New Course Request

Indiana University

Indianapolis Campus

Check Appropriate Boxes: Undergraduate credit [ ] Graduate credit [ ] Professional credit [ ]

1. School/Division [ ]
2. Academic Subject Code [ ]
3. Course Number 1548 (must be cleared with University Enrollment Services) 4. Instructor [ ]
5. Course Title Operations Management
   Recommended Abbreviation (Optional) [Limited to 32 Characters including spaces]

6. First time this course is to be offered (Semester/Year): 4098 [ ]
7. Credit Hours: Fixed at [ ] or Variable from [ ] to [ ]
8. Is this course to be graded S-F (only)? Yes [ ] No [x ]
9. Is variable title approval being requested? Yes [ ] No [ x ]

10. Course description (not to exceed 50 words) for Bulletin publication: Surveys the management of operations in manufacturing and service firms. Diverse activities, such as determining the size and type of production process, purchasing the appropriate raw materials, planning and scheduling the flow of materials and the nature and content of inventories, assuring product quality, and deciding on the production hardware and how it gets used, comprise this function of the company. Managing operations well requires both strategic and tactical skill. The topics considered include process analysis, workforce issues, materials management, quality and productivity, technology, and strategic planning, together with relevant analytical techniques. The course makes considerable use of business cases. Most classes will be spent discussing the cases assigned. For each case, students will be asked to review actual company situations and apply technical and managerial skills to recommending course of action. Most cases will be taken from manufacturing, but some will be service-oriented. 6
11. Lecture Contact Hours: Fixed at [ ] or Variable from [ ] to [ ]
12. Non-Lecture Contact Hours: Fixed at [ ] or Variable from [ ] to [ ]
13. Estimated enrollment: [ ] of which [ ] percent are expected to be graduate students.
14. Frequency of scheduling: [ ] yearly [ ] Will this course be required for majors [ ]
15. Justification for new course: [ ] Indianapolis version. Equivalent to BU/DC 580 [ ]
16. Are the necessary reading materials currently available in the appropriate library? [ ] yes [ ]
17. Please append a complete outline of the proposed course, and indicate instructor (if known), textbooks, and other materials.
18. If this course overlaps with existing courses, please explain with which courses it overlaps and whether this overlap is necessary, desirable, or unimportant.
19. A copy of every new course proposal must be submitted to departments, schools, or divisions in which there may be overlap of the new course with existing courses or areas of strong concern, with instructions that they send comments directly to the originating Curriculum Committee. Please append a list of departments, schools, or divisions thus consulted.

Submitted by:

Department Chairman/Division Director [ ] Date [ ]

Dean of Graduate School (when required) [ ] Date [ ]

Approved by:

Dean [ ] Date [ ]

University Enrollment Services [ ] Date [ ]

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