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# **Course Specification**

Course Title: IT Risk Management

Course Code: IT11005

**Program: Information Technology** 

**Department:** Information Technology

College: Computer science and Information Technology

Institution: AL-Baha University

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#### A. General information about the course:

| Со   | Course Identification                         |             |             |        |         |
|------|---|-------------|-------------|--------|---------|
| 1.   | Credit hours:                                 | 3           |             |        |         |
| 2. ( | Course type                                   |             |             |        |         |
| a.   | University □                                  | College □   | Department□ | Track□ | Others□ |
| b.   | Required                                      | Elective⊠   |             |        |         |
|      | Level/year at whered: 10th/4th Y              |             | eis         |        |         |
| 4. ( | Course general                                | Description |             |        |         |
| 5.   | 5. Pre-requirements for this course (if any): |             |             |        |         |
| 6.   | 6. Co- requirements for this course (if any): |             |             |        |         |

#### 7. Course Main Objective(s)

The main objective for this course is to explain the basic terms and concepts of Risk Management as it applies to I&T risk. • Describe the purpose, objectives and importance of risk governance and risk management. • Summarize the risk management process and workflow. • Describe the relationship between assets, risk factors, threats, and vulnerabilities • Describe the use and benefits of risk scenarios • Explain the process and methods used to complete risk identification. • Describe elements and steps necessary to complete risk assessment and analysis • Detail the risk response process and options available. • Outline the importance of an ongoing risk monitoring process and a proactive and continuous approach to risk management.

#### 1. Teaching mode (mark all that apply)

| No | Mode of Instruction   | Contact Hours | Percentage |
|----|---|---------------|------------|
| 1. | Traditional classroom   | 33            | 100%       |
| 2. | E-learning  |               |            |
| 3. | <ul><li>Hybrid</li><li>Traditional classroom</li><li>E-learning</li></ul> |               |            |
| 4. | Distance learning   |               |            |

#### 2. Contact Hours (based on the academic semester)

| No | Activity          | Contact Hours |
|----|-------------------|---------------|
| 1. | Lectures          | 33            |
| 2. | Laboratory/Studio |               |
| 3. | Field             |               |
| 4. | Tutorial          |               |





| 5. | Others (specify) |    |
|----|------------------|----|
|    | Total            | 33 |





# B. Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs), Teaching Strategies and Assessment Methods

| Code | Course Learning  | Code of CLOs aligned | Teaching   | Assessment  |
|------|--|----------------------|--|---|
|      | Outcomes   | with program         | Strategies   | Methods   |
| 1.0  | Knowledge and unde   |                      |  |   |
| 1.1  | Build on a foundational understanding of risk management to include the definitions of risk, related elements, risk management, response | K1                   | Lectures<br>Class discussions                            | Midterm Exam  |
| 1.2  | Describe the purpose, objectives and importance of risk governance and risk management   | K2                   | Lectures Class discussions                               | Midterm Exam  |
|      |  |                      |  |   |
| 2.0  | Skills   |                      |  |   |
| 2.1  | Explain the process and methods used to complete risk identification   | S1                   | Lectures Assignments                                     | Midterm Exam Report Final Exam  |
| 2.2  | Explain the basic terms and concepts of Risk Management as it applies to I&T risk.   | S2                   | Lectures Assignments                                     | Homework Quiz Final Exam  |
| 2.3  | Summarize the risk management process and workflow   | S3                   | Lectures Assignments                                     | Homework Quiz Final Exam  |
| 2.4  | Explore the use of methodologies and tools for risk management   | S4                   | Report  Case-based discussion                            | Oral<br>Presentations   |
| 3.0  | Values, autonomy, ar   | nd responsibility    |  |   |
| 3.1  | Communicate effectively and collaborate with peers   | V1                   | <ul><li>Assignments</li><li>Oral Presentations</li></ul> | <ul><li>Reports</li><li>Presentations</li><li>Class</li><li>Discussions</li></ul> |



| Code | Course Learning<br>Outcomes   | Code of CLOs aligned with program | Teaching<br>Strategies | Assessment<br>Methods |
|------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
|      | on IT Risk Management topics. |                                   |                        |                       |
| 3.2  |                               |                                   |                        |                       |
|      |                               |                                   |                        |                       |

#### C. Course Content

| No | List of Topics  | Contact Hours |
|----|---|---------------|
| 1. | Risk Introduction and Overview  | 3             |
| 2. | Risk Governance and Management  | 3             |
| 3  | Risk Identification   | 3             |
| 4  | Risk Assessment and Analysis  | 3             |
| 5  | Risk Response   | 3             |
| 6  | Risk Monitoring, Reporting, and Communication                                     | 3             |
| 7  | Methods for managing and assessing risk (NIST, OCTAVE, FRAP, COBRA, Risk Watch, F | 6             |
| 8  | Risk treatment (mitigation, transference, acceptance, avoidance                   | 3             |
| 9  | Development of risk management methods  | 3             |
| 10 | Risk management strateg   | 3             |
|    | Total   | 33            |

## **D. Students Assessment Activities**

| No | Assessment Activities *                     | Assessment timing (in week no) | Percentage of Total<br>Assessment Score |
|----|---|--------------------------------|---|
| 1. | Homework                                    | Week 2 till<br>Week 9          | 15%                                     |
| 2. | Report, presentation, and Class discussions | Week 10                        | 15%                                     |
| 3. | Midterm exam                                | Week 6                         | 20%                                     |
| 4. | Final Exam                                  | Week 12                        | 50%                                     |

<sup>\*</sup>Assessment Activities (i.e., Written test, oral test, oral presentation, group project, essay, etc.)





## E. Learning Resources and Facilities

## 1. References and Learning Resources

| Essential References     | Jake Kouns, Daniel Minoli, 2010, Information Technology<br>Risk Management in Enterprise<br>Environments: A Review of Industry Practices and a<br>Practical Guide to Risk Management<br>Teams, John Wiley & Sons, In   |
|--------------------------|--|
| Supportive References    | IT Governance Institute, COBIT 5 Enabling Process, CO  |
| Electronic Materials     | <ul> <li>Access to the Saudi Digital Library (SDL).</li> <li>Using the learning management system of the university – Rafid System (https://lms.bu.edu.sa/).         IEEE/ACM Transactions on Networking https://ieeexplore.ieee.org/xpl/RecentIssue.jsp?punumber=90     </li> </ul> |
| Other Learning Materials | ISO 31000:2009 Risk Management   |

#### 2. Required Facilities and equipment

| Items   | Resources  |
|---|--|
| facilities (Classrooms, laboratories, exhibition rooms, simulation rooms, etc.) | <ul> <li>A classroom or lecture hall with whiteboard for 25 students.</li> </ul> |
| Technology equipment (projector, smart board, software)                         |  |
| Other equipment (depending on the nature of the specialty)                      |  |

#### F. Assessment of Course Quality

| Assessment Areas/Issues              | Assessor  | Assessment Methods  |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| Effectiveness of teaching            | <ul><li>Students</li><li>Peer Reviewer</li><li>Program Leaders</li></ul>                    | <ul><li>Survey (indirect)</li><li>Peer review (direct)</li><li>Class visit (direct</li></ul>                |
| Effectiveness of students assessment | <ul><li>Students</li><li>Exam Evaluation<br/>Committee</li><li>Course Coordinator</li></ul> | <ul> <li>Survey (indirect)</li> <li>Exam Review (direct)</li> <li>review of course file (direct)</li> </ul> |
| Quality of learning resources        | Faculty<br>Students   | Survey (indirect)   |



| Assessment Areas/Issues                     | Assessor  | Assessment Methods                  |
|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| The extent to which CLOs have been achieved | <ul><li>Faculty</li><li>Program Leaders or Course Coordinator</li></ul> | • Exams (direct) Exit Exams (direct |
| Other                                       |   |                                     |

**Assessor** (Students, Faculty, Program Leaders, Peer Reviewer, Others (specify) **Assessment Methods** (Direct, Indirect)

## G. Specification Approval Data

| COUNCIL<br>/COMMITTEE |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| REFERENCE NO.         |  |
| DATE                  |  |

