Innovative Team Leadership I
MSCI 2100

Class Hours: 2.0  Credit Hours: 2.0
Laboratory Hours: 3.0  Revised: Spring 2011

Catalog Course Description:

This course explores the dimensions of creative and innovative tactical strategies and styles by examining team dynamics and two historical leadership theories that form the basis of the Army leadership framework. Aspects of personal motivation and team building are practiced: planning, executing, and assessing team exercises and participating in leadership labs.

Entry Level Standards:

Student must consult with Army ROTC at UTK prior to enrollment (974-5371).

Prerequisites:

U.S. citizen

Textbook(s) and Other Course Materials:

Innovative Team Leadership

I. Week/Unit/Topic Basis:

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II. Course Goals*:

A. Exhibit an introductory knowledge of drill and ceremonies. II.2, II.3, III.2
B. Exhibit an introductory knowledge of land navigation. II.2, II.3, III.2
C. Exhibit an introductory knowledge of military physical fitness. II.2, II.3, III.2
D. Exhibit an introductory knowledge of basic military tactics. II.2, II.3, III.2

*Roman numerals after course goals reference goals of the university parallel program.

III. Expected Student Learning Outcomes*:

The student will be able to:

1. Conduct individual, squad, platoon and company drill and ceremonies with weapons. A
2. Apply customs and traditions of the service. A
3. Complete a hands on Drill & Ceremonies evaluation. A
4. Prepare and issue an oral operations order. B,D
5. Train basic team and squad tactics. D
6. Perform basic team and squad tactics. D
7. Navigate while dismounted. B
8. Report casualties via meddevac. C,D

* Capital letters after Expected Student Learning Outcomes reference the course goals listed above.

IV. Evaluation:

A. Testing Procedures: 60 pts.
   - Mid-term exam  30 pts
   - Final exam 30 pts.

B. Laboratory Expectations:
   - N/A

C. Field Work: 30 pts.
   - Warrior Ethos Assignment 10 pts.
   - Army Briefing Assignment 20 pts.

D. Other Evaluation Methods: 10 pts.
   - Class participation 10 pts.

E. Grading Scale:
   - 93 – 100 A
   - 88 – 92 B+
   - 83 – 87 B
   - 78 – 82 C+
   - 70 – 77 C
   - 60 – 69 D
   - Below 60 F

V. Policies:
A. Attendance Policy:

Pellissippi State expects students to attend all scheduled instructional activities. As a minimum, students in all courses (excluding distance learning courses) must be present for at least 75 percent of their scheduled class and laboratory meetings in order to receive credit for the course. Individual departments/programs/disciplines, with the approval of the vice president of the Learning Division, may have requirements that are more stringent. In very specific circumstances, an appeal of the policy may be addressed to the head of the department in which the course was taken. If further action is warranted, the appeal may be addressed to the vice president of the Learning Division.

Class attendance is mandatory. Each unexcused absence will result in a one point deduction from the final grade up to a total of 10 points, unless prior approval is granted.

B. Academic Dishonesty:

Academic misconduct committed either directly or indirectly by an individual or group is subject to disciplinary action. Prohibited activities include but are not limited to the following practices:

• Cheating, including but not limited to unauthorized assistance from material, people, or devices when taking a test, quiz, or examination; writing papers or reports; solving problems; or completing academic assignments.
• Plagiarism, including but not limited to paraphrasing, summarizing, or directly quoting published or unpublished work of another person, including online or computerized services, without proper documentation of the original source.
• Purchasing or otherwise obtaining prewritten essays, research papers, or materials prepared by another person or agency that sells term papers or other academic materials to be presented as one’s own work.
• Taking an exam for another student.
• Providing others with information and/or answers regarding exams, quizzes, homework or other classroom assignments unless explicitly authorized by the instructor.
• Any of the above occurring within the Web or distance learning environment.

C. Accommodations for disabilities:

Students who need accommodations because of a disability, have emergency medical information to share, or need special arrangements in case the building must be evacuated should inform the instructor immediately, privately after class or in her or his office. Students must present a current accommodation plan from a staff member in Services for Students with Disabilities (SSWD) in order to receive accommodations in this course. Services for Students with Disabilities may be contacted by going to Goins 127, 132, 134, 135, 131 or by phone: 539-7153 or TTY 694-6429. More information is available at www.pstcc.edu/departments/swd/.