

BRITISH COLUMBIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Course Outline Part A

Business

Program: PART TIME STUDIES

Option: Marketing Management

MKTG 2341

Introduction to Marketing Research

Hours/Week:

3

Total Hours:

36

Term/Level:

199920

Lecture:

3

Total Weeks:

12

Credits:

3

Lab:

Other:

Prerequisites:

MKTG 1102 - Essentials of Marketing

MKTG 2202 - Introduction to Marketing Communications

Course Objectives:

The objectives of this course are for students to: gain a basic understanding of the role of marketing research; become familiar with the procedures of both qualitative and quantitative research methods; understand the applications for primary and secondary research; and design their own primary research project, including problem identification, questionnaire design and generation of a final report based on the findings of the research.

| Evaluation | | | |
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| Mid-Term Exam | | 20% | |
| Secondary Research Assignment | | 10% | |
| Primary Research Projects: | Questionnaire | 10% | |
| | Written Report | 30% | |
| | Oral Presentation | 10% | |
| Final Exam | | <u>20%</u> | |
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| TOTAL | 9 | 100% | |

Course Summary:

At the completion of the course, students will have: gained an understanding of the role of marketing research; understood the difference between qualitative and quantitative research methods; designed and critiqued a questionnaire; and gained an understanding of primary and secondary research and incorporated that understanding in a market research project.

| Course Record | | | |
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| Developed by: | Instructor Name and Department (signature) | Date: | |
| Revised by: | Instructor Name and Department (signature) | Date: | , |
| Approved by: | Associate Dean (signature) | Start Date: | |



BRITISH COLUMBIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Course Outline Part B

Business

Program: **PART TIME STUDIES** Option: **Marketing Management**

MKTG 2341 Introduction to Marketing Research

Effective Date

April 1999

Instructor(s)

Office No.:

Phone:

Office Hours:

Required Text(s) and Equipment

Exploring Marketing Research - by Zikmund - Harcourt Brace / Publishers

Reference Text(s) & Recommended Equipment

Marketing Research in Canada - Darmon, Rene Y., Loroche, Michel and McGowan, K Marketing Research - Luck, Wales, Taylor and Rubin, Prentice Hall Do It Yourself Marketing Research - George Edward Breen, McGaw Hill The Survey Research Handbook - Alreck and Settle Enjoying Research - A "How To" Manual on Needs Assessment Marketing Research, Text and Cases - Boyde, Westfall and Stasch Irwin, 6th Edition Research for Marketing Decision Making - James Barnes Marketing Research - David A. Aaker and George S. Day

Course Notes (Policies and Procedures)

- 1. ALL OUTLINES, SCHEDULES AND MARK ALLOCATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.
- 2. This course outline may assist you in the future to receive credit for all or part of a course from another post-secondary institution or from a professional program. It is strongly recommended that you keep this course outline in a safe place for future reference.
- 3. CHEATING, PLAGIARISM AND DISHONESTY: "Acts of cheating, plagiarism and dishonesty are not tolerated; the degree of punitive action may range from a written warning to withdrawal from the program. These penalties may also be applied to student who knowingly contribute to the act of dishonesty, cheating and plagiarism." (Refer to the current BCIT Calendar.)

| Session | Outcome/Material Covered | Reference/ Reading |
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| 1 | Introduction to Marketing Research | Course Outline |
| 2 | Defining the Marketing Research Program | Chapters 1 to 4 Secondary research assignment assigned |
| 3 | Exploratory Research Internal & External Secondary Data | Chapters 5 to 7 |
| 4 | Primary Data Survey Research | Chapters 8, 9 Secondary Research Assignment due |
| 5 | Non-Survey Research Questionnaire Construction | Chapters 10 to 12 Primary research project Chapter 15 |
| 6 | MIDTERM - EXAM | Questionnaire assigned |
| 7 | Sampling and Field Work | Chapter 16 to 18 |
| 8 | Data Analysis | Chapters 19 to 20 |
| 9 | Advanced Analysis | Chapters 21 to 24 |
| 10 | The Research Report and Presentation | Chapter 25 |
| 11 | Oral Class Presentations | <i>Oral due</i> Written due |
| 12 | FINAL EXAM | |