

**El Paso Community College**  
**Syllabus**  
**Part II**  
**Official Course Description**

<b>SUBJECT AREA</b>	<u>Communication</u>
<b>COURSE RUBRIC AND NUMBER</b>	<u>COMM 1336</u>
<b>COURSE TITLE</b>	<u>Video Field Production</u>
<b>COURSE CREDIT HOURS</b>	<u>3                    2 : 2</u> Credits            Lec    Lab

**I. Catalog Description**

Acquires practical experience in the operation of television remote production, studio, and control room equipment including both pre-and post-production needs. **(2:2) Lab fee.**

**II. Course Objectives**

Upon satisfactory completion of this course, the student will be able to:

- A. Determine pre- and post-production needs.
- B. Effectively operate various types of microphones.
- C. Assemble and operate audio and video field equipment.
- D. Record audio and video in a variety of video settings.
- E. Set up lights for video recording in studio, indoors and in the field.
- F. Utilize script formatting.
- G. Conduct broadcast interviews.
- H. Edit audio and video portions of a short package leading to a student's final work being judged as having broadcast quality, with audio and video editing skills evident.

**III. THECB Learning Outcomes (ACGM)**

Upon successful completion of this course, students will:

- 1. Demonstrate understanding of the fundamental types, purposes, and relevance of mass communication.
- 2. Demonstrate understanding of mass media in historic, economic, political, and cultural realms.
- 3. Demonstrate understanding of the business aspects of mass media and the influence of commercialism.
- 4. Demonstrate understanding of evolving media technologies and relevant issues and trends.
- 5. Demonstrate understanding of mass media values, ethics, laws, and industry guidelines.
- 6. Demonstrate understanding of globalization of mass media.
- 7. Demonstrate understanding of media effects on society.

**IV. Evaluation**

A. Unit Exams.....	10 %
B. Hands-on Exams.....	10 %
C. Audio Exercise.....	20 %
D. Video Exercise.....	25 %
E. Final Video Package.....	25 %
F. Class Participation.....	10 %
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>100 %</b>

Grading Scale:

- A = 90-100
- B = 80-89
- C = 70-79
- D = 60-69
- F = 59 and below

**V. Disability Statement (American with/Disabilities Act [ADA])**

EPCC offers a variety of services to persons with documented sensory, mental, physical, or temporary disabling conditions to promote success in classes. If you have a disability and believe you may need services, you are encouraged to contact the Center for Students with Disabilities to discuss your needs with a counselor. All discussions and documentation are kept confidential. Offices located: VV Rm C-112 (831-2426); TM Rm 1400 (831-5808); RG Rm B-201 (831-4198); NWC Rm M-54 (831-8815); and MDP Rm A-125 (831-7024).

**VI. 6 Drop Rule**

Students who began attending Texas public institutions of higher education for the first time during the Fall 2007 semester or later are subject to a 6-Drop limit for all undergraduate classes. Developmental, ESL, Dual Credit and Early College High School classes are exempt from this rule. All students should consult with their instructor before dropping a class. Academic assistance is available. Students are encouraged to see Counseling Services if dropping because exemptions may apply. Refer to the EPCC catalog and website for additional information.