

MENG293– PROJECT MANAGEMENT & SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Through case studies and research assignments, this course will challenge the student with various ethical dilemmas they may encounter as an Engineering Licensee. With the aid of project management techniques and tools, students will plan a major project in preparation of their final capstone project. Emphasis will focus on such topics as: sustainable development, professional ethics, and the potential impact of technology on society, workplace safety and equality, professional responsibility and accountability.

INTENDED LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon successful completion of this course a student will be able to:

- Plan successful engineering projects.
- Estimate costs of feasibility studies and engineering proposals.
- Apply project management processes to:
 - Integrate project tasks
 - Schedule project tasks and resources
 - Minimize project risk
 - Optimize project costs
- Describe and defend Organizational Quality Management.
- Describe and defend the technologist's and engineer's role in society with regards to:
 - Public and workplace safety
 - Social diversity
 - Gender diversity
 - Environmental sustainability
 - Continuous professional development
 - Code of Ethics of accrediting organization

COURSE CONTENT

All content is available online in D2L.

EVALUATION

Participation & Attendance	5%
Project Milestone Documents	25%
Peer Review	15%
RAP Quizzes	10%
Ethics Debate Presentations	10%
Final Project Report & Presentation	35%

GRADING SYSTEM

Percentage	Grade
90-100	A+
85-89	A
80-84	A-
77-79	B+
73-76	B
70-72	B-
65-69	C+
60-64	C
50-59	D
0-49	F

REQUIRED MATERIALS

The Engineering Design Process: An introduction for mechanical engineers. (2010)

- P. Ostafichuk, A. Hodgson, M Fengler

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COURSE SCHEDULE

Wk	Date (Monday)	Topic	Content	Activity
1	Sep 3	Module 1: Engineering design and project management.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Team Formation • Project Management [www.ganttology.com] • Generating ideas • The role of reflection 	<i>Self-Directed Team Formation & Team Activities (Charter, assessment, project ideas, name)</i>
2	Sep 10	CHAPTERS 1,4,5	RAP* Quiz 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engineering and society • Designing for... • Organizational Quality Management 	professionalism, team dynamics
3	Sep 17	<i>*Fee Deadline Sep.18</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designing for society • Documentation & design 	<i>Self-Directed Team Project Planning & Design</i>
4	Sep 24		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social responsibility 	<u>DEBATE</u> Professionalism & Regulation
5	Oct 1	Module 2: The Design Cycle	RAP Quiz 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conceptualization & prototyping 	<u>DEBATE</u> Whistle-Blowing
6	Oct 8	<i>*Thanksgiving Monday</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation & Iteration 	Project Planning PRESENTATIONS 1
7	Oct 16	CHAPTERS 2,3,7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Optimization 	<i>Self-Directed Team Project Planning & Design</i>
8	Oct 22	Module 3: Triple bottom line <i>* Academic deadline Nov.7</i>	RAP Quiz 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Needs & Specifications 	<u>DEBATE</u> Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Team Assessments <i>GUEST LECTURER??</i>
9	Oct 29	CHAPTERS 10,13,14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communicating design • Presentation augmentation 	<u>DEBATE</u> Sustainability <i>GUEST LECTURER??</i>
10	Nov 5	<i>*Remembrance Day Closure – Nov.12</i>	RAP Quiz 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social contexts 	<i>Self-Directed Team Project Planning & Design</i> PRESENTATIONS 2
11	Nov 12	Module 4: Broad Context of Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainable design • Mitigating failure 	<u>DEBATE</u> <i>INVESTIGATIONS & DISCIPLINE</i> Unintended Consequences
12	Nov 19	CHAPTERS 18,20,23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patents • Intellectual property and the ethics of open source 	<i>Self-Directed Team Project Planning & Design</i>
13	Nov 26	<i>STUDENT MEMBERSHIP EGBC</i>	<u>MAJOR DEBATES</u> Topic of Choice	<i>Self-Directed Team Project Planning & Design</i>
14	Dec 3	Final Presentations	PRESENTATION Pizza Party	Individual reflections, Team assessments
15	Dec 10-18	<i>* Exam week</i>		

Note: Schedule subject to modification

* RAP quizzes are online D2L quizzes. Each quiz (except #1) is due by midnight prior to the module start.

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COLLEGE SUPPORTS, SERVICES AND POLICIES



IMMEDIATE, URGENT, OR EMERGENCY SUPPORT

If you or someone you know requires immediate, urgent, or emergency support (e.g. illness, injury, thoughts of suicide, sexual assault, etc.), **SEEK HELP**. Resource contacts @ <http://camosun.ca/about/mental-health/emergency.html> or <http://camosun.ca/services/sexual-violence/get-support.html#urgent>

COLLEGE SERVICES

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COLLEGE POLICIES

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GRADING SYSTEMS <HTTP://CAMOSUN.CA/ABOUT/POLICIES/INDEX.HTML>

The following two grading systems are used at Camosun College:

1. STANDARD GRADING SYSTEM (GPA)

Percentage	Grade	Description	Grade Point Equivalency
90-100	A+		9
85-89	A		8
80-84	A-		7
77-79	B+		6
73-76	B		5
70-72	B-		4
65-69	C+		3
60-64	C		2
50-59	D		1
0-49	F	Minimum level has not been achieved.	0

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2. COMPETENCY BASED GRADING SYSTEM (NON GPA)

This grading system is based on satisfactory acquisition of defined skills or successful completion of the course learning outcomes

Grade	Description
COM	The student has met the goals, criteria, or competencies established for this course, practicum or field placement.
DST	The student has met and exceeded, above and beyond expectation, the goals, criteria, or competencies established for this course, practicum or field placement.
NC	The student has not met the goals, criteria or competencies established for this course, practicum or field placement.

TEMPORARY GRADES

Temporary grades are assigned for specific circumstances and will convert to a final grade according to the grading scheme being used in the course. See Grading Policy at <http://camosun.ca/about/policies/index.html> for information on conversion to final grades, and for additional information on student record and transcript notations.

Temporary Grade	Description
I	<i>Incomplete</i> : A temporary grade assigned when the requirements of a course have not yet been completed due to hardship or extenuating circumstances, such as illness or death in the family.
IP	<i>In progress</i> : A temporary grade assigned for courses that are designed to have an anticipated enrollment that extends beyond one term. No more than two IP grades will be assigned for the same course.
CW	<i>Compulsory Withdrawal</i> : A temporary grade assigned by a Dean when an instructor, after documenting the prescriptive strategies applied and consulting with peers, deems that a student is unsafe to self or others and must be removed from the lab, practicum, worksite, or field placement.