ITMM 464 SYLLABUS

ITMM 464 Social Media Marketing

ILLINOIS TECH

Hours: 3 credit hours / 45 contact hours

Instructor: TBD

Textbook, title, author, and year:

The Social Media Bible, Second Edition, Safko, Lon, 201

Social Media Marketing: The Next Generation of Business Engagement, Evans, Dave, 2010

Specific course information

- a. **Catalog description:** Class participants will explore the tactics, tools and strategies of incorporating new media channels to successfully grow a business, and/or to maximize the goals of other types of organizations.
- b. Prerequisites: None.

Specific goals for the course

a. **Course Outcome:** Students completing this course will have produced several case study reports demonstrating knowledge of the major tools, tactics, and strategies presented in the course, and will have developed a Social Media Marketing program for a real or fictional organization.

b. Course Student Outcomes:

Upon successful completion of the course the student should be able to:

- Recall and discuss current tools, tactics, and strategies of Social Media Marketing appropriate to business requirements at the professional, managerial and executive levels.
- Apply techniques learned in class in the development of a Social Media Marketing plan appropriate to each of these levels.
- Describe and discuss how Social Media Marketing can be integrated in an organization's overall marketing plan.
- Develop a Social Media Marketing program.

Topics to be covered

a. Introduction Social Media Components and Tactics:

- i. Social Networks
- ii. Blogs & Microblogs
- iii. Photo Sharing
- iv. Audiocasting/Videocasting
- v. Search Engine Optimization
- vi. Search Engine Marketing
- vii. Mobile Apps

- **b.** Media Tools: Review of current products and services
- c. Social Media Strategies
- d. Running a Social Business
- e. Social CRM Basic Data persistence
- f. Documents and iCloud
- g. Grand Central Dispatch, Background and You
- **h.** Drawing with Core Graphics