SPRINGFIELD TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Course Number: <u>SEMT 210</u> Department: <u>Business Administration</u>

Course Title: Introduction to Sports Semester: Fall Year: 2006

Management

Course Objective	Competencies
1. The Context of the Sports Industry	 Explain the various components of the sports industry. Explain the unique opportunities and challenges that exist in the sports industry. Discuss the impact of media and global licensing.
2. Planning Skills	 Apply strategic planning concepts to sports and sport facilities. Apply operational planning concepts to sports and sport facilities. Explain the steps involved in facility and event planning.
3. Organizing Concepts and Skills	 Explain relationships between and among various sports teams and sports agencies. Explain work and organizational design concepts as it relates to sports organizations and recreation industry.

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4. Improving Performance – Motivation and Leadership	 Explain how motivational theories can be applied to athletes, coaches and administrators. Discuss the leadership qualities needed to move the team from average – to good – to great. Explain group dynamics and apply team concepts at the group, team and organizational levels.
5. Communicating for Results	 Explain the basic steps in the communication process. Discuss communication issues related to dealing with the media. Explain the steps involved in dealing with emotional people.
6. Leading and Managing Change	 Explain the significant changes occuring in the Intercollegiate Athletic System and Professional Sports Organizations. Explain the steps required to successfully introduce and manage the change process.