# **Business Administration**

Course Number: BUAD 315

Course Title: MANAGEMENT SCIENCE

Credits: 3

Calendar Description: Management science is a discipline that aids decision-making by

applying a scientific approach to managerial problems. This course discusses quantitative methods and their extensive applications in business. Topics include linear programming, project scheduling, waiting line models, inventory management, simulation, Markov process, decision analysis, and forecasting. Use of computer software is an integral part of this course (also

offered by Distance Education).

Semester and Year: FALL 2023

Prerequisite(s): STAT 124 or 121 and minimum third-year standing

Corequisite(s): No

Prerequisite to: BUAD 491

Final Exam: Yes

## **Professors**

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## **Learning Outcomes**

Upon completion of this course students will be able to

- explain the scientific approach of how to apply systematic methodologies in solving managerial problems that guide decision making.
- identify and apply appropriate techniques for managing business problems and correctly interpret the results of analysis through critical thinking.

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## **Course Schedule**

Date	Topic	Textbook
	Wednesday September 6, First day of class	
	Friday September 15, Last day to register for Fall 2023	
	Monday Oct. 2 & Monday Oct. 9 & Monday Nov. 13, Statutory Holiday	
<b>2023</b> Week of		

#### SKILLS ACROSS THE BUSINESS CURRICULUM

The Okanagan School of Business promotes core skills across the curriculum. These skills include reading, written and oral communications, computers, small business, and academic standards of ethics, honesty and integrity.

## STUDENT CONDUCT AND ACADEMIC HONESTY

### What is the Disruption of Instructional Activities?

At Okanagan College (OC), disruption of instructional activities includes student "conduct which interferes with examinations, lectures, seminars, tutorials, group meetings, other relate