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AC 1220	Accounting Principles I	4.5	This course involves accounting principles and presents accounting standards, inventory methods, depreciation, and financial components that comprise the income statement, balance sheet and statement of cash flows. Students will perform accounting exercises to solve business problems. Prerequisite: GS1140 Problem Solving Theory or equivalent	ACC 2010	Principals of Acc	3
AC 1320	Accounting Principles II	4.5	This course expands on the concepts taught in Accounting Principles I, and includes a broader analysis of financial statements and their components. Students study differences between long and short-term liabilities, stocks and bonds, and the uses of management versus financial accounting. Prerequisite: AC1220 Accounting Principles I or equivalent	ACC 3020	Fundamentals of Acc	3
AC 1420	Financial Accounting	4.5	In this course, students practice producing financial statements using different classes of assets and inventory valuation methods. It includes the preparation of trial balances and the use of financial ratios to determine a measure of the financial health of a company. Prerequisite: AC1320 Accounting Principles II or equivalent	ACC 3110	Intermediate Accounting I	3

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AC 2520	Tax Preparations	4.5	In this course, students compare and contrast individual and corporate tax models and analyze the tax practice environment. Topics include the disposition of assets, accounting for tax expense, estate property valuation and auditing in the organization. Prerequisite: AC1420 Financial Accounting or equivalent	ACC 3050	Income Tax	3
AC 2620	Fund. Of Managerial Accounting	4.5	In this course, students will analyze internal business accounting statements and accounting reports used for management planning and decision making. Prerequisite: AC1420 Financial Accounting or equivalent	ACC 2020	Principles of Managerial Accounting	3
AC 2720	Cost Accounting	4.5	This course focuses on the evaluation of business cost elements and budgeting for future periods. Topics include cost analysis, variances, inventory costing and control of business finances. Prerequisite: AC1420 Financial Accounting or equivalent	ACC 3030	Cost Accounting and Budgeting	3
AC 2799	Accounting Capstone Project	4.5	This is a project course in which students solve an accounting problem that is designed to combine elements of courses in the program. The instructor must approve the scope and depth of the student's project and acts as a resource for the student during the execution of the project. A formal written document and presentation are required. Prerequisites: Must be taken during the student's final quarter of study	ELE		3

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BU 1110	Introduction to Business	4.5	This course explores fundamental processes of management, teamwork, motivation, customer satisfaction, and the production of goods and services. Students will examine ethical and social responsibilities for businesses, and compare business operations in U.S. companies to business operations in foreign countries.	BUS 1010	Introduction to Business	3
BU 1410	Management Information Systems	4.5	This course examines fundamentals of information systems used in business. Topics include choice of hardware and software, security, backup, virus protection, and the use of internal and external communication to solve business problems. Prerequisite: BU1110 Introduction to Business or equivalent	BUS 2510	Business Computer Applications	3
BU 2620	Fundamentals of Bus. Comm.	4.5	This course explores methods to create effective communications within the organization. Concentration is on collaborative communications, communicating bad-news messages and conducting persuasive presentations. Students practice with a variety of electronic and hard copy media and will give a professional presentation at the end of the course. Prerequisite: EN1320 Composition I or equivalent	BUS 3360	Business Communications	3

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BU 2799	Business MGT Capstone Proj.	4.5	This is a project course in which students solve a business problem that is designed to combine elements of all of the courses in the program. The instructor must approve the scope and depth of the student's project and acts as a resource for the student during the execution of the project. A formal written document and presentation are required. Prerequisites: Must be taken during the student's final quarter of study	BUS 4700		3
BU 3110	Business Negotiation	4.5	This course examines topics in business negotiation, such as general contracts, labor agreements and sales contracts. Students will use standard scenarios to practice developing settlements that are fair for all parties involved in a negotiation. Prerequisites: BU1110 Introduction to Business or equivalent or PM3110 Introduction to Project Management or equivalent, FN2640 Fundamentals of Finance or equivalent or FN3140 Accounting and Finance for Business or equivalent	ELE		3
BU 3315	Quantitative Analysis	4.5	This course focuses on mathematical methods used in decision making. Topics include linear programming, queuing theory, transportation method and working under conditions of uncertainty to make choices that improve business outcomes. Students will use software to practice solving business problems. Prerequisite: MA3110 Statistics or equivalent	BUS 3590	Quantitative Methods	3

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CJ 1110	INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE	4.5	This survey course introduces the scope, principles and purposes of the American criminal justice system with emphasis on criminology, forensics, law enforcement, courts, corrections and security.	CRJ 2070	INTRODUCTION TO CRIMINAL JUSTICE	3
CJ 1210	CRIMINOLOGY	4.5	This course introduces the fundamentals of the causes and control of crime. Prerequisite: CJ1110 Introduction to Criminal Justice or equivalent	CRJ 3090	THEORIES IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE	3
CJ 1220	FUNDAMENTALS OF LAW ENFORCEMENT	4.5	This course provides an overview of policing and law enforcement, criminal justice administration and community policing. Topics include a historical and social review of policing with an emphasis on current trends and strategies used by modern law enforcement agencies to combat and prevent crime. Prerequisite: CJ1110 Introduction to Criminal Justice or equivalent	CRJ 3330	POLICE SYSTEMS	3
CJ 1310	CRIMINAL JUSTICE REPORT WRITING	4.5	This course introduces the process of documenting and writing clear, concise, complete and accurate reports common in criminal justice fields. Prerequisites: CJ1110 Introduction to Criminal Justice or equivalent, EN1320 Composition I or equivalent	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	3
CJ 1320	INVESTIGATIONS	4.5	This course introduces the processes and procedures used in conducting investigations in criminal justice fields. Students will practice detection, investigation and solution of criminal justice problems. Prerequisite: CJ1110 Introduction to Criminal Justice or equivalent	CRJ 3340	CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS	3

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CJ 1440	COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS	4.5	This course introduces fundamentals of the probation and parole system in the United States as well as other components of community corrections. Prerequisite: CJ1210 Criminology or equivalent	CRJ 3350	CORRECTIONAL SYSTEMS	3
CJ 1470	CRIMINALISTICS	4.5	This course introduces modern methods used to examine and investigate evidence. This course includes problem sets and a laboratory component. Prerequisite: CJ1320 Investigations or equivalent	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	3
CJ 2570	FORENSIC TECHNOLOGY	4.5	This course is a continuation of the study of forensics begun in the Criminalistics course. Students use principles of forensics and technology tools to further examine evidence and recreate crime scenes. Prerequisite: CJ1470 Criminalistics or equivalent	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	3
CJ 2640	THE AMERICAN JAIL	4.5	This course introduces the process and procedures used in jailing in the United States, including security, booking, operations and jail programs. Topics include the relationship between courts and jails. Prerequisite: CJ1210 Criminology or equivalent	CRJ 3350	CORRECTIONAL SYSTEMS	3
CJ 2650	SECURITY OPERATIONS AND MANAGEMENT	4.5	This course introduces fundamentals of planning, resource allocation, risk management and implementation of a prepared plan in providing security and in times of crisis. Prerequisite: CJ1110 Introduction to Criminal Justice or equivalent	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	3

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CJ 2670	COMPUTER FORENSICS	4.5	This course introduces fundamentals of securing a crime scene and gathering evidence from computers used in a crime. Prerequisite: CJ1110 Introduction to Criminal Justice or equivalent	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	3
CJ 2699	CRIMINAL JUSTICE EXTERNSHIP	4.5	This course provides students with an opportunity to apply knowledge and skills acquired in the program in a real world experience for 135 hours. Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 67 credits earned in the program of study	CRJ 4050	INTERNSHIP	3
CJ 2799	CRIMINOLOGY & FORENSIC TECHNOLOGY CAPSTONE PROJECT	4.5	This is a culminating course in the Criminology and Forensic Technology program. Students are given the opportunity to demonstrate skills and knowledge developed from courses in the program. Prerequisites: Must be taken during the student's final quarter of study, and requires prior satisfactory completion of CJ2570 Forensic Technology or equivalent	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	3
CO 2520	COMMUNICATIONS	4.5	The course focuses on the history, principles and techniques of interpersonal, organizational and mass communications, and on communicating using written, verbal and visual formats. Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 54 credits earned in the program of study including EN1320 Composition I or equivalent	COM 1010	ORAL COMMUNICATION	3

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EG 351	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	4	This course introduces theories and principles of how an individual's thoughts, feelings and actions are influenced by their social interaction. This course focuses on how to apply these principles to understanding our dynamic world. Prerequisites: EG372 Written Analysis or equivalent, An introductory level Social Science course	PSY 3060	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	2.66
EG 360	INTRODUCTORY CALCULUS	4	This course is an introduction to differential and integral calculus. This course will include, but is not limited to, the following concepts: limits, derivatives, antiderivatives and antidifferentiation, and both indefinite and definite integrals. Prerequisite: GE192 College Mathematics II or equivalent	MAT 1120	PRE-CALCULUS MATH	2.66
EG 371	RESEARCH METHODS	4	This course offers a step-by-step, systematic approach to conducting research. Emphasis is on using critical thinking, efficient research techniques and the ITT Tech Virtual Library to produce an in-depth white paper. Prerequisite: GE117 Composition I or equivalent	ELE	ELECTIVE CREDIT	2.66
EG 372	WRITTEN ANALYSIS	4	This upper level writing course focuses on writing analytical documents. Areas of study include principles and techniques of drafting and refining an analysis of a complex document or situation. Prerequisites: EG371 Research Methods or equivalent, GE217 Composition II or equivalent	ENG 3340	WRITING ACROSS DISCIPLINES	2.66

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EG 381	STATISTICS	4	<p>This course is designed to offer students the skills necessary to interpret and critically evaluate statistics commonly used to describe, predict and evaluate data in an information-driven environment. The focus is on the conceptual understanding of how statistics can be used and how to evaluate statistical data.</p> <p>Prerequisite: GE127 College Mathematics I or equivalent</p>	MAT 3180	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	2.66
EG 462	CONTEMPORARY WORLD CULTURE	4	<p>This interdisciplinary study of contemporary world culture focuses on the impact of globalization and electronic communication. This course explores how global economical, cultural, political and communication processes are influenced by the rapid technological changes within our contemporary world.</p> <p>Prerequisites: EG372 Written Analysis or equivalent, An introductory level Social Science course</p>	PSY 3060	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	2.66
EG 481	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES	4	<p>This course offers an integrative approach to global, environmental issues. Topics of study include the analysis of environmental challenges confronting contemporary, global society against a political, geographical, cultural and economical backdrop. Students are instructed on how to apply a systematic problem solving approach in reviewing the issues, related policies and recommendations for confronting these challenges.</p> <p>Prerequisites: EG371 Research Methods or equivalent, An introductory level Social Science course</p>	EAS 2080	LIFE SCIENCE	2.66

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EN 1320	COMPOSITION I	4.5	This course examines phases of the writing process, with emphasis on the structure of writing and techniques for communicating clearly, precisely and persuasively. Prerequisite: GS1145 Strategies for the Technical Professional or equivalent	ENG 1010	ENGLISH COMPOSITION I	3
EN 1420	COMPOSITION II	4.5	This course builds on the foundations of Composition I with additional emphasis in rhetorical structures, argumentation, and research. Presenting strong arguments using visual and oral communication techniques is also included. Prerequisite: EN1320 Composition I or equivalent	ENG1020	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	3
EN 3220	WRITTEN ANALYSIS	4.5	This course introduces theories and principles of critical and creative thinking with the goal of analysis and production of comprehensive written documents. Focus is on critically evaluating ideas and arguments. Prerequisites: EN1420 Composition II or equivalent, SS3150 Research Methods or equivalent	ENG 3340	WRITING ACROSS DISCIPLINES	3

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ES 2550	Microeconomics	4.5	This course introduces the economic way of thinking and applies basic principles of microeconomics. It is the study of choices made by households, firms and governments and how these choices impact the market economy. Prerequisites: MA1210 College Mathematics I or equivalent, EN1320 Composition I or equivalent. Students may not receive credit for both ES2550 Microeconomics or equivalent and ES2555 Survey of Economics or equivalent.	ECO 2100	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ES 2560	Macroeconomics	4.5	This course is the study of aggregate economic activity. Students apply basic principles of macroeconomics to unemployment, inflation and economic growth. Prerequisites: MA1210 College Mathematics I or equivalent, EN1320 Composition I or equivalent. Students may not receive credit for both ES2555 Survey of Economics or equivalent and ES2560 Macroeconomics or equivalent.	ECO 2110	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
FN 2640	Fundamentals of Finance	4.5	This course examines factors included in financial decision-making, such as return on investment, financial planning, budgeting and the comparison of different corporate investments. It also covers the timing of cash flow and its impact on the desirability of investments. Prerequisites: MA1210 College Mathematics I or equivalent, AC1420 Financial Accounting or equivalent	BUS 3200	Business Finance	3

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FN 3140	Accounting and Finance for Bus	4.5	In this course, students will analyze the cost structure and timing of cash flows in a business, and use the budget and financial performance of the business as the basis to evaluate the attractiveness of its capital investments.	ACC 3045		3
GE 192	College Mathematics II	4	This course will include, but is not limited to, the following concepts: exponential and logarithmic equations and functions, graphs of trigonometric functions, trigonometric equations, polar coordinates, oblique triangles, vectors and sequences. Prerequisite: GE127 College Mathematics I or equivalent	MAT 1060	MATHEMATICS FOR LIBERAL ARTS	2.66
GE 217	COMPOSITION II	4	This course focuses on appropriate rhetoric structures and styles for analytical and argumentative writing. Emphasis is placed on critical thinking, reading skills and elements of research in the information age. Prerequisite: GE117 Composition I or equivalent	ENG 1010	ENGLISH COMPOSITION II	2.66
GE 253	PHYSICS	4	Students in this course study the concepts of general physics. Practical applications demonstrate the theory. Prerequisite: GE192 College Mathematics II or equivalent	ELE	ELECTIVE CREDIT	2.66
GE 347	GROUP DYNAMICS	4	In this course, students examine elements of successful teams and small decision-making groups. Emphasis is on communication, critical thinking and group process techniques. Prerequisite: GE117 Composition I or equivalent	COM 3150	SMALL GROUP & TEAMBUILDING COMMUNICATION	2.66

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GE 375	PSYCHOLOGY	4	This course introduces psychological theories from behavioristic, humanistic and biological viewpoints. Primary focus is on exploring how selected principles of psychology apply to students' personal lives and social behavior. Students apply the skills of critical thinking, observation, and information gathering and analysis as they practice social science and scientific methodology. Prerequisite: GE117 Composition I or equivalent	PSY 1010	INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY	2.66
MA 1210	COLLEGE MATHEMATICS I	4.5	This course focuses on fundamental mathematical concepts including quadratic, polynomial and radical equations, linear functions and their graphs, systems of linear equations, functions and their properties and matrices. Activities will include solving problems and using appropriate technological tools. Prerequisite: GS1140 Problem Solving Theory or equivalent	MAT 1060	MATHEMATICS FOR LIBERAL ARTS	3
MA 1310	COLLEGE MATHEMATICS II	4.5	This course will include the following concepts: exponential and logarithmic equations and functions, graphs of trigonometric functions, trigonometric equations, polar coordinates, oblique triangles, vectors and sequences. Prerequisite: MA1210 College Mathematics I or equivalent	MAT 1060	MATHEMATICS FOR LIBERAL ARTS	3

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MA 3110	STATISTICS	4.5	This course introduces descriptive and inferential statistics. Topics include probability and probability distributions, confidence intervals, hypothesis testing and linear regression. Prerequisites: EN1320 Composition I or equivalent, MA1210 College Mathematics I or equivalent	MAT 3180	INTRODUCTION TO STATISTICS	3
MA 3310	CALCULUS I	4.5	This course is an introduction to differential and integral calculus. Topics include limits, continuity, derivatives, antiderivatives and both definite and indefinite integrals. Prerequisite: MA1310 College Mathematics II or equivalent	MAT 2610	CALCULUS I	3
MA 3410	CALCULUS II	4.5	A continuation of Calculus I, this course introduces methods of integration, partial derivatives and double integration, integration and differentiation of the trigonometric and logarithmic functions, series and progressions, the Laplace transform, and differential equations. Prerequisite: MA3310 Calculus I or equivalent	MAT 2620	CALCULUS II	3
MG 1350	Fundamentals of Supervision	4.5	This course is an overview of the role of supervision in business. Students examine the challenges of motivation, communication, health and safety issues, collective bargaining and ethical conduct in the workplace. Prerequisite: BU1110 Introduction to Business or equivalent	ELE		3

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MG 2650	Fundamentals of Management	4.5	This course explores the concept that supervision and management are related, but involve different styles. It reviews where management fits in the organization chart and how managers motivate employees for best organizational results. Concentration is on management's responsibility to bring value to shareholders through the execution of traditional management functions. Prerequisite: MG1350 Fundamentals of Supervision or equivalent	MGT 3300	Principles of Management	3
MK 2530	Fundamentals of Marketing	4.5	This course provides an overview of elements of a marketing plan, market segmentation, product and service mix and global competitive forces. The culminating project includes the completion of a marketing plan for a new product or service. Prerequisite: BU1110 Introduction to Business or equivalent	MKT 3400	Principles of Marketing	3
PH 2530	PHYSICS	4.5	This course introduces students to the principles of general physics. Practical applications demonstrate the theory. This course includes a laboratory component. Prerequisite: MA1310 College Mathematics II or equivalent	ELE	ELECTIVE CREDIT	3
PL 1110	INTRODUCTION TO PARALEGAL	4.5	This course provides an overview of the paralegal's role in the legal services industry, including an introduction to client interaction, case preparation, legal research, courtroom assistance and related ethical considerations. The structure of the American legal system and its processes are examined.	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	3

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PL 201	FAMILY LAW	4	Students study prenuptial agreements, marriage, adoption, annulment, dissolution of marriage and legal separation, alimony, property settlement, child custody and support, and paternity actions. This course will focus on practical aspects such as investigation, preparation of pleadings and other documents, court procedures, settlement agreements, and post decree modifications. Prerequisite: PL103 Technology in the Law Office	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	2.66
PL 202	CIVIL LITIGATION	4	This course introduces the structure and operation of civil courts as well as the paralegal's role in gathering and organizing factual information with emphasis on the discovery process and document drafting. Prerequisite: PL103 Technology in the Law Office	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	2.66
PL 206	LEGAL RESEARCH & WRITING II	4	This course continues to study legal research and writing and will emphasize the development and ability to capably analyze, interpret and communicate facts, ideas, and law through comprehension of legal research techniques. Prerequisite: PL106 Legal Research and Writing I	CRJ 2900	CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESEARCH & WRITING	2.66

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PL 207	CONTRACT LAW	4	This course reviews the basic theory of contract law and how to draft simple contracts. This course covers the fundamentals of contract law, specifically contractual elements and standard contractual provisions, contract provisions in selected specialized practice areas, the Statute of Frauds, and the Uniform Commercial Code. Prerequisite: PL103 Technology in the Law Office	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	2.66
PL 208	TORT LAW	4	This course introduces civil tort liability, negligence, strict liability, and product liability, focusing on the role of the paralegal in the role of the paralegal in personal injury litigation. Prerequisite: PL103 Technology in the Law Office	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	2.66
PL 270	PARALEGAL EXTERNSHIP	4	This course provides students with the opportunity to directly apply the knowledge and skills learned in the program by working in a law office or agency or other suitable location for 120 hours. Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 72 credits earned in the program of study and approval of the School of Criminal Justice Chair	CRJ 4050	INTERNSHIP	2.66
PL 299	PARALEGAL CAPSTONE	4	This course provides a culminating experience in the paralegal program. Students are given the opportunity to demonstrate competency and knowledge they have learned throughout the program. Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 80 credits earned in the program of study including PL206 Legal Research and Writing II or equivalent	CRJ 3990	SPECIAL TOPICS	2.66

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PM 3110	Intro to Project Management	4.5	This course explores the discipline of project management. Topics include characteristics and phases of a project, the project life cycle, project process groups, project knowledge areas and project standards. Students will compare project management to program management.	ELE		3
PM 3220	Project Communication and Doc	4.5	This course explores a variety of project documents, project communications and the management of multiple projects within the same time period. Students will prepare and analyze primary project documents, such as project management plans, requirements documents and baselines, and will study different forms of project communications. Prerequisite: PM3110 Introduction to Project Management or equivalent	ELE		3
PM 3225	Proj MGT Tools and Techniques	4.5	This course introduces tools and techniques used in project management. Topics include defining project scope, identifying and tracking project risks, and evaluating, controlling and closing a project. Project management software is used to develop an integrated project plan and create a project work breakdown structure and schedule. Prerequisite: PM3110 Introduction to Project Management or equivalent	MGT 4010	Fundamentals of Project Management	3

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PM 3320	Project Cost and Budget Mgt	4.5	This course examines the importance of cost management in executing a project plan and incorporates the elements of mid-course changes and cash flow management. Topics include cost estimation, creating a realistic baseline, evaluating project performance and presenting project benefits to the customer. Prerequisite: PM3110 Introduction to Project Management or equivalent	MGT 4320		3
PM 3325	Project Quality Management	4.5	This course provides an applied review of quality principles related to projects. Topics include problem solving tools, such as flow charts, checklists, cause and effect diagrams, and audit techniques to assess compliance with company-documented processes. Prerequisites: MA3110 Statistics or equivalent, PM3225 Project Management Tools and Techniques or equivalent	MGT 4010		3
PM 3420	Procurement and Contract Mgt	4.5	This course examines the preparation and analysis of a project procurement plan, following guidelines described in the PMBOK® Guide. Topics include logistics, ethics, closure and administration of the procurement process, including required documentation. Prerequisite: PM3225 Project Management Tools and Techniques or equivalent	MGT 3990 or ELE		3

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PM 4530	Management of Global Projects	4.5	This course explores the management of multi-cultural, multi-national projects. Topics include leading virtual meetings and building trust and cooperation among teams that have different work standards. Prerequisite: PM3225 Project Management Tools and Techniques or equivalent	MGT 3990 or ELE		3
PM 4620	Project Risk Management	4.5	This course examines the process of assessing and managing risk in a project. Topics include developing a project risk management plan, identifying and documenting risk in a project, performing qualitative and quantitative risk analyses, planning risk responses and applying PMBOK® and PMI® standards to a project. Prerequisites: MA3110 Statistics or equivalent, PM3225 Project Management Tools and Techniques or equivalent	MGT 3990 or ELE		3
PM 4799	Proj Mgt and Admin Capstone	4.5	This is a project course, designed to combine elements of courses in the program, in which students develop and present a formal, detailed and comprehensive project management plan. A formal written document and presentation are required. Prerequisites: Completion of a minimum of 171 credits earned in the program of study	MGT 4700		3

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PS 1350	AMERICAN GOVERNMENT	4.5	This course examines principles and theory related to the United States federal government, including the development and foundations of the U.S. Constitution, the organization and function of the federal government including the legislative, executive and judicial branches, political parties, the electoral process, and the relationship between states and the federal government. Prerequisite: EN1320 Composition I or equivalent	POS 2110	AMERICAN GOVERNMENT	3
PY 3150	PSYCHOLOGY	4.5	This course introduces psychological theories from behavioral, humanistic and biological viewpoints. Students apply the skills of critical thinking, observation, information gathering and analysis to practice social science and scientific methodology. Prerequisite: EN1320 Composition I or equivalent	PSY 1010	INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY	3
SC 1130	SURVEY OF THE SCIENCES	4.5	This survey course is designed to familiarize the student with the methods of rational inquiry and problem solving in the sciences. Students will explore a selection of topics in the scientific fields including physics, chemistry, biology, astronomy and earth science, to develop basic scientific literacy and the ability to critically analyze issues of science. This course includes a laboratory component.	NAS 1500	SURVEY OF NATURAL SCIENCE	3

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SC 4730	ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	4.5	<p>This course explores the issues of environmental science using an integrative approach against a political, geographic, cultural and economic backdrop. Through hands-on and virtual labs and applied problem sets, students will study the impact humans have on the environment and the costs and benefits of mitigating the impact. This course includes a laboratory component.</p> <p>Prerequisites: EN1420 Composition II or equivalent, MA1210 College Mathematics I or equivalent</p>	EAS 2080	LIFE SCIENCE	3
SP 2750	GROUP THEORY	4.5	<p>This course is an overview of the theory related to groups of people bonded by task or culture. Emphasis is on communication, critical thinking and group process theory, including social exchange theory, structuration theory, functional theory, group ethics, diversity and related communication conflicts, group decision-making, creativity, leadership and gender.</p> <p>Prerequisite: EN1320 Composition I or equivalent</p>	COM 3150	SMALL GROUP & TEAMBUILDING COMMUNICATION	3
SP 3450	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	4.5	<p>This course is a survey of theories and research concerned with how individuals behave in social constructs, and how they influence and are influenced by other people.</p> <p>Prerequisites: EN1420 Composition II or equivalent, SS3150 Research Methods or equivalent</p>	PSY 3060	SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY	3

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SS 3150	RESEARCH METHODS	4.5	<p>This course introduces a step-by-step approach to conducting research. Topics include scientific reasoning, applying critical thinking principles to assess validity and reliability in research, and production of research-based documents.</p> <p>Prerequisites: EN1420 Composition II or equivalent, MA3110 Statistics or equivalent or MA3310 Calculus I or equivalent</p>	ELE	ELECTIVE CREDIT	3