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Part I for the OS 301 to OS285 Course "Curriculum Proposal Cover Sheet"
CURRICULUM PROPOSAL COVER SHEET
University-Wide Undergraduate Curriculum Committee

I. CONTACT

Contact Person Dr. Moore/Dr. Szul/Dr. Brandenburg Phone 357-3003
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II. PROPOSAL TYPE (Check All Appropriate Lines)

____ COURSE _____
Suggested 20 character title

____ New Course* _____
Course Number and Full Title

Course Revision OS 285--Advanced Microcomputer Applications
Course Number and Full Title

____ Liberal Studies Approval + _____
for new or existing course Course Number and Full Title

____ Course Deletion _____
Course Number and Full Title

Number and/or Title Change OS 301 -- Advanced Microcomputer Applications
Old Number and/or Full Old Title

____ OS 285 -- Advanced Microcomputer Applications
New Number and/or Full New Title

____ Course or Catalog Description Change _____
Course Number and Full Title

____ PROGRAM: _____ Major _____ Minor _____ Track

____ New Program* _____
Program Name

____ Program Revision* _____
Program Name

____ Program Deletion* _____
Program Name

____ Title Change _____
Old Program Name

____ _____
New Program Name

III. Approvals (signatures and date)

Maryland Brandenburg
Department Curriculum Committee

William Szul 2/19/97
College Curriculum Committee

W. Moore
Department Chair

Kellie C. Carr 3/1/97
College Dean

W. Szul 3/17/97
Provost (where applicable)

+ Director of Liberal Studies (where applicable)

Part II for the OS 301 to OS285 Course Description of Curriculum Change

1. Revised syllabus of record for OS301, revised to OS285 (See pp. 9-19.)
2. Summary of proposed revisions of course OS301 are illustrated in two column format (p. 15) comparing old (OS301) and Revised (OS285). Proposed changes are indicated by bold print.
3. Justification and rationale for revision
 - a) To reflect current practices and current technology
 - b) To provide a relevant course in place of IM260, which is no longer offered by the MIS Department. (See memo from Ken Shildt, MIS & Decision Sciences Department, p. 25.)
4. Old syllabus of record is included on pp. 16-19 of this proposal, with differences between old and revised indicated by bold print.
5. Liberal Studies course approval form and checklist is not applicable for this change.

Part III. Letters/memos from interested or affected parties are not required for the OS301 to OS285 course revision.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

OFFICE SYSTEMS AND BUSINESS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Advanced Microcomputer Applications OS 285 (3c-3sh)

Prerequisites: BE/CO/IM 101, or Permission of instructor

Textbooks: Skibbe, *Optimizing Your Multimedia PC*, Compaq Press; Fulton, *Ten Minute Guide to MS-DOS 6.2, Alpha*; Plumley, *Microsoft Office, Quick Reference*, Que.

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Advanced applications of micro computing software from the user perspective to enhance productivity of office employees, executive and managerial, professional, and support personnel. Comparative and evaluative techniques for appropriate selection and implementation of software. Word processing, spreadsheet, database, **multimedia**, **internet**, utility, and operating **environment** software will be emphasized.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

1. Students will develop advanced skills for using office systems software programs.
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TEACHING METHODOLOGY

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EVALUATION METHODS

The final grade for this course will be determined as follows:

1. Laboratory projects--300 points
2. Exams--three exams--estimated 300 points
3. Quizzes--estimated 75 points
4. Perfect attendance = 20 bonus points; 1 absence = 10 bonus points

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COURSE OUTLINE

	<u>Hours</u>
A. Word Processing Advanced Concepts	5
1. Working with codes	
2. Managing documents	
3. Adding a document summary	
4. Using the Text In/Out Command	
5. Executing a DOS Command within WordPerfect	
6. Using the Print menu	
7. Using the Font menu	
8. Outlining a document	
9. Generating a Table of Contents	
10. Generating an Index	
11. Using styles	
12. Using macros	
12. Customizing	
13. Installation	
B. Spreadsheet Advanced Concepts	5
1. Sorting a Data Base Worksheet	
2. Searching a Data Base Worksheet	
3. Extracting records from a Data Base Worksheet	
4. Using the Data Base Functions	
5. Changing Worksheet Settings	
6. Hiding columns and protecting cells	
7. Changing range formats	
8. Using range names	
9. Transposing columns and rows	
10. Controlling recalculation and iteration	
11. Using relative, absolute, and mixed cell references	
12. Using additional functions	
13. Using macros	
14. Installation	
C. Database Advanced Concepts	3
1. Using memo fields	
2. Linking files	
3. Creating an update query	
4. Using calculated fields	
5. Summarizing data	
6. Designing custom forms	
7. Designing custom reports	

8. Entering and modifying records	
9. Sorting and indexing	
10. Finding data	
11. Relating files	
12. Using other dBASE IV commands	
13. Installation	
D. Multimedia Concepts	10
1. Multimedia PC Standards	
2. Video Display Adaptors	
3. Image Types	
4. Animation	
5. Sound	
6. CD ROMs	
7. Full-Motion Digital Video	
8. Multimedia Networks	
9. Desktop Video Conferencing	
10. Emerging Developments	
E. Internet Concepts	7
1. Browsers	
2. Search Engines	
3. Web Page Development	
4. Utility Programs	
F. Operating Environment	10
1. Operating Systems Software	
a. DOS	
b. Windows	
c. Others	
2. Optimizing Your PC	
a. Memory Managers	
b. .INI Settings	
d. Virtual Memory	
e. Other Developments	
G. Fourth Generation Languages	2
	TOTAL HOURS 42

Old (OS 301)

Revised (OS 285)

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- D. Desktop Publishing Graphics**
 - 1. Frame setting function
 - 2. Paragraph tagging function
 - 3. Text editing function
 - 4. Graphics
 - 5. Design and layout cons.

- E. Hard Disk Management**
 - 1. Operating Systems Software
 - (a) DOS
 - (b) OS-2
 - (c) Windows
 - (d) Unix
 - 2. Utility Programs
 - (a) Norton utilities
 - (b) File mngmt. software
 - (c) Memory mngmt. sftwre.
 - (d) HTML editors

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OFFICE SYSTEMS AND BUSINESS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Advanced Microcomputer Applications OS 301

Prerequisites: BE/CO/IM 101, or Permission
of instructor

Instructor: Dr. Richard D. Rowell, COAP

Office: 221D -- ECOB

Telephone: 357-5747 (Office --Answering
Machine)

Office Hours: MW 10:30 - 11:00 am
TTR 1:15 - 2:45

E-Mail: Rowell

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 - 4. Using the Flush Right Command
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 - 6. Using the Text In/Out Command
 - 7. Executing a DOS Command within WordPerfect
 - 8. Using the Print menu
 - 9. Using the Font menu
 - 10. Sorting text
 - 11. Outlining a document
 - 12. Generating a Table of Contents
 - 13. Generating an Index
 - 14. Adding graphics
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 - 16. Using styles
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 - 4. Using the Data Base Functions
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 - 6. Freezing titles and using windows
 - 7. Hiding columns and protecting cells
 - 8. Changing range formats
 - 9. Using range names
 - 10. Filling a range with a sequence of numbers
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