## Advanced Marketing Scope & Sequence

Days	Unit	Standard(s)/Outcome(s)	Essential/Guiding Questions
5	Honors Marketing Review	#1. The student should be able to interpret and apply marketing terminology, key marketing concepts, the fundamental processes, and the role and benefits of marketing in a market driven economy.	<ol> <li>In what ways is marketing a process that focuses on meeting customer needs and wants?</li> <li>How does customer relationship management (CRM) benefit both the business and its customers?</li> <li>How do marketers use the fours Ps of the marketing mix to build an integrated program that delivers value to consumers?</li> <li>What role does competition play in the free enterprise system?</li> <li>How do marketing activities add value (utility) to products and services?</li> <li>How does marketing for profit organizations differ</li> </ol>

			from marketing for non-profit organizations? 7. What are the various stages of the product life cycle and how is that information important to a marketing executive?
5	Consumer and Business Buying Behavior	#2. The student will analyze characteristics, motivations, and behaviors of customers' needs and wants.	<ol> <li>What is an opinion leader? Describe how marketers attempt to use opinion leaders to help sell their products.</li> <li>Name and describe the types of buying decision behavior and describe a personal example for each.</li> <li>What is a "new product", and how do consumers go about deciding whether to adopt a new product.</li> <li>Explain how market structure and demand differ for business markets compared to consumer</li> </ol>

			markets. 5. Name and describe the three types of business buying
			situations. 6. Name and describe the roles played by buying center participants in the business buying process.
			7. Explain what is meant by systems selling and discuss why it is a preferred approach to buying for many organizations.
			8. Compare the institutional and government markets and explain how institutional and government buyers make their buying decisions.
5	Market Segmentation and Target Marketing	<ul> <li>#4. The student will explain segmentation and the factors used to identify viable target markets.</li> <li>#5. The student will identify and explain attributes that provide a competitive advantage in the marketplace.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>How does market segmentation differ from market targeting?</li> <li>Name and describe the four major sets of variables that might be used in</li> </ol>

			<ul> <li>segmenting consumer markets.</li> <li>3. Name and describe the levels at which market targeting can be carried out. Give an example of a company using each.</li> <li>4. Explain how companies segment international markets.</li> <li>5. Explain how a company differentiates its products from competitors' products.</li> <li>6. In the context of</li> </ul>
			marketing, what is a product's "position"? How do marketers know what it is?
5	Market Planning and Analysis	<ul> <li>#3. The student will summarize and classify internal factors and external trends that influence marketing strategy decisions.</li> <li>#10. The student will analyze an organization and its market, develop a SWOT analysis and formulate a viable marketing strategy.</li> </ul>	1. Define strategic planning and briefly describe the four steps that lead managers and the firm through the strategic planning process. Discuss the role marketing plays in this process.
			2. Name and describe the

	four product/market expansion grid strategies. Provide an example of a company implementing each strategy.
	3. Explain the roles of market segmentation, market targeting, differentiation, and positioning in implementing an effective marketing strategy.
	4. Discuss the four marketing management functions.
	5. Compare and contrast a company's microenvironment with a company's macroenvironment.
	6. Describe the five types of customer markets.
	7. Compare and contrast core beliefs/values and secondary beliefs/values. Provide an example of each and discuss the potential impact marketers have on

			each. 8. How should marketers respond to the changing environment?
5	Marketing Research	<ul> <li>#9. The student will assess the quality of, and interpret primary and secondary research data to make informed marketing strategy decisions.</li> <li>#12. The student will use the internet and related technology to complete significant marketing activities.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Describe the benefits of marketing research to consumer, business, and economy.</li> <li>As a market research manager, how would you explain the steps of the marketing research process to a new hire? Base your response on content materials.</li> <li>Explain the process of data analysis in terms of client needs. Use examples from the text or class notes to support your answer.</li> <li>What is a marketing information system, and how is it used to create customer insights?</li> <li>Explain how marketing</li> </ol>

			<ul> <li>intelligence differs from marketing research.</li> <li>6. Explain the role of secondary data in gaining customer insights. Where do marketers obtain secondary data, and what are the potential problems in using it?</li> <li>7. What are the advantages of internet-based survey research over traditional survey research?</li> <li>8. What is neuromarketing, and how is it useful in marketing research? Why is this research approach usually used with other</li> </ul>
			approaches?
20	The Marketing Mix	<ul> <li>#5. The student will identify and explain attributes that provide a competitive advantage in the marketplace.</li> <li>#6. The student will assess the elements of the marketing mix and how each element interrelates in the implementation of the marketing</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Name and describe the types of consumer products and give an example of each. How does the marketing differ for each product type?</li> <li>Compare and contrast</li> </ol>

strategy.	industrial products and consumer products.
	3. Explain the importance of product quality and discuss how marketers use quality to create customer value.
	4. What is a brand? How does branding help both buyers and sellers?
	5. Name and describe the major steps in the new- product development process.
	6. What is test marketing? Explain why companies may or may not test market products and discuss alternatives to full test markets.
	7. What are the benefits of an innovation management system?
	8. Discuss the three strategies available for products in the mature stage

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			<ul> <li>15. Compare and contrast intensive, selective, and exclusive distribution. Which channel design decision does this involve?</li> <li>16. Explain how information is managed in the distribution channel. What types of information are managed?</li> <li>17. Discuss the activities involved in sales force management.</li> <li>18. Define sales promotion and discuss its objectives.</li> </ul>
			19. Name and describe the types of consumer promotions.
			20. Discuss the different types of trade sales promotions and distinguish these types of promotions from business promotions.
5	Online Marketing and E-Commerce	#7. The student will be able to describe in detail, and give examples of, how the internet, World Wide	1. Define direct marketing and discuss its benefits to

		Web, Mobile Applications, Social Networking Technologies and related technology to complete significant marketing activities.	<ul> <li>customers and companies.</li> <li>2. Describe the type of information contained in a company's customer database and how that information is used.</li> <li>3. Name and describe the major forms of direct- response television marketing.</li> <li>4. Explain the ways in which companies can set up an online marketing presence.</li> <li>5. Compare and contrast the different forms of online advertising. What factors should a company consider in deciding among these different forms?</li> <li>6. What is phishing and how does it harm consumers and marketers?</li> </ul>
10	The Global Marketplace	#8. The student will compare domestic and international marketing strategies, and describe	<ol> <li>Explain what is meant by the term global firm, and list the six major decisions</li> </ol>

		alternative approaches to entering global markets.	<ul> <li>involved in international marketing.</li> <li>2. Compare and contrast a tariff and a quota.</li> <li>3. Name and define the four types of country industrial structures.</li> <li>4. Discuss the strategies used for adapting products to a global market. Which strategy is best?</li> <li>5. Discuss how global distribution channels differ from domestic channels.</li> <li>6. Explain globalization and</li> </ul>
10	The Legal Environment of Marketing	#11. The student will analyze ethical and legal issues in the Marketing and Advertising industries.	customization as strategies. 1. How does the role of government influence
			marketing? 2. Name some of the responsibilities and functions of the Food and Drug Administration.

			<ul> <li>3. What are the three bureaus of the Federal Trade Commission (FTC)?</li> <li>4. Compare and contrast a company's monetary regulations and explain the effects of a changing currency exchange rate on a company's profitability.</li> <li>5. What does the term "barter" mean and how and why do some companies use bartering as a form of currency to get the necessary projects done.</li> </ul>
5	The CLEP Exam	The student will demonstrate college-level knowledge of marketing concepts and principles by achieving a scaled score of 50 or above on the Marketing CLEP exam.	<ol> <li>Explain the content and make-up of the CLEP Principles of Marketing exam.</li> <li>Discuss some of the proven test-taking strategies for greater success on the CLEP exam.</li> <li>How can passing the CLEP exam help the student prepare for the academic</li> </ol>

			rigors of college marketing.
2	Careers in Marketing	<ul> <li>#13. The student will judge how relationships, leadership, team work, communication, and networking skills can contribute to success in marketing.</li> <li>#14. The student will assess careers in marketing based on personal interest, personality traits, knowledge, skills, and ability.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>List three considerations that will help you formulate planning goals.</li> <li>List six areas to explore when conducting a self- assessment.</li> <li>What three steps can you take to help you achieve a successful interview?</li> <li>Describe how you can learn about a company in order to prepare for an interview.</li> </ol>
3	Marketing Plan Presentation	#15. The student will develop teamwork skills in the preparation of a marketing plan.	<ol> <li>What are the elements of a quality marketing plan?</li> <li>How does teamwork add to an effective presentation?</li> </ol>