and procedures for human resource management
 - Hiring employees
 - Evaluating employees
 - Motivating employees
 - Terminating employees
- Identify and discuss specific challenges related to the management of technology and technology professionals

Topics to be covered

- a. Introduction to Management
- b. Ethics Planning and Tools
- c. Managerial Accounting: Introduction
- **d.** Managerial Accounting: ROI, Capital Budgeting & Financial Statements
- e. Budgeting: Creating a Budget
- f. Budgeting: Spending & Tracking
- g. Human Resources
- h. Human Resources & Recruiting
- i. Performance Management
- j. Leadership & Motivation
- k. Communication & Collaboration
- 1. Controlling
- m. Online Assets, Offshore Staffing, Vendor Management, and Outsourcing