

Course Name: Internet Marketing

Course Number: BMK* 216

Credits: 3

Catalog description: This course introduces the student to the world of e marketing, including websites, blogs, newsletters, email and more. Using a combination of structured course content, in-class web experiences and outside exercises, the class will focus on adopting and optimizing Internet marketing tools. Drawing from business research and best-in-class examples of successful e-marketing, the course will give students a practical perspective on how institutions and businesses can take advantage of e-marketing, as well as the real, results-driven aspects of e-business. A goal of the course is to keep pace with the latest strategies and developments in this field.

Prerequisite, Corequisite, or Parallel: English 092

General Education Competencies Satisfied:

HCC General Education Requirement Designated Competency Attribute Code(s):

None

Additional CSCU General Education Requirements for CSCU Transfer Degree Programs:

None

Embedded Competency(ies):

None

Discipline-Specific Attribute Code(s):

BUS Business elective

Course objectives:

General Education Goals and Outcomes:

None

Course Specific Objectives:

- 1. Describe e marketing
- 2. Explain the variety of e marketing tools
- 3. Explain the fundamentals of website design and promotion
- 4. Evaluate the effectiveness of websites and other internet marketing tools

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- 5. Describe how to "monetize" an e marketing concept
- 6. Appreciate the sophistication of e commerce business models
- 7. Understand he legal and ethical responsibilities of w marketing
- 8. Conceive a website idea and build a corresponding business model
- 9. Demonstrate how to use basic internet marketing tools websites, blogs, newsletters, etc.
- 10. Use search engine optimization (SEO) and search engine advertising (SEA)
- 11. Know how to obtain URLS
- 12. Search for and evaluate Web hosts
- 13. Be familiar with selecting and setting up payment methods PayPal, credit cards
- 14. Decide when to use banner ads, links, relationships and how to justify them from a business perspective

Course Content:

- A. Introduction to e-Marketing
- B. Ads, websites, blogs, wikis, podcasts, newsletters, email, etc.
- C. Ethical and legal issues
- D. Understanding internet customers
- E. Informational and commercial websites
- F. E-Marketing business models-success strategies, ROI
- G. Defining content
 - Segmentation, positioning messages
- H. Website promotion
 - Search engine marketing, banners, links
 - o Pay-per-click
- I. Fundamental design principles
 - o Site organization, page design
- J. Website hosting options
- K. Measuring online marketing effectiveness

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