SYLLABUS SPRING 2014
WEST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE 9000 OVERLAND AVE., CULVER CITY, CA 90230
MARKETING 1
PRINCIPLES OF SELLING (CSU)

Section No. 4436, Wednesday, 6:45-10:00, School Website: www.wlac.edu
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Please do not call if you are going to be late, absent or for lecture notes. Obtain lecture notes from classmates. Call or E-mail only if there is going to be an extended emergency absence.

Learning Outcomes

You, the students, will develop and demonstrate the following learned behaviors:

A. Critical Thinking: Identification and analysis of target markets utilizing computer databases and other published materials, approaching and qualifying prospects, developing needs and setting objectives. The personality style of Decision Makers or Decision Influencers will be assessed.

B. Communication: Effective conversational techniques will be utilized in a sequential manner to approach, engage, probe for needs and business objectives and to persuade based on motivation. A business proposal will be created that quantifies value and cost. The appropriate communication style that mirrors the DM’s and DI’s will be utilized. Weekly role play situations will reinforce behaviors and a final group presentation will demonstrate the principals of professional selling.

C. Ethics: Standards of ethical behavior will be practiced and demonstrated weekly, exemplifying personal and Professional integrity, honesty and fairness. Only explicit needs uncovered in conversations with prospects and valid features verifiable by independent sources will be used in business presentations/proposals.

Class Activities

Lecture
Reading assigned book, class participation and LO’s E-mailed weekly
Weekly role-play demonstrations of the steps of the sale
Mid-term and Final examinations
Final role-play of the steps of the sale

Criteria for Grading (No assignment will be accepted if more than one week late)

Class attendance (if you can’t be on time, be early)  20%
Weekly role plays and LO’s  20%
Mid-term  20%
Final examination  20%
Final role play (Group Presentation)  20%

A = 90%-100%, B = 80%-89%, C = 70%-79%, D = 60%-69%, F less than 60%

Each student is responsible for their enrollment in and withdrawal from the class. Three absences and you can be dropped from the class. No visitors or guests are allowed in classroom. Please turn off cell phones or place on vibrate and leave the classroom before answering. Plagiarism, classroom disruption, etc. will be addressed according to established procedures. Please review Standards of Student Conduct on attached page. You will be held accountable. Standards will be enforced. No food or beverages allowed in the classroom.

No recording devices may be used in the classroom, video or audio. Review your academic progress with a counselor. Recommended Classes: Library Science and Learning Skills. If needed utilize the office of Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSP&S) telephone (310)287-4450. Located in the Student Services Building Room 320.

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