COLLEGE OF THE DESERT

Course Code AGEH-024

Course Outline of Record

- 1. Course Code: AGEH-024
- 2. a. Long Course Title: Advanced Turfgrass Management
 - b. Short Course Title: ADV TURFGRASS MGMT
- 3. a. Catalog Course Description:

This course uses the basic principles of turfgrass science learned in the introductory turfgrass management courses; those principles are applied to golf course maintenance procedures. Golf course operational procedures for the desert environment are emphasized.

b. Class Schedule Course Description:

This course uses the basic principles of turfgrass science as applied to golf course maintenance procedures. Golf course operational procedures for the desert environment are emphasized.

- c. Semester Cycle (if applicable): N/A
- d. Name of Approved Program(s):
 - TURFGRASS MANAGEMENT Certificate of Achievement
- 4. Total Units: 3.00 Total Semester Hrs: 54.00 Lecture Units: 3 Semester Lecture Hrs: 54.00

Lab Units: 0 Semester Lab Hrs: 0

Class Size Maximum: 26 Allow Audit: No

Repeatability No Repeats Allowed

Justification 0

5. Prerequisite or Corequisite Courses or Advisories:

Course with requisite(s) and/or advisory is required to complete Content Review Matrix (CCForm1-A) N/A

- 6. Textbooks, Required Reading or Software: (List in APA or MLA format.)
 - a. McCarty, L.B. (2010). Best Golf Course Management Practices (3rd/e). Upper Saddle River, NJ
 Prentice-Hall, Inc.. ISBN: 9780135047095

College Level: Yes

Flesch-Kincaid reading level: 12

- b. Nick Christians, Michael L. Agnew. The Mathematics of Turfgrass Maintenance. Wiley, 10-28-2016.
- 7. Entrance Skills: Before entering the course students must be able:
- 8. Course Content and Scope:

Lecture:

- 1. Golf and the Golf Courses
- 2. Building a Golf Course
- 3. The Putting Green
- 4. The Tee
- 5. The Fairway
- 6. The Rough
- 7. The Bunker
- 8. Equipment
- 9. The Irrigation System
- 10. Pests and Stresses
- 11. Management
- 12. Other Aspects of Golf Course Operation

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Lab: (if the "Lab Hours" is greater than zero this is required)

9. Course Student Learning Outcomes:

1.

Identify turfgrass management cultural practices currently utilized on local golf courses.

2.

Develop a comprehensive budget specifically for a golf course operation.

- 10. Course Objectives: Upon completion of this course, students will be able to:
 - a. Use critical thinking to solve daily maintenance problems.
 - b. Synthesize information and analyze the information in the work place.
 - c. Investigate new products and assess their acceptability in a maintenance program.
 - d. Define problems and how to apply basic turfgrass principles to formulate solutions.
- 11. Methods of Instruction: (Integration: Elements should validate parallel course outline elements)
 - a. Demonstration, Repetition/Practice
 - b. Discussion
 - c. Lecture

Other Methods:

Reading assignments Use of audio-visual for presentation Field trips

12. Assignments: (List samples of specific activities/assignments students are expected to complete both in and outside of class.)

In Class Hours: 54.00

Outside Class Hours: 108.00

- a. In-class Assignments
 - 1. Detailed note taking.
 - 2. Viewing slides and take notes on material covered
 - 3. Review and research available literature in preparation for term paper
 - 4. Develop a turfgrass products book from available literature and handouts
 - 5. Classroom participation is expected and required
 - 6. Exams will include: essay, multiple choice, matching and true/false questions
- b. Out-of-class Assignments
 - 1. Reading assignments from required text
 - 2. Review and research available literature in preparation for term paper
 - 3. Develop a turfgrass products book from available literature and handout
- 13. Methods of Evaluating Student Progress: The student will demonstrate proficiency by:
 - Written homework
 - Computational/problem solving evaluations
 - Presentations/student demonstration observations
 - Group activity participation/observation
 - True/false/multiple choice examinations
 - Mid-term and final evaluations
 - Student participation/contribution
 - Student preparation
- 14. Methods of Evaluating: Additional Assessment Information:

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Apply critical thinki Apply critical thinki Exhibit effective wi IO - Personal and Profe	cal Education ents for an entry- le ng skills to execute ng skills to research itten, oral communi ssional Development yledge, skills, and a	evel position in their field daily duties in their are n, evaluate, analyze, an ication and interpersona	l <u>.</u> a of employment. d synthesize informa	ation. Catalog Year
17. Special Materials and/or Equipment Required of Students:				
18. Materials Fees:	Required Material?			
Materi	al or Item	Cost I	er Unit	Total Cost
19. Provide Reasons for the	Substantial Modifica	ations or New Course:		
Remove English 70 20. a. Cross-Listed Course (Enter Course Code): N/A b. Replacement Course (Enter original Course Code): N/A				
21. Grading Method (choose one): Letter Grade Only				
b. T.O.P. Code [Cl c. Credit Status [Cl d. Course Transfer e. Basic Skills Stat f. Vocational Statu g. Course Classific h. Special Class St i. Course CAN Co j. Course Prior to k. Course Noncred l. Funding Agency m. Program Status Name of Approved Pro	Number [CB00]: CCB03]: 10900.00 - HB04]: D - Credit - EStatus [CB05]: B = tus [CB08]: 2N = Notation [CB11]: Y - Catus [CB13]: N - Notation [CB14]: N/A College Level [CB21]: V Category [CB22]: V Category [CB23]: [CB24]: 1 = Progragram (if program-app.	orticulture Degree Applicable Transfer CSU ot basic skills course ed Occupational Credit Course ot Special]: Y = Not Applicable Y = Not Applicable		restricted elective.)
23. Enrollment - Estimate I First Year: 0 Third Year: 0	Enrollment			
24. Resources - Faculty - Discipline and Other Qualifications: a. Sufficient Faculty Resources: Yes b. If No, list number of FTE needed to offer this course: N/A 25. Additional Equipment and/or Supplies Needed and Source of Funding.				

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26. Additional Construction or Modification of Existing Classroom Space Needed. (Explain:)

N/A

27. FOR NEW OR SUBSTANTIALLY MODIFIED COURSES

Library and/or Learning Resources Present in the Collection are Sufficient to Meet the Need of the Students Enrolled in the Course: Yes

28. Originator Eddie Vaca Origination Date 10/27/17

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