

# **GOLF 038: GOLF TOURNAMENT ADMINISTRATION**

Originator

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#### Justification / Rationale

To create a more robust and golf-specific curriculum within the Golf Management with smaller and more career-oriented certificates. This class will be a part of a Golf Tournament Administrator Certificate that will provide marketable skills for students who want to work as an assistant or head golf professional at a public or private golf facility. Golf Tournaments are often a sizeable source of revenue and member satisfaction, and hiring managers look for new employees with the skills learned in this class.

**Effective Term** 

Fall 2022

**Credit Status** Credit - Degree Applicable

Subject GOLF - Golf Management

Course Number

Full Course Title Golf Tournament Administration

Short Title TOURNAMENT ADMIN

#### Discipline

**Disciplines List** 

**Business** 

Modality

Face-to-Face

## **Catalog Description**

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Lecture Units
1
Lecture Semester Hours
18
Lab Units
1
Lab Semester Hours
54
In-class Hours
72
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**Out-of-class Hours** 36

Total Course Units 2 Total Semester Hours 108

Prerequisite Course(s) Advisory: GOLF 036

# **Required Text and Other Instructional Materials**

Resource Type Book

Author Mel Lewis

Title

Golf Tournaments 101

Edition 2nd

Publisher

CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform

Year

2018

#### ISBN #

9781545171998

**Class Size Maximum** 

25

**Entrance Skills** Come to the class with a basic knowledge of the game and rules of golf.

## **Requisite Course Objectives**

GOLF 036-Demonstrate the ability to use the USGA Rules of Golf to make rules decisions GOLF 036-Identify different sections of the rules book GOLF 036-Demonstrate procedures to go through during a rules dispute GOLF 036-Identify the procedures to keep score GOLF 036-Interpret the most common rules situations and violations

#### **Course Content**

- 1. What is a golf tournament?
- 2. Planning a tournament calendar
- 3. Private Golf Tournaments
- 4. Public Golf Tournaments
- 5. Charity Golf Tournaments
- 6. Tournament Formats
- 7. Scoring
- 8. Tournament Committee Obligations
- 9. Budgeting



- 10. Day of Operations Planning
- 11. Profit and Loss (Tournament Finances)
- 12. Awards Ceremonies
- 13. Sales Techniques

# Lab Content

- 1. Creating marketing material
- 2. Tournament preparation
- 3. Tournament operations
- 4. Building a customer flow plan
- 5. Tournament service strategies

## **Course Objectives**

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Objective 1	Describe the fundamental components of a golf facility's tournament calendar
Objective 2	Contrast golf tournaments at private facilities versus at public facilities
Objective 3	Choose the most fitting tournament formats based on analysis of a golf facilities goals and its budget
Objective 4	Demonstrate the ability to score a golf tournament and declare a winner
Objective 5	Construct a day-of operation plan for a golf tournament at a facility
Objective 6	Illustrate important service strategies that a golf professional should train tournament staff to exemplify when working a tournament
Objective 7	Analyze a tournament budget
Objective 8	Create a profit and loss statement for a golf tournament

## **Student Learning Outcomes**

Upo		Upon satisfactory completion of this course, students will be able to:
	Outcome 1	Create an operations plan for a large tournament at a golf facility
	Outcome 2	Build a profit and loss statement for a golf tournament based on data

#### **Methods of Instruction**

Method	Please provide a description or examples of ho method will be used in this course.	Please provide a description or examples of how each instructional method will be used in this course.			
Lecture	Students will listen actively to lecture, taking n and asking questions to deepen understanding	Students will listen actively to lecture, taking notes on important subjects and asking questions to deepen understanding and mastery.			
Technology-based instruction	Participate in hands-on experiences using golf	tournament software			
Role Playing	Act out common service scenarios in the golf tournament environment to gain experience and improve service outcomes.				
Experiential	Hands-on experience with golf tournament sim tournament scenarios	Hands-on experience with golf tournament simulations and real-life tournament scenarios			
Activity	Budget, profit and loss, and marketing activitie building	Budget, profit and loss, and marketing activities that promote skills- building			
Methods of Evaluation					
Method	Please provide a description or examples of how each evaluation method will be used in this course.	Type of Assignment			
Written homework	Evaluation of multiple choice, fill in the blank, and essay answers based on class lecture and reading assignments meant to deepen understanding of material.	Out of Class Only			
Laboratory projects	Projects of creating marketing materials, building a tournament calendar, creating and printing tournament operation materials such as scorecards, alphabetical player lists, and cart signs.	In and Out of Class			



Tests/Quizzes/Examinations	Midterm and final exam as well as five to six smaller quizzes. Quizzes and exams will test knowledge of subject matter using multiple choice, fill in the blank, and essay questions.	In Class Only
Field/physical activity observations	Observe and assisting at a golf facility providing a tournament.	Out of Class Only
Student participation/contribution	Participation on discussion boards, group presentations, and in-class discussion of course topics.	In and Out of Class

## Assignments

#### **Other In-class Assignments**

- 1. Student attendance of the lectures by instructor and occasional guest speakers, including the taking of the detailed notes.
- 2. Special reports by students, in panel or solo.
- 3. Examinations of various types, such as essay and multiple choice.
- 4. Role playing in hypothetical managerial situations will be a major feature.

## **Other Out-of-class Assignments**

None

Grade Methods Letter Grade Only

# **MIS Course Data**

**CIP Code** 52.0906 - Resort Management.

**TOP Code** 130730 - Resort and Club Management

SAM Code D - Possibly Occupational

Basic Skills Status Not Basic Skills

Prior College Level Not applicable

**Cooperative Work Experience** Not a Coop Course

**Course Classification Status** Credit Course

Approved Special Class Not special class

Noncredit Category Not Applicable, Credit Course

Funding Agency Category Not Applicable

**Program Status** Program Applicable



**Transfer Status** Transferable to CSU only

**General Education Status** Y = Not applicable

Support Course Status N = Course is not a support course

Allow Audit Yes

Repeatability No

Materials Fee

Additional Fees? No

# **Files Uploaded**

Attach relevant documents (example: Advisory Committee or Department Minutes) Golf Management Advisory Meeting Minutes - DRAFT 5-18-21.docx

# **Approvals**

Curriculum Committee Approval Date 3/17/2022

Academic Senate Approval Date 3/24/2022

**Board of Trustees Approval Date** 4/22/2022

Chancellor's Office Approval Date 5/04/2022

Course Control Number CCC000631333