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Course Objectives/Course Outline
Spokane Community College

Course Title: Advanced Microsoft Project
Prefix and Course Number: CATT 242

Course Learning Outcomes:

By the end of this course, a student should be able to:

By the end of this course, a student will be able to create and manage a practical and effective project plan. They will do this by:

- defining a project, including the scope and project deliverables
- analyzing tasks required for successful project planning and develop a work breakdown structure (WBS)
- determining the task durations and constraints
- considering appropriate task relationships and constructing dependencies
- assigning and managing resources
- evaluating and managing project costs
- tracking the progress of a project
- studying the critical path and making appropriate adjustments
- producing project reports
- integrating Project information with other MS Office applications.

Course Outline:

- I. Utilizing fundamentals learned in CATT 241 for an extensive case study
 - a. Define a project
 - b. Analyze project tasks
 - c. Develop a work breakdown structure
 - d. Assign and manage resources and costs
 - e. Study the critical path
- II. Tracking Progress and Closing the Project
 - a. Set baseline and interim plans
 - b. Simulate project tracking
 - c. Analyze variances
 - d. Create custom views and reports
- III. Sharing Project Information
 - a. Copy and export Project data to other MS Office programs
 - b. Import data from other MS Office programs into Project
 - c. Create links between MS Office programs and Project
 - d. Create and use Project templates
 - e. Consolidate multiple projects into a master project
 - f. Create and use macros