



Grande Prairie Regional College

School of Business

Department: Administrative Technology

COURSE OUTLINE – WINTER 2008

OA 2290 3 (0-0-5) – Microsoft Office 2007, Access Expert Level

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Prerequisite(s)/corequisite(s):

OA 1150

Required Text/Resource Materials:

Microsoft Office 2007, Advanced, Shelly Cashman Series, Thomson.

Microsoft Office 2007, Post-Advanced, Shelly Cashman Series, Thomson.

Description: This course teaches you the expert concepts and techniques of Microsoft Access through lectures and demonstrations with emphasis on hands-on practical application.

Credit/Contact Hours: This is a 5 credit course with 5 lab hours per week.

Delivery Mode(s): For each topic there will be classroom lectures and demonstrations. Students will be expected to read chapters before the class and participate in the lectures through discussion of the concepts. Students are also expected to complete all assignments and projects on time. Please discuss any questions or concerns with the instructor in class, during the above office hours or by appointment.

Objectives:

To design and create databases, build and modify tables, queries, forms and reports at an expert level and to integrate Access with other applications.

Grading Criteria:

Project Assignments	20%
Term Project/Presentation	20%
Midterm	30%
Final Exam	30%

Grades will be assigned on the Letter Grading System.

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Grading Conversion Chart**

Alpha Grade	4-point Equivalent	Percentage Guidelines	Designation
A+	4	90 – 100	EXCELLENT
A	4	85 – 89	
A-	3.7	80 – 84	FIRST CLASS STANDING
B+	3.3	76 – 79	
B	3	73 – 75	GOOD
B-	2.7	70 – 72	
C+	2.3	67 – 69	SATISFACTORY
C	2	64 – 66	
C-	1.7	60 – 63	
D+	1.3	55 – 59	MINIMAL PASS
D	1	50 – 54	
F	0	0 – 49	FAIL

Tentative Course Schedule/Timeline:

<u>Week</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Required Reading</u>
1	Database review	
2 & 3	Reports and Forms	Project 4
4 & 5	Multi-table Forms	Project 5
6 & 7	Using Macros and Switchboards	Project 6
8 & 9	Advanced Form Techniques	Project 7
10 & 11	Advanced Report Techniques	Project 8

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