## Bossier Parish Community College Master Syllabus

Course Prefix and Number: CONS 220 Credit Hours: 4-3-3

**Course Title:** Construction Estimating and Laboratory

Course Prerequisites: CIS 105, CONS 102 and CONS 160

**Textbook(s):** Dagostino, Peterson. Estimating In Building Construction. Prentice Hall, 2014.

ISBN: 9780133431100

**Course Description:** Instruction in quantity calculation techniques based upon contract documents, specifications, and working drawings. Quantity Take-Off (QTO) for labor, materials, and equipment costs are calculated. Profit and overhead are estimated. Manual and computer based estimating are practiced in lab, and a complete estimate is prepared and evaluated.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

At the end of this course, the student will:

- A. develop the ability to estimate all materials needed for a residential and commercial building; and
- B. develop the ability to create a bid package.

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will or will be able to:

(The letter designations at the end of each statement refer to the learning outcome(s).)

- 1. understand estimating procedures; (A)
- 2. understand estimating mathematics; (A)
- 3. understand efficiency and productivity; (A)
- 4. understand estimating earthwork; (A)
- 5. understand estimating concrete; (A)
- 5. understand estimating concrete, (1)
- 6. understand estimating masonry; (A)
- 7. understand estimating structural and miscellaneous steel; (A)
- 8. understand estimating thermal and moisture protection; (A)
- 9. understand estimating finishes; (A)
- 10. understand estimating mechanical and plumbing; (A)
- 11. understand estimating electrical; (A) and
- 12. understand bid package, contract, and follow-up. (B)

## **Course Grading Scale:**

**Attendance Policy**: The college attendance policy is available at <a href="http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html">http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html</a>

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**Course Fees:** This course is accompanied with an additional fee for supplemental materials.

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