



Course Outline

MGT 100H1F
Fundamentals of Management
Fall 2022

Course Meets:

Section	Day	Time	Location
L0101	Tuesday	9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	In-person: BT 101

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 Office Hours: Refer to “Contact” information on Quercus

Issue	Contact	Email
Miscellaneous	MGT100 Team	RSM100@utoronto.ca (do not use Quercus to contact the TA or professor)
WileyPlus	Chat Support	https://wpsupport.wiley.com/s/contactsupport
Program Related Issues and Missed Tests	Rotman Commerce Academic Services	rotmancommerce.info@utoronto.ca

TA Office Hours – Booking and Meeting Details: <https://calendly.com/amelbe/office-hours>

Note: The RSM100 Team (rsm100@utoronto.ca) should be your first point of contact for academic matters. The Team will escalate queries to the instructor as required. Professor and TA office hours will also be posted on Quercus under “Modules”.

Course Scope and Mission

This course is designed to introduce you to the principal functional disciplines of management. It will develop your understanding of what organizations do, and how they are managed across a broad range of functions. The course provides a landscape view of the academic field of commerce, consisting of: 1. an introduction to the role of business in Canadian society; 2. an introduction to the role and tasks of managers and leaders in business; and, 3. an introduction to the management disciplines (strategy, marketing, human resources, operations, accounting, and finance).

The mission of the course is to expose beginning students to Canadian business and to provide students with a context in which they can pursue their education in the field of commerce. Class sessions will consist of lectures, case studies, and/or exercises.

Course Exclusions

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Electronic Course Materials

This course will be using the following electronic course materials:

- Quercus

These materials will cost a total of \$0.00. The use of these materials complies with all University of Toronto policies which govern fees for course materials.

Required Readings

Contemporary Business (3rd Canadian Edition) Boone, Kurtz, Khan & Canzer packaged with Loose Leaf textbook + WileyPLUS access codes.

ISBN 9781119501206

Cost: \$139.00 + tax

Evaluation and Grades

Grades are a measure of the performance of a student in individual courses. Each student shall be judged on the basis of how well they have command of the course materials.

GRADE DETERMINATION

Deliverable	Weight	Due Date
Quiz 1 (Wiley)	10%	Refer to the Syllabus (last page)
Term Test	30%	Refer to the Syllabus (last page)
Quiz 2 (Wiley)	10%	Refer to the Syllabus (last page)
Final Test	50%	To be announced
Total	100%	

COURSE FORMAT AND EXPECTATIONS

Course Format and Expectations

Since RSM100 is a preparatory class on management and organizations, we aim to run the course in a way which will be consistent with the world of business - where many of you will spend your working lives. We strive to provide accurate information, quality materials, and good service consistent with our obligations to maintain the high academic standards of the University of Toronto.

We expect that you will conduct yourself in a way that prepares you for the working world:

- We start on time, so please do not arrive late to class.
- Please do not surf the internet during class time. Use your computer for in class for purposes to access course materials and take notes on the lecture. Using your laptop to message on Facebook, play Solitaire, or otherwise surf the web are unacceptable in-class activities.
- During class, respect the learning opportunities of others.

- Stay up to date and make sure that you know the class schedule. Check on the course web page for updates and posted materials.
- Our expectation is that you will not only participate in class discussions for the benefit of your own learning, but also for that of others.

Class Participation

Active student participation in class is encouraged. Most students typically tend to *under-estimate* — rather than *over-estimate* — the worth of what they have to say. Thus, if you are ever in doubt, speak up instead of staying quiet. Please draw on personal experiences as appropriate (particularly, if you believe they are relevant, insightful and generalizable).

Term Tests

Term tests will be held as per the course schedule. These tests consist of a series of multiple choice and/or short answer questions that test your knowledge of the material that is discussed in class sessions and that is found in the textbook. In class, we will complement the material in the textbook with examples and case studies. We assume that you have read and are familiar with the assigned readings prior to class as we will not cover all the material in the textbook, though you are responsible for all of it.

If you are unable to write a term test due to illness or domestic tragedy, contact the Rotman Commerce Academic services for their approval. (See Missed Tests and Assignments section below for details.)

The term tests will test textbook material not covered in class as class time is limited. The ability to self-study material will be a critical skill during your university experience.

To account for minor marking anomalies, one mark will be added to each midterm test paper. Students requesting a remark will have this mark removed and their entire paper will be regraded and the grade can go up, down or stay the same.

Aids Allowed

No study aids are allowed. You may use a non-programmable hand-held calculator.

Online Quizzes (Wiley)

Quizzes will be assigned using the WileyPLUS platform and Quercus. The instructor will provide detailed requirements in class.

WileyPLUS is an online tool that comes packaged with all new course texts at the University of Toronto bookstore or can be purchased standalone at the bookstore cash desk. WileyPLUS contains the full e-text so if you are comfortable studying off your computer or tablet you can save money by buying the standalone code.

Lead Instructor:

Michael Khan

Michael Khan is an Associate Professor, Teaching Stream at the Rotman School of Management. He has taught courses at the University of Toronto's three campuses since 2001 in the areas of Management, Accounting and Auditing. He has won awards for teaching excellence at both the undergraduate and MBA level. Michael obtained his B.Com. from the University of Toronto and holds an MBA from the Schulich School of Business, York University. He also holds the designations of: Chartered Professional Accountancy (CPA, CA), Certified Information Systems Auditor (CISA) and Certified Information Technology Professional (CITP) and is also Certified in the Governance of Enterprise Information Technology (CGEIT). He currently trains CPA students for CPA Ontario. Michael's professional experience includes roles at Ernst & Young, Deloitte and his independent consultancy practice.

In order to enrich the content of this course, the course is team taught with various industry specialists to enhance the learning experience where appropriate. This is also a valuable networking opportunity for students.

Policies and Procedures

Missed Tests and Assignments (including mid-term and final-term assessments)

Students who miss a test or assignment for reasons entirely beyond their control (e.g., illness) may request special consideration.

Students who miss a test for valid reasons (e.g., illness) must submit their absence declaration via ACORN and a Request for Special Consideration.

In such cases, students must:

1. Notify the instructor AND the Rotman Commerce Program Office **on the date** of the missed course deliverable, e.g., missed test, final assessments, assignment or class (in the case of participation marks).
2. Complete a [Request for Special Consideration Form](#) and submit it along with your Absence Declaration on [ACORN](#) (please read the instructions on how to use the Absence Declaration in ACORN) within **2 business days** of the originally scheduled course deliverable.

Students who do not provide this information will be given a grade of 0 (zero) for the missed course deliverable.

Approved accommodations will be reweighted as follows:

- Quiz 1 – Reweighed to Quiz 2
- Quiz 2 – Reweighed to Final Test
- Term Test – Reweighed to Final Test

Test Conflicts

Students who miss a test due to a conflict with another course/assessment must provide proof of the conflict. The makeup test will be held the day after the scheduled test date. Further details regarding the scheduling of the tests can be found on the last page of the course syllabus.

If students are still unable to attend the makeup test, the weight of the term test will be transferred to the final test.

Late Assignments

Late submissions of any assignment may be considered; however, a resolution may be determined at the instructor's discretion and may include an academic penalty. Students who, for reasons beyond their control, are unable to submit an assignment by its deadline must obtain approval from the instructor for an extension. Supporting documentation will be required as per the policy on missed tests and assignments.

Statement on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion

The University of Toronto is committed to equity, human rights and respect for diversity. All members of the learning environment in this course should strive to create an atmosphere of mutual respect where all members of our community can express themselves, engage with each other, and respect one another's differences. U of T does not condone discrimination or harassment against any persons or communities.

Commitment to Accessibility

The University is committed to inclusivity and accessibility, and strives to provide support for, and facilitate the accommodation of, individuals with disabilities so that all may share the same level of access to opportunities and activities offered at the University.

If you require accommodations for a temporary or ongoing disability or health concern, or have any accessibility concerns about the course, the classroom or course materials, please contact Accessibility Services as soon as possible at accessibility.services@utoronto.ca or studentlife.utoronto.ca/as. Obtaining your accommodation letter may take up to several weeks, so get in touch with them as soon as possible. If you have general questions or concerns about the accessibility of this course, you are encouraged to reach out to your instructor, course coordinator, or Accessibility Services.

Original

Normally, students will be required to submit their course essays to the University's plagiarism detection tool for a review of textual similarity and detection of possible plagiarism. In doing so, students will allow their essays to be included as source documents in the tool's reference database, where they will be used solely for the purpose of detecting plagiarism. The terms that apply to the University's use of this tool are described on the Centre for Teaching Support & Innovation web site (<https://uoft.me/pdt-faq>).

Academic Integrity

Academic Integrity is a fundamental value essential to the pursuit of learning and scholarships at the University of Toronto. Participating honestly, respectfully, responsibly, and fairly in this academic community ensures that the UofT degree that you earn will continue to be valued and respected as a true signifier of a student's individual work and academic achievement. As a result, the University treats cases of academic misconduct very seriously.

The University of Toronto's Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters

<http://www.governingcouncil.utoronto.ca/policies/behaveac.htm> outlines the behaviours that constitute academic misconduct, the process for addressing academic offences, and the

penalties that may be imposed. You are expected to be familiar with the contents of this document. Potential offences include, but are not limited to:

In papers and assignments:

- Using someone else's ideas or words without appropriate acknowledgement.
- Submitting your own work in more than one course without the permission of the instructor.
- Making up sources or facts.
- Obtaining or providing unauthorized assistance on any assignment (this includes collaborating with others on assignments that are supposed to be completed individually).

On test and exams:

- Using or possessing any unauthorized aid, including a cell phone.
- Looking at someone else's answers
- Misrepresenting your identity.
- Submitting an altered test for re-grading.

Misrepresentation:

- Falsifying institutional documents or grades.
- Falsifying or altering any documentation required by the University, including (but not limited to), medical notes.

All suspected cases of academic dishonesty will be investigated by the following procedures outlined in the Code of Behaviour on Academic Matters. If you have any question about what is or is not permitted in the course, please do not hesitate to contact the course instructor. If you have any questions about appropriate research and citation methods, you are expected to seek out additional information from the instructor or other UofT resources such as College Writing Centres or the Academic Success Centre.

Email

At times, the course instructor may decide to communicate important course information by email. As such, all U of T students are required to have a valid UTmail+ email address. You are responsible for ensuring that your UTmail+ email address is set up and properly entered on ACORN. For more information visit help.ic.utoronto.ca/category/3/utmail.html.

Forwarding your utoronto.ca email to a Gmail or other type of email account is not advisable. In some cases, messages from utoronto.ca addresses sent to Gmail accounts are filtered as junk mail, which means that important messages from your course instructor may end up in your spam or junk mail folder.

Quercus and the Course Page

The online course page for this course is accessed through Quercus. To access the course page, go to q.utoronto.ca and log in using your UTORid and password. Once you have logged in, you will be at the Quercus Dashboard. On this page you will see all of the courses you are presently enrolled in. If you don't see the course listed here but you are properly registered for the course in ACORN, wait 48 hours.

Recording Lectures

Lectures and course materials prepared by the instructor are considered by the University to be an instructor's intellectual property covered by the Canadian Copyright Act. Students wishing to record a lecture or other course material in any way are required to ask the instructor's explicit permission and may not do so unless permission is granted. Students who have been previously granted permission to record lectures as an accommodation for a disability are excepted. This includes tape recording, filming, photographing PowerPoint slides, Quercus materials, etc.

If permission for recording is granted by the instructor (or via Accessibility Services), it is intended for the individual student's own study purposes and does not include permission to "publish" them in any way. It is forbidden for a student to publish an instructor's notes to a website or sell them in any other form without formal permission.

SUS101: Saving Paper in Courses

"Each year at U of T, an estimated **10 million sheets of paper** are used in the printing of lecture slides, tests, assignments, and other course materials in 1st and 2nd year courses alone" (Sustainability Office, University of Toronto). In order to reduce this number, we are taking part in a program called "SUS101: Saving Paper in Courses".

Please do your part in helping to conserve paper in this (and all other) courses. Consider the following ideas:

- Avoid printing electronic documents – get used to working with them from digital format (you will need to do this in your professional careers);
- Make your own notes in electronic documents (e.g., MS Word, Excel, Google Docs, etc.);
- If you are printing, make sure you select double-sided printing (available at all libraries);
- Take leadership and share your concerns and ideas with all of us so we can improve our practices.

Other Useful Links

Become a volunteer note taker - [Volunteer Notetaking](#)

Accessibility Services – [Note Taking Support](#)

[Credit / No-Credit in RSM courses](#)

Rotman Commerce – [Academic Support](#)

Welcome to the course! We sincerely hope that you succeed in, benefit from, and enjoy it!

Appendix A – Tentative Course Schedule (Subject to Change)

Session	Week of	Topic	Req'd Reading Chapter(s)	Optional Self Study	Wiley Quiz	
#1	12-Sep	Introduction to Commerce	1, 3	Chapter 01 Practice Chapter 03 ORION		
#2	19-Sep	Business, Society & Wealth Creation	5, 6	Chapter 05 Practice Chapter 06 ORION		
#3	26-Sep	Managing and Leading in Organizations	7	Chapter 07 Practice Chapter 07 ORION		
#4	03-Oct	Strategic Human Resource Management	8	Chapter 08 Practice Chapter 08 ORION	Wednesday, Oct. 5 @ 8AM - Quiz #1 (Wiley), Sessions 1-3	
#5	10-Oct	Environment, Social, Governance (ESG)	2	Chapter 02 Practice Chapter 02 ORION		
#6	17-Oct	Term Test - Wednesday Oct. 19th @ 8am-9am Testing Material from Sessions 1-5 (inclusive) NO CLASS THIS WEEK				
#7	24-Oct	Strategy Part I & Operations Management	9, 10	Chapter 09 Practice Chapter 10 ORION		
#8	31-Oct	Strategy Part II	4, 15, 17	Chapter 15 Practice Chapter 17 ORION		
	07-Nov	Reading Week				
#9	14-Nov	Business Sustainability and Government	On Quercus			
#10	21-Nov	Canada in World Markets	4,16	Chapter 04 Practice Chapter 16 ORION	Wednesday, Nov. 23 @ 8AM - Quiz #2, Sessions 1-9	
#11	28-Nov	Accounting	15			
#12	05-Dec	Amazon Integrated Case Analysis and Course Wrap-up	15, 17	Chapter 15 ORION Chapter 17 Practice		
		Final Test (Cumulative)		ORION FOR ALL CHAPTERS		

Last Update – September 8, 2022

Note: The last day to drop this course without academic penalty is **Wednesday, November 16, 2022**