

# Dakota County Technical College

## **BUSN 1110: Business Law and Ethics**

### **A. COURSE DESCRIPTION**

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites: None

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Examine workplace issues impacting supervisory responsibilities and explore the influence of ethics on individuals and organizations. You will be introduced to the American legal system. Understand civil, criminal, TORT, contract, employment and labor laws and other factors that affect business operations.

**B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 05/21/2014 - Present

### **C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS**

### **D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)**

1. Ability to examine elements of contracts
2. Apply basic legal concepts within the context of a business setting
3. Assess consumer protection and liability
4. Assess the impact of government regulation on business
5. Create a learning portfolio
6. Discuss negotiable instruments
7. Evaluate the ethical cause and effect in decision making
8. Examine credit and risk
9. Explain property rights
10. Identify how the laws of TORTS impact business
11. List the types of business organizations
12. Understand and apply principles of employment law and agency
13. Understand and reflect on the American legal system

### **E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies**

None

### **F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT**

As noted on course syllabus

### **G. SPECIAL INFORMATION**

None noted