COURSE SYLLABUS, Fall 2017

**Industrial/Organizational Psychology: PSY 345X**

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**Instructor Background:** Tony Franco earned a Master Degree in Psychology from Valparaiso University, as well as a Doctoral Degree in Management from Walden University. He has over 13 years of experience in the mental health field, holding positions as Counselor, Therapist, Manager, and Vice President. Clients served range from childhood to geriatric, with populations of: head-injury, M.R./M.I., psychological disorders, physical rehabilitation and adjustment issues.

Dr. Franco has been an adjunct instructor at Calumet College of St. Joseph since 1990. He has great faith in his students and strives to provide them with quality educational services. With firm beliefs in personal strengths held by all, Dr. Franco actively seeks to aid students develop a sense of empowerment related to their educational and career pursuits. His stance in the educational process can be summarized best by the following quotation, *“Faith in the learner leads some teachers to find strength, where others see only weakness and failure.”* – Herbert Kohl

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<th>Course Time:</th>
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<td>Classroom:</td>
<td>Room 273</td>
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<td>Prerequisites:</td>
<td>PSYC 100 and 210 or permission of program director.</td>
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<td>Required Books and Materials:</td>
<td>Organizational Psychology &amp; Behavior “An Integrated Approach To Understanding The Workplace” By: Zinta S. Byrne</td>
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Learning Outcomes/ Competencies:
Students in this course will:

1. Recognize the theory suggested for organizational development.
2. Explain the role of industrial/organizational theory in the workplace.
3. Demonstrate the basic philosophical issues on which organizational theory operates.
4. Analyze how organizational assumptions are evaluated.
5. Develop reasoning for the usefulness of organizational psychology in the workplace.
6. Defend the utility of industrial/organizational psychology through research.

This course meets the following program objectives:

1. Have a general understanding and appreciation of the role of human behavior, particularly at the individual, familial, organizational, and societal levels.
2. Demonstrate knowledge of the biological and conceptual languages of the brain and their potential permutations and combinations and the ability to apply this knowledge to the creation of new frameworks of thought.
3. Have a general understanding and appreciation of the connection between scientific inquiry and the creative and artistic dimensions in the field of Psychology.
4. Be able to engage in ethical analysis of professional problems in light of the Code of Professional Ethics outlined by the American Psychological Association.

Course Description: A survey course discussing the research and theory as it relates to the following topics: personnel, employee motivation and satisfaction, group processes and leadership, and organizational change and development. Human factors of Psychology may also be considered (formerly PSY 445).

Learning Strategies:
Active participation in class exercises and discussions will be the primary modality of learning. However, the student may also expect a variety of additional modalities of information sharing including: general lecturing, use of audio and visual recordings, case studies, oral reports, etc.

Experiential Learning Opportunities:
Project-based learning will be incorporated into this class in the manner of a case study assignment. This assignment is given to aid the student in their comprehension of the “real world” presentation of some of the material covered throughout the term.

Assessments:

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<th>Major Assignments:</th>
<th>Oral Report, Written Paper, Class Exercises, Exams, Field Study Assignment.</th>
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<td>Class Participation:</td>
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Grading Scale:

100 – 92: A
91 – 90: A-
89 – 88: B+
87 – 82: B
81 – 80: B-
79 – 78: C+
77 – 72: C
### Course Schedule:

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<th>Class Date</th>
<th>Assignments</th>
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<td>Week 1: 09/11/17</td>
<td>Chapter 1</td>
<td>Issues and Challenges Organizations</td>
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<td>Face: Introduction</td>
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<td>Week 2: 09/18/17</td>
<td>Chapter 2</td>
<td>Joining the Organization: Socialization</td>
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<td>Week 3: 09/25/17</td>
<td>Chapter 3</td>
<td>Intentions and Drivers at Work: Motivation</td>
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<td><strong>Week 4: 10/02/17</strong></td>
<td><strong>EXAM 1</strong></td>
<td><strong>Chapters 1 – 3</strong></td>
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<td>Week 5: 10/09/17</td>
<td>Chapter 4</td>
<td>Predicting Feelings and Behaviors at Work: Attitudes</td>
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<td>Week 6: 10/16/17</td>
<td>Chapter 6</td>
<td>The Toll Work Takes: Occupational Stress</td>
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<td>Week 7: 10/23/17</td>
<td>Chapter 7</td>
<td>Running the Organization Using Teams and Leaders</td>
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<td><strong>Week 8: 10/30/17</strong></td>
<td><strong>EXAM 2</strong></td>
<td><strong>Chapters 4, 6, and 7</strong></td>
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<td>Week 9: 11/06/17</td>
<td>Chapter 8</td>
<td>Running the Organization: Management</td>
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<td>Week 10: 11/13/17</td>
<td>Chapter 10</td>
<td>Disseminating Information: Communication</td>
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<td>Week 11: 11/20/17</td>
<td>Chapter 12</td>
<td>Organizational Culture and Climate: Transformation</td>
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<td>Week 12: 11/27/17</td>
<td>Case Study</td>
<td>To Be Determined</td>
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<td><strong>Week 13: 12/04/17</strong></td>
<td><strong>Oral Report</strong></td>
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<td>5 to 7 pages</td>
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<td><strong>Final Paper Due</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Week 14: 12/11/17</strong></td>
<td><strong>Final Exam</strong></td>
<td><strong>Chapters 8, 10, and 12</strong></td>
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I reserve the right to change this schedule to meet the needs of the class.

### Responsibilities

| Attending Class | You cannot succeed in this class if you do not attend. We believe that intellectual growth and success in higher education occur through |

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71 – 70: C-
69 – 68: D+
67 – 62: D
61 – 60: D-
59 and below: F
interaction in the classroom and laboratories. However, we do not want to penalize students for participating in college-sponsored events. When you miss class because of a college event, you must give notice of your absence in advance, and you are responsible for all missed work. Being absent doesn’t excuse you from doing class work; you have more responsibilities to keep up and meet the objectives of this course.

Intellectual growth and success in college is reinforced through interaction in the classroom. Students reach personal goals and course outcomes through regular and prompt attendance. Therefore, if a student is absent “three (3) times” (with exception to approved absences) the student will be subject to a grade of F or FW per policy stated under the Withdrawal from Classes section on this syllabus.

In addition, lectures, discussions, videos and handouts may include material not covered in the text. Students are responsible for obtaining class notes, handouts and other information from classmates for any class time missed. It is NOT the responsibility of the instructor to provide such material again, following its initial class introduction.

**Attendance for scheduled exams is mandatory. Makeup exams will be considered ONLY with advance instructor approval, appropriate and supportive documentation and ONLY in cases of extreme personal hardship (as deemed by instructor).**

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<th>Turning In Your Work</th>
<th>You cannot succeed in this class if you do not turn in all your work on the day it is due. All work must be submitted by the assigned date unless previously approved by the instructor.</th>
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| **CCSJ Student Honor Code** | This course asks students to reaffirm the CCSJ Student Honor Code: I, as a student member of the Calumet College academic community, in accordance with the college’s mission and in a spirit of mutual respect, pledge to:  
  - Continuously embrace **honesty and curiosity** in the pursuit of my educational goals;  
  - Avoid all behaviors that could impede or distract from the academic progress of myself or other members of my community;  
  - Do my own work with **integrity** at all times, in accordance with syllabi, and without giving or receiving inappropriate aid;  
  - Do my utmost to act with commitment, inside and outside of class, to the goals and **mission** of Calumet College of St. Joseph. |
| **Using Electronic Devices** | Electronic devices can only be used in class for course-related purposes. If you text or access the Internet for other purposes, you may be asked to leave, in which case you will be marked absent.  

*If a cell phone must be left on in the classroom, it must be set to the silent or vibrate mode. Any form of non-course related electronic communication must take place outside of the classroom.* |
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<th><strong>Occurrences during an exam may require students to immediately submit their exam for grade.</strong></th>
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**Resources**

| **Student Success Center:** | The Student Success Center provides faculty tutors at all levels to help you master specific subjects and develop effective learning skills. It is open to all students at no charge. You can contact the Student Success Center at 219 473-4287 or stop by the Library. |
| **Disability Services:** | Disability Services strives to meet the needs of all students by providing academic services in accordance with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) guidelines. If you believe that you need a “reasonable accommodation” because of a disability, contact the Disability Services Coordinator at 219-473-4349. |
| **Student Assistance Program** | Through a partnership with Methodist Hospital, Calumet College of St. Joseph provides a free Student Assistance Program (SAP) to current students. The SAP is a confidential counseling service provided to students for personal and school concerns which may be interfering with academic performance and/or quality of life. The SAP counselor is available on campus once a week and off-site at their Employee Assistance Program (EAP) office in Merrillville or Gary. For more information, contact the SAP Counselor, at 219-736-4067. |
CCSJ Alerts: Calumet College of St. Joseph’s emergency communications system will tell you about emergencies, weather-related closings, or other incidents via text, email, or voice messages. Please sign up for this important service annually on the College’s website at: http://www.ccsj.edu/alerts/index.html.

Emergency Procedures

MEDICAL EMERGENCY

EMERGENCY ACTION

1. Call 911 and report incident.
2. Do not move the patient unless safety dictates.
3. Have someone direct emergency personnel to patient.
4. If trained: Use pressure to stop bleeding.
5. Provide basic life support as needed.

FIRE

EMERGENCY ACTION

1. Pull alarm (located by EXIT doors).
2. Leave the building.
3. Call 911 from a safe distance, and give the following information:
   • Location of the fire within the building.
   • A description of the fire and how it started (if known)

BUILDING EVACUATION

1. All building evacuations will occur when an alarm sounds and/or upon notification by security/safety personnel. **DO NOT ACTIVATE ALARM IN THE EVENT OF A BOMB THREAT.**
2. If necessary or if directed to do so by a designated emergency official, activate the building alarm.
3. When the building evacuation alarm is activated during an emergency, leave by the nearest marked exit and alert others to do the same.
4. Assist the disabled in exiting the building! Remember that the elevators are reserved for persons who are disabled. **DO NOT USE THE ELEVATORS IN CASE OF FIRE. DO NOT PANIC.**
5. Once outside, proceed to a clear area that is at least 500 feet away from the building. Keep streets, fire lanes, hydrant areas and walkways clear for emergency vehicles and personnel. The assembly point is the sidewalk in front of the college on New York Avenue.
6. **DO NOT RETURN** to the evacuated building unless told to do so by College official or emergency responders.

IF YOU HAVE A DISABILITY AND ARE UNABLE TO evacuate:
Stay calm, and take steps to protect yourself. If there is a working telephone, call 911 and tell the emergency dispatcher where you are or where you will be moving. If you must move,

1. Move to an exterior enclosed stairwell.
2. Request persons exiting by way of the stairway to notify the Fire Department of your location.
3. As soon as practical, move onto the stairway and await emergency personnel.
4. Prepare for emergencies by learning the locations of exit corridors and enclosed stairwells. Inform professors, and/or classmates of best methods of assistance during an emergency.

HAZARDOUS MATERIAL SPILL/RELEASE

EMERGENCY ACTION
1. Call 911 and report incident.
2. Secure the area.
3. Assist the injured.
4. Evacuate if necessary.

**TORNADO**

**EMERGENCY ACTION**

1. Avoid automobiles and open areas.
2. Move to a basement or corridor.
3. Stay away from windows.
4. Do not call 911 unless you require emergency assistance.

**SHELTER IN PLACE**

**EMERGENCY ACTION**

1. Stay inside a building.
2. Seek inside shelter if outside.
3. Seal off openings to your room if possible.
4. Remain in place until you are told that it is safe to leave.

**BOMB THREATS**

**EMERGENCY ACTION**

1. Call 911 and report incident.
2. If a suspicious object is observed (e.g. a bag or package left unattended):
   - Don’t touch it!
   - Evacuate the area.

**TERRORISM AND ACTIVE SHOOTER SITUATIONS**

**EMERGENCY ACTION**

1. Call 911 and report intruder.

**RUN, HIDE OR FIGHT TIPS:**

1. **Prepare** – frequent training drills to prepare the most effectively.
2. **Run and take others with you** – learn to stay in groups if possible.
3. **Leave the cellphone.**
4. **Can’t run? Hide** – lock the door and lock or block the door to prevent the shooter from coming inside the room.
5. **Silence your cellphone** – use landline phone line.
6. **Why the landline?** It allows emergency responders to know your physical location.
7. **Fight** – learn to “fight for your life” by utilizing everything you can use as a weapon.
8. **Forget about getting shot – fight!** You want to buy time to distract the shooter to allow time for emergency responders to arrive.
9. **Aim high** – attack the shooter in the upper half of the body: the face, hands, shoulder, neck.
10. **Fight as a group** – the more people come together, the better the chance to take down the shooter.
11. **Whatever you do, do something** – “react immediately” is the better option to reduce traumatic incidents.