

Entertainment Marketing

BADM 214

3 Credits

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10:00 – 11:00 am: Monday, Wednesday and Friday

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Course Description:

The course focuses on the promotional element of the marketing mix. Students will learn how to develop promotional materials that effectively promote various entertainment events. Previous coursework in advertising and marketing is strongly encouraged.

Required Text:

None. Notes will be provided.

Course Objectives:

After taking this course students should be able to:

- Identify important promotional concepts and be able to apply them.
- Identify the primary elements of the promotional mix.
- Produce promotional materials consisting of all the primary elements of the promotional mix.
- Understand and implement integrated marketing communications.
- Clarify entertainment organizations' needs and goals.
- These course objectives meet the following MSU-B General Education Goals; #1, to develop the ability to communicate, #2, to develop thinking skills, #8, and #9, to develop lifelong learning skills.

Course Requirements and Evaluation:

Course requirements consist of reading class notes, completing one exam, and completing multiple assignments.

Grade Weighting:

NFL Assign:	25 points
Ent. Mktg Eval:	50 points
Exam:	100 points
Assign. #1:	100 points
Team Assessment:	25 points
Assign #2:	100 points
Assign #3:	200 points
Assign #4:	300 points
<u>Participation:</u>	<u>100 points</u>
Total:	1000 points

Grading Scale

90% - 100%	A
80% - 89%	B
70% - 79%	C
60% - 69%	D
Less than 60%	F

Course Policies:

Plagiarism: To plagiarize is to “steal and pass off the ideas or words of another as one’s own” (*Webster’s Dictionary*). **Plagiarism will not be tolerated in this course.** When completing a research paper, it is necessary to cite all information gathered from other sources - including direct quotations and paraphrases - within the text of the paper using parenthetical notes at the end of the documents in a works cited list. A handout regarding the MLA guidelines is available at the writing center if you would like further information. Students are expected to follow MLA guidelines for the research paper. If you have any questions - please contact myself or go to the learning center for more information. **Students found plagiarizing material will receive a “0” for the assignment.**

Absences and Assignment Due Dates: If a student must miss class, he/she must contact the instructor within 24 hours of the class period. Late assignments will be docked 10% per day late. This is the policy for all assignments in all circumstances. If you email me an assignment, you will get a reply from me to verify that I have received the assignment. If you do not get a receipt from me, I did not get the assignment. It is your job to ensure that I have received the assignment, so if you do not get a response from me within 24 hours of submitting your assignment by email, you need to resend the email. The assignment continues to lose 10% per day during this time.

Attendance and participation is expected. Ten percent of your grade is based solely on attendance and participation. You are responsible for the activities of each class period. If you know of a conflict ahead of time, you are welcome to submit assignments early.

Need for Assistance: If you have any condition, such as a physical or learning disability, for which you need extra assistance, please inform me immediately. If you have already met with Student Development personnel, please provide me with information regarding your special needs as soon as possible so that appropriate accommodations can be made.

Electronic Devices: Silence cellular phones, pagers, CD players, radios, and similar devices in the classroom and laboratory facilities. Reasonable laptop-size computers may be used in lecture for taking notes. If this is an IVN course, cell phone must be turned off at all times in class!

Additional university policies and procedures are located in the Student Handbook which can be viewed online at <http://www.misu-b.nodak.edu/currentstudents.htm>.

This class will be a place where all thoughts are welcome, no one fears sharing their opinion, and minds are open to new ideas. You have all EARNED the opportunity to be here by completing the same criteria, thus making you equals. As emerging leaders, you are expected to show respect for each other's differences. Conflicting opinions are part of life and will create dynamic discussions. The instructor reserves the right to end these discussions and the participants will agree to disagree.

It is your responsibility to keep all assignments that are graded and handed back to you. In the case of a grade dispute, it is the student's responsibility to provide past assignments to confirm grades.

The syllabus is a living document that is subject to change. All assignments will be confirmed during the class prior to their due date. The instructor reserves the right to allow the class agenda to fluctuate as the course progresses.