

Cerro Coso College  
**Course Outline of Record Report**  
 10/12/2021

**CSCIC193 : System and Network Administration**

**General Information**

Author:	-
Course Code (CB01) :	CSCIC193
Course Title (CB02) :	System and Network Administration
Department:	Business Information Technolog
Proposal Start:	Fall 2013
TOP Code (CB03) :	(0708.10) Computer Networking
SAM Code (CB09) :	Clearly Occupational
Distance Education Approved:	Yes
Course Control Number (CB00) :	CCC000574154
Curriculum Committee Approval Date:	04/01/2016
Board of Trustees Approval Date:	05/05/2016
External Review Approval Date:	06/10/2016
Course Description:	This course provides students with the knowledge and skills required to build, maintain, troubleshoot and support server hardware and software technologies. Topics include environmental issues; disaster recovery and physical / software security procedures; industry terminology and concepts; server roles / specializations; and interaction within the overall computing environment. This course prepares students for the current version of CompTIA's Server+ certification exam.
Submission Type:	New Course
Author:	No value

**Faculty Minimum Qualifications**

Master Discipline Preferred:	No value
Alternate Master Discipline Preferred:	No value
Bachelors or Associates Discipline Preferred:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Computer Information Systems (Computer network installation, microcomputer technology, computer applications)</li> <li>• Computer Service Technology</li> </ul>
Additional Bachelors or Associates Discipline Preferred:	No value

**Course Development Options**

<b>Basic Skills Status (CB08)</b> Course is not a basic skills course.  <input type="checkbox"/> Allow Students to Gain Credit by Exam/Challenge	<b>Course Special Class Status (CB13)</b> Course is not a special class.  <b>Allowed Number of Retakes</b> ~	<b>Grade Options</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Letter Grade Methods</li> </ul> <b>Course Prior To College Level (CB21)</b> ~
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Exam/Challenge	U	Not applicable.
Rationale For Credit By Exam/Challenge	Retake Policy Description	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Allow Students To Audit Course
No value	Type: Non-Repeatable Credit	
Course Support Course Status (CB26)		
No value		

Associated Programs		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Course is part of a program (CB24)		
Associated Program	Award Type	Active
Cyber Security Technology	A.S. Degree Major	Spring 2018
Cyber Security Technician	Certificate of Achievement	Spring 2018

Transferability & Gen. Ed. Options	
Course General Education Status (CB25)	
No value	
Transferability	Transferability Status
Transferable to CSU only	Approved

Units and Hours:	
<b>Summary</b>	
Minimum Credit Units (CB07)	3
Maximum Credit Units (CB06)	3
Total Course In-Class (Contact) Hours	72
Total Course Out-of-Class Hours	90
Total Student Learning Hours	162
Faculty Load	0
<b>Credit / Non-Credit Options</b>	
Course Credit Status (CB04)	Course Non Credit Category (CB22)
	Non-Credit Characteristic

Credit - Degree Applicable

Credit Course.

No Value

**Course Classification Status (CB11)**

Credit Course.

Variable Credit Course

**Funding Agency Category (CB23)**

Not Applicable.

Cooperative Work Experience Education Status (CB10)

**Weekly Student Hours**

	In Class	Out of Class
Lecture Hours	2.5	5
Laboratory Hours	1.5	0
Activity Hours	0	0

**Course Student Hours**

**Course Duration (Weeks)** 18

**Hours per unit divisor** 0

**Course In-Class (Contact) Hours**

Lecture 0

Laboratory 0

Activity 0

**Total** 72

**Course Out-of-Class Hours**

Lecture 0

Laboratory 0

Activity 0

**Total** 90

**Time Commitment Notes for Students**

No value

**Faculty Load**

**Extra Duties:** 0

**Faculty Load:** 0

**Units and Hours: - Weekly Specialty Hours**

Activity Name	Type	In Class	Out of Class
No Value	No Value	No Value	No Value

**Pre-requisites, Co-requisites, Anti-requisites and Advisories**

**Prerequisite**

CSCIC143 - Computer Network Fundamentals

Students need a basic understanding of networking terminology, network structure to transfer that knowledge to network security. This material is covered in the CSCI C143 course.

**AND**

**Advisory**

CSCIC101 - Introduction to Computer Information Systems

Students need to be able to identify hardware components of a computer system, understand the basics of operating systems and application software, install software, understand what memory is, how to zip and unzip files, how to save and find files and understand the basics of network topology. This material is covered in the CSCI C101 course.

**Entrance Skills**

Entrance Skills	Description
No value	No value

**Limitations on Enrollment**

Limitations on Enrollment	Description
No value	No value

**Specifications**

**Methods of Instruction**

Methods of Instruction	Outside reading
Rationale	Textbook and Electronic Readings

Methods of Instruction	Problem Solving
Rationale	No value

Methods of Instruction	Project-based learning
Rationale	No value

<b>Methods of Instruction</b>	Audiovisual
<b>Rationale</b>	Pre-recorded Training Videos
<b>Methods of Instruction</b>	Lecture
<b>Rationale</b>	No value
<b>Methods of Instruction</b>	Presentations (by students)
<b>Rationale</b>	No value
<b>Methods of Instruction</b>	Laboratory
<b>Rationale</b>	No value
<b>Methods of Instruction</b>	Discussion
<b>Rationale</b>	No value
<b>Methods of Instruction</b>	Demonstration
<b>Rationale</b>	No value
<b>Assignments</b>	
<p>A. Chapter reading (Example: Reading the assigned chapters from the textbook based on the topics for the week).</p> <p>B. Research and analysis projects (Example: Research system log events to determine the source of a server configuration error).</p> <p>C. Simulation and lab assignments (Example: Install Active Directory in a virtual environment.).</p>	
<b>Methods of Evaluation</b>	<b>Rationale</b>
Final Exam	Comprehensive Exam: A comprehensive exam in a proctored environment will evaluate a student's preparedness for the Server+ exam.
Tests	Objective Exams: Objective exams will evaluate the student's comprehension of text material and prepare them for the Server+ certification exam environment.
Homework	Hands on simulations: Activities will reinforce the practical application of theories presented in the text. Simulations will also provide insight and training into real world tasks for IT Professionals. For example, install Active Directory in a simul
Participation	Discussions: Students will participate in discussions to critically explore concepts and compare elements of the text. For example: Discuss best practices for applying permissions to users in Active Directory.
<b>Equipment</b>	
No Value	

## Textbooks

Author	Title	Publisher	Date	ISBN
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	Limoncelli, T., Hogan C. & Chalup, S. . (2012) The Practice of System and Network Administration, 2nd, Addison-Wesley			
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## Other Instructional Materials

No Value

## Materials Fee

No

## Learning Outcomes and Objectives

### Course Objectives

No value

### CSLOs

Evaluate the hardware components and software features used in an operating server environment. Expected SLO Performance: 70.0

Install, configure, and troubleshoot servers in the deployment and maintenance of an operating server environment. Expected SLO Performance: 70.0

Propose server design solutions using industry best practices to include deployment, configuration, maintenance, administration, and disaster recovery of an operating server environment. Expected SLO Performance: 70.0

## Outline

### Course Outline

- Introduction to servers
  - a. Examine the network architecture
  - b. Identify common server types and functions
- Exploring the server hardware
  - a. Identify server system board components
  - b. Explore system processing core
  - c. Explore server memory
  - d. Examine server cooling and power systems
- Introduction to server software
  - a. Describe server software
  - b. Network operating system (NOS) management features
  - c. Network operating system (NOS) security features
  - d. Network essentials for servers

- Exploring the server storage system
  - a. Examine storage devices used for servers
  - b. Exploring disk interfaces, such as Integrated Drive Electronics (IDE) and Small Computer System Interface (SCSI)
  - c. Describe Random Arrays of Independent Disks (RAID)
  - d. Explore Network-Attached Storage (NAS) implementations
  - e. Explore Storage Area Network (SAN) implementations
- Installing the server hardware
  - a. Identify the best practices in server hardware installation
  - b. Install hardware components on a server
  - c. Verify server installation
  - d. Install a server in a network environment
- Configuring servers
  - a. Network operating system (NOS) installation and verification
  - b. Install system monitoring agents and service tools
  - c. Server configuration documentation
- Examining the issues in upgrading server components
  - a. Examine an upgrade checklist
  - b. Examine the issues in upgrading server hardware
  - c. Examine the issues in upgrading server software
- Examining servers in an it environment
  - a. Industry best practices for server installation and maintenance
  - b. Server security and access methods
- Troubleshooting servers
  - a. Examine the troubleshooting theory and methodologies
  - b. Troubleshoot server hardware problems
  - c. Troubleshoot server software problems
  - d. Troubleshoot server network problems
  - e. Troubleshoot server storage device problems
- Exploring disaster recovery concepts and methodologies
  - a. Examine disaster recovery plans
  - b. Implement disaster recovery methodologies
  - c. Implement replication methods

### Lab Outline

1. Installing Server Operating Systems
2. Installing and Configuring Active Directory
3. Configuring Server Security Permissions
4. Monitoring Server Performance

## Delivery Methods and Distance Education

**Delivery Method:** Please list all that apply -Face to face -Online (purely online no face-to-face contact) -Online with some required face-to-face meetings ("Hybrid") -Online course with on ground testing -iTV – Interactive video = Face to face course with significant required activities in a distance modality -Other

Face 2 Face  
 Online  
 Hybrid  
 Interactive

**Rigor Statement:** Assignments and evaluations should be of the same rigor as those used in the on-ground course. If they are not the same as those noted in the COR on the Methods of Evaluation and out-of-class assignments pages, indicate what the differences are and why they are being used. For instance, if labs, field trips, or site visits are required in the face to face section of this course, how will these requirements be met with the same rigor in the Distance Education section?

All assignments in distance education courses (online, hybrid and iTV) of CSCI C193 are of the same rigor as those in the on-ground

course, except that students in purely online sections will submit all of their assignments virtually.

**Effective Student-Instructor Contact:** Good practice requires both asynchronous and synchronous contact for effective contact. List the methods expected of all instructors teaching the course. -Learning Management System -Discussion Forums -Moodle Message -Other Contact -Chat/Instant Messaging -E-mail -Face-to-face meeting(s) -Newsgroup/Discussion Board -Proctored Exam -Telephone -iTV -Interactive Video -Other (specify)

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contact\_moodle\_message  
contact\_chat  
contact\_email  
contact\_discussion  
contact\_itv

**Software and Equipment:** What additional software or hardware, if any, is required for this course purely because of its delivery mode? How is technical support to be provided?

For face to face delivery, a 3 node server cluster running VMWare ESXi or Hyper-V which can be used to host virtual environments. Network equipment to establish a private network to provide connectivity to the class servers. Modern workstations with wired

**Accessibility:** Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act requires access to the Federal government's electronic and information technology. The law covers all types of electronic and information technology in the Federal sector and is not limited to assistive technologies used by people with disabilities. It applies to all Federal agencies when they develop, procure, maintain, or use such technology. Federal agencies must ensure that this technology is accessible to employees and the public to the extent it does not pose an "undue burden". I am using -iTV—Interactive Video only -Learning management system -Publisher course with learning management system interface.

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s508\_moodle  
s508\_publisher

**Class Size:** Good practice is that section size should be no greater in distance ed modes than in regular face-to-face versions of the course. Will the recommended section size be lower than in on-ground sections? If so, explain why.

No Value