Colorado Christian University

College: College of Adult and Graduate Studies (CAGS)
Course Title: Entrepreneurial Growth – The Next Level

Course Number: ENT 340

Course Location: CAGS Centers and Online

Credit Hours: 3 Instructor: Various

Semester:
Office Hours:
CCU Phone:
E-mail:

Course Description as found in catalog / Course Information:

Students expand their application of entrepreneurial skills through a business growth simulation of a manufacturing firm within a given industry. Research and development, marketing, production, finance, human resource management and continuous quality improvement decisions all come into play as student teams compete and seek entrepreneurial growth for their companies.

Pre-requisites / Co-requisites: None

Required Textbooks and Course Materials:

Management Simulations, Inc. Foundation Business Simulation Student Guide 2008.

Available through: Management Simulations, Inc. at www.capsim.com. (\$39.99).

Optional textbooks and course materials (but recommended):

Kuratko, D. and Welsch, H. (2003). *Strategic Entrepreneurial Growth*. (Southwestern College Publications). ISBN: 0324258232

Additional Requirements: N/A

Learner Objectives and Competencies:

- 1. Students will apply entrepreneurial decision-making for growth in a simulated environment.
- 2. Students will demonstrate functional skills in the business areas of research and development, marketing, production, finance, human resource management, and quality improvement.
- 3. Students will reinforce their team-building and negotiation skills in executive teams with the common goal to manage and grow their companies.
- 4. Students will incorporate ethical decision-making and a Christian world view in their business practices.

Course Objectives: This is the fourth course in the entrepreneurship certificate.

Learner Assessment (Note: Learner Assessments are subject to change pending course development.):

Assessment:	Points:
1. 2 practice decision rounds	25 points each
2. 8 to 10 competitive decision rounds	50 points each
3. Peer report	50 points
4. Threaded discussion (2 for in-seat; 5 for on-line)	25 points each
5. Reflection paper	50 points

Grading method: NOTE: The standard CAGS Grading Scale is included in the CAGS eCompanion Course/eCourse Policies and Procedures, and the Nursing Student Handbook.

Course Policies and Procedures: The following statement is included in each CAGS syllabus and refers to the information that will be located in the proposed course shell upon approval and subsequent development of the course:

Please carefully read the CAGS Course Policies and Procedures located in the Course Syllabus section of your course shell before you begin this course. You are responsible for understanding and following these policies whenever you participate in a CAGS Course.

To find the Course Development Handbook, please note that you can navigate the luke.ccu.edu webpage, click on the CCU Online (eCompanion) menu item. You will automatically be directed to the following link: https://secure.ccu.edu/DigitalServicesAccount/CCUOnlineLogon.aspx after you have logged in, click on the IDTInstructional Design Tutorial menu item under Special Courses.

The Integration of Faith, Learning and Living: An important part of your education here at CCU focuses on the integration of faith, learning, and living in relation to the content of each course. One of our goals is to examine course-related material from a Christian worldview. When appropriate, we will discuss legal, ethical, and moral implications relating to course-related topics as well as to our lives in general both while you are here at CCU and in your careers now and after graduation. The authors of our textbooks did not necessarily prepare the course materials based on a Christian worldview. Therefore, we must be aware of and sensitive to legal, ethical, moral, and worldview issues as they arise in class, in our online discussions, and in your written assignments.

In addition to the questions associated with each topic or case study, please be prepared each Week to respond to the following questions:

• Are there any moral or ethical issues raised in relation to this topic or case study? If so, what are they?

- How would you address such issues in real life?
- How does this issue or case correlate with a Christian worldview?
- Can you support your position with at least one biblical reference?

Course Outline and Schedule of Assignments: A Curricular Alignment Table (CAT) that outlines the course delivery and schedule of assignments will be created by the course developer once the course is approved. The course developer will be provided a CAT template from the CAGS curriculum development team at that time.

Special Accommodations: Please refer to the CCU online academic catalog for CCU's policies regarding special accommodations. It can be found at the following link: http://www.ccu.edu/catalog/2007-08/cus/ldc.asp#Disabilities