

Southern Wesleyan University

Adult and Graduate Studies

2014

Online Elective Class Schedule

General Information

Registration

Complete a separate registration form for each course that you desire to take. Registration forms must be received four weeks prior to the class start date. (See specific date on schedule.)

Materials Information

Some courses may use E-Books; text access information will be posted to the course site in Canvas approximately two weeks prior to the start of class. For courses using printed materials, books will be shipped via UPS to the address on your registration form. We must have a street address on your registration form; UPS will not deliver to a post office box. If other shipping arrangements need to be made, it is your responsibility to indicate this on your registration form.

Course syllabi will be available on Canvas (accessed via mySWU) approximately two weeks prior to the course start date.

SWU E-mail

Your instructor will use your Southern Wesleyan student e-mail address to communicate with you regarding your course. You should begin checking your SWU student e-mail account for course information approximately two weeks prior to the course start date.

Cost

The course and material costs will be charged at the current Southern Wesleyan University rates.

Financial Aid Recipients

Check your financial aid award letter to be sure that you have received sufficient funds to cover the cost of courses taken in addition to your regular classes. If you do not have a credit balance that will cover the additional cost, you must make arrangements with the Student Accounts Office to pay for the course. The telephone number is (864) 644-5520 or toll-free 1-800-289-1292 x 5520.

Format

Online Electives begin on a Sunday. Students must login to the course site and complete each week's assignments by the designated due dates/times. Please contact the faculty member directly with any questions.

Additional Information

For additional information, please contact your area Student Services Coordinator, at the number listed below.

- Central – (864) 644-5351
- Charleston – (843) 266-7981, ext. 5640
- Columbia – (803) 744-7981, ext. 5628
- Greenville – (864) 672-7981, ext. 5613
- N. Augusta – (803) 426-7981, ext. 5654

Format	Dates	Course	Credit Hours
Online	1/5/2014 to 2/15/2014	MGMT 2263 <i>Employee Development</i>	3
Online	2/16/2014 to 3/29/2014	RELG 2123 <i>Religions of the World</i>	3
Online	3/30/2014 to 5/10/2014	MGMT 2123 <i>Career Management</i>	3
Online	5/11/2014 to 6/21/2014	ENGL 2053 <i>World Cultural Literature</i>	3
Online	6/22/2014 to 8/9/2014	SOSC 2003 <i>Cultural Anthropology</i>	3
Online	8/10/2014 to 9/20/2014	MGMT 3103 <i>Intro to Project Management</i>	3
Online	9/21/2014 to 11/1/2014	MGMT 3123 <i>Consumer Behavior</i>	3
Online	11/2/2014 to 12/20/2014	BIOL 2374 <i>Conservation Biology</i>	4

BIOL 2374 Conservation Biology

This course will explore basic principles and practices involved in the conservation of biological diversity. Instruction will center on readings, forum discussions, brief reflection papers, and interactive computer simulations. Emphasis will be given to scientific concepts, practical applications, and ethical concerns inherent in the discipline of conservation biology. Includes laboratory. 4 credits (meets lab science general education requirement)

ENGL 2053 World Cultural Literature

The relationship between literature and cultures, designed to make students aware of cultures different from their own. Study will include representative works in mythology, folklore, classics, and non-Western literature. 3 credits

MGMT 2123 Career Management

The objectives of this class are to understand business career paths and to gain a competitive advantage in the global workplace by developing lifelong career-management skills. These strategic and tactical career management skills include identifying God's purpose for your life and your career preferences, making informed career decisions, completing and executing a career development and action-planning process, developing networking relationships, creating customized self-marketing tools, and mastering interviewing requirements. The capstone will be to understand how to develop a successful personal brand as well as identify and practice successful work-performance competencies. An important aspect of this class will include a significant focus on the way in which work matters to God and the connection to one's work and what God wants done in the world. 3 credits

MGMT 2263 Employee Development

Examines the philosophy and critical organizational practices required for building and sustaining an organizational culture supportive of a learning environment. Students will explore needs analysis, instructional design, strategic training, educational-technology evaluation methodologies and career-management issues. 3 credits

MGMT 3103 Introduction to the Project Management

This course introduces students to the concepts of project management as outlined by the project management institute (PMI). The students will focus on the critical phases of project management as they step the process of managing a project using the latest project management software, while applying ethical and biblical principles. 3 credits

MGMT 3123 Consumer Behavior

This course is an examination of the basic concepts and research results from Marketing and the Social Sciences with the goal of enabling marketers to better understand customers and meet their needs. The decision making processes of consumers, factors affecting purchasing decisions, and customer satisfaction are major conceptual areas of the course. Implications for marketing strategies (e.g., market segmentation and product design and promotion) are discussed. 3 credits

RELG 2123 Religions of the World

A study of the history and the fundamental teachings of the dominant religions of the world. The basic principles of evangelical Christianity will be used as a standard for evaluating these religions. 3 credits **Does not meet RELG General Education Requirement for students who started after August 2011.

SOSC 2003 Cultural Anthropology

An introduction to the cultural and social aspects of human behavior and a comparison of cultures. 3 credits