

COURSE OUTLINE				
TERM: Spring 2026	COURSE NO: TOUR 312			
INSTRUCTOR:	COURSE TITLE: Tourism Marketing II			
OFFICE: LOCAL: E-MAIL: @capilanou.ca	SECTION NO(S):	CREDITS: 3.0		
OFFICE HOURS:				
COURSE WEBSITE:				

Capilano University is named after Chief Joe Capilano (1854–1910), an important leader of the Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish) Nation of the Coast Salish Peoples. We respectfully acknowledge that our campuses are located on the unceded territories of the səlilwəta+ (Tsleil-Waututh), shíshálh (Sechelt), Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and xwməθkwəyəm (Musqueam) Nations.

COURSE FORMAT

Three hours of class time, plus an additional hour delivered through on-line or other activities for a 15-week semester, which includes two weeks for final exams. This course may also be offered in mixed mode or online format.

COURSE PREREQUISITES

45 credits of 100 level or higher coursework including TOUR 112

CALENDAR DESCRIPTION

This course gives the students the opportunity to participate in the major activities of integrated marketing communications (IMC) and to develop the knowledge and skills necessary to create and execute marketing communications campaigns in the Tourism and Hospitality industry. Students will gain experience with IMC strategies and tactics for building brand equity using advertising, publicity, personal selling, consumer and trade promotion, online and social network marketing, and relationship marketing.

COURSE NOTE

This course is equivalent to TOUR 212. Duplicate credit will not be granted for this course and TOUR 212.

REQUIRED TEXTS AND/OR RESOURCES

No required text. The instructor will provide readings available through the class eLearn page or online through the Capilano Library.

COURSE STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES

On successful completion of this course, students will be able to do the following:

- 1. Have a working knowledge of strategic and tactical aspects of IMC
- 2. Identify promotional opportunities and utilize tools to best fit the approach required for a set of communication objectives.
- 3. Create original marketing communications collateral for a small tourism operation incorporating and justifying appropriate messaging through the use of the Destination Canada's EQ segmentation tool.
- 4. Assemble and pitch a communications plan for a tourism product, incorporating the major elements of the promotional plan including objectives, strategy, budget, and evaluation.
- 5. Develop a social media factsheet demonstrating relevant information for communication purposes.

COURSE CONTENT

TOPICS

The IMC Foundation

- Integrated Marketing Communications: An Overview
- Strategic Planning Principles
- Branding Strategy
- I-C Agency Meeting: Sandbox Analysis

IMC Advertising Tools

- Advertising Campaign Management
- Advertising Design
- I-C Agency Meeting: The Creative Brief
- Traditional Media Channels

The IMC Mix for Media Planning

- Digital Marketing
- Social Media
- Alternative Marketing
- I-C Agency Meeting: The Media Plan
- Evaluating IMC Programs
- The Creative Pitch

EVALUATION PROFILE

Assessment	% of Final Grade
Assignments	10 – 50 %
Projects	10 - 50 %
Quizzes, Tests, Exams	10 – 40 %
TOTAL	100 %

No one assignment will be valued at more than 30% of the final grade.

ASSIGNMENTS

The assignment structure for this course is determined by the instructor in accordance with the learning outcomes outlined above. Please refer to the course syllabus and eLearn course site for a detailed breakdown.

Written Assignments: This course will include a combination of short written assignments (e.g. reading responses, written analysis, journal) and/or longer assignments such as a report.

Tests and Quizzes: This course will include a combination of quizzes and tests (e.g. pop quiz, midterm exam). The format of tests and quizzes will be determined by the instructor and may include a combination of true/false, multiple choice, short answer, matching, and essay questions.

Projects: This course includes a project component. Detailed instructions will be provided in class and on the eLearn course site.

GRADING PROFILE

A+ = 90-100	B+ = 77-79	C+ = 67-69	D = 50-59
A = 85-89	B = 73-76	C = 63-66	F = 0-49
A- = 80-84	B- = 70-72	C- = 60-62	

Incomplete Grades

Grades of Incomplete "I" are assigned only in exceptional circumstances when a student requests extra time to complete their coursework. Such agreements are made only at the request of the student, who is responsible to determine from the instructor the outstanding requirements of the course.

Late Assignments

Assignments are due at the beginning of the class on the due date listed unless otherwise noted in the course syllabus. If you anticipate handing in an assignment late, please consult with your instructor beforehand. See course syllabus for penalties associated with late assignments

Missed Exams/Quizzes/Labs etc.

Make-up exams, quizzes and/or tests are given at the discretion of the instructor. They are generally given only in medical emergencies or severe personal crises. Some missed labs or other activities may not be able to be accommodated. Rescheduling will not be allowed for reasons such as holidays or work conflict, nor shall re-scheduling be possible after exams have been graded and returned. Please consult with your instructor. Final Exams are to be written on the date and time scheduled. Accommodations can be made to honour community needs and traditional practices.

Attendance

Students are expected to attend all classes and associated activities. Attendance is mandatory if the delivery of this course is through a weekend based format. See course syllabus for penalties related to missed classes.

English Usage

Students are expected to proofread all written work for any grammatical, spelling and stylistic errors. Instructors may deduct marks for incorrect grammar and spelling in written assignments.

Electronic Devices

Students may use electronic devices during class for note-taking only or when working in groups on tasks assigned by the instructor.

On-line Communication

Outside of the classroom, instructors will (if necessary) communicate with students using either their official Capilano University email or eLearn; please check both regularly. Official communication between Capilano University and students is delivered to students' Capilano University email addresses only.

UNIVERSITY OPERATIONAL DETAILS

Tools for Success

Many services are available to support student success for Capilano University students. A central navigation point for all services can be found at: https://www.capilanou.ca/student-services/

Capilano University Security: download the CapU Safe Alert App

Policy Statement (S2009-06)

Capilano University has policies on Academic Appeals (including appeal of final grade), Student Conduct, Academic Integrity, Academic Probation and other educational issues. These and other policies are available on the University website.

Academic Integrity (S2017-05)

Any instance of academic dishonesty or breach of the standards of academic integrity is serious and students will be held accountable for their actions, whether acting alone or in a group. See policy and procedures S2017-05 Academic Integrity for more information: https://www.capilanou.ca/about-capu/governance/policies/

Violations of academic integrity, including dishonesty in assignments, examinations, or other academic performances, are prohibited and will be handled in accordance with the Student Academic Integrity Procedures.

Academic dishonesty is any act that breaches one or more of the principles of academic integrity. Acts of academic dishonesty may include but are not limited to the following types:

Cheating: Using or providing unauthorized aids, assistance or materials while preparing or completing assessments, or when completing practical work (in clinical, practicum, or lab settings), including but not limited to the following:

- Copying or attempting to copy the work of another during an assessment;
- Communicating work to another student during an examination;
- Using unauthorized aids, notes, or electronic devices or means during an examination;
- Unauthorized possession of an assessment or answer key; and/or,
- Submitting of a substantially similar assessment by two or more students, except in the case where such submission is specifically authorized by the instructor.

Fraud: Creation or use of falsified documents.

Misuse or misrepresentation of sources: Presenting source material in such a way as to distort its original purpose or implication(s); misattributing words, ideas, etc. to someone other than the original source; misrepresenting or manipulating research findings or data; and/or suppressing aspects of findings or data in order to present conclusions in a light other than the research, taken as a whole, would support.

Plagiarism: Presenting or submitting, as one's own work, the research, words, ideas, artistic imagery, arguments, calculations, illustrations, or diagrams of another person or persons without explicit or accurate citation or credit.

Self-Plagiarism: Submitting one's own work for credit in more than one course without the permission of the instructors, or re-submitting work, in whole or in part, for which credit has already been granted without permission of the instructors.

Prohibited Conduct: The following are examples of other conduct specifically prohibited:

- Taking unauthorized possession of the work of another student (for example, intercepting and removing such work from a photocopier or printer, or collecting the graded work of another student from a stack of papers);
- Falsifying one's own and/or other students' attendance in a course;
- Impersonating or allowing the impersonation of an individual;

- Modifying a graded assessment then submitting it for re-grading; or,
- Assisting or attempting to assist another person to commit any breach of academic integrity.

Sexual Violence and Misconduct

All Members of the University Community have the right to work, teach and study in an environment that is free from all forms of sexual violence and misconduct. Policy B401 defines sexual assault as follows:

Sexual assault is any form of sexual contact that occurs without ongoing and freely given consent, including the threat of sexual contact without consent. Sexual assault can be committed by a stranger, someone known to the survivor or an intimate partner.

Safety and security at the University are a priority and any form of sexual violence and misconduct will not be tolerated or condoned. The University expects all Students and Members of the University Community to abide by all laws and University policies, including B.401 Sexual Violence Policy and B.401.1 Sexual Violence Procedure (found on Policy page https://www.capilanou.ca/about-capu/governance/policies/)

Emergencies: Students are expected to familiarise themselves with the emergency policies where appropriate and the emergency procedures posted on the wall of the classroom.

DEPARTMENT OR PROGRAM OPERATIONAL DETAILS

See Course syllabus