

To: The Faculty of the College of Engineering

From: The Division of Construction Engineering & Management

Date: February 21, 2018

RE: New course in the Construction Engineering & Management curriculum (B.S. CNE)

The faculty of the Division of Construction Engineering & Management has approved a new course entitled CEM 45600: "Design-Build Project Delivery Method" as part of the B. S. CNE curriculum. This course provides an additional technical elective for CNE undergraduate courses.

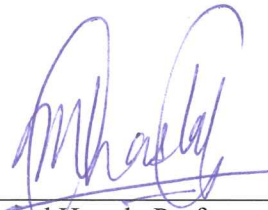
The course goals and learning objectives are fully detailed in the attached supporting documents and are briefly summarized here as:

The course is designed to introduce students to tools and the basic foundation for design-build project delivery including variations that may also include operation and maintenance of the capital construction project. Essential factors of the design-build method will be studied in depth.

By the end of this course, students should be able to:

- a) Describe the attributes of all major project delivery methods, procurement methodologies, and contracting approaches;
- b) Identify the appropriate project delivery method based on owner requirements;
- c) Evaluate the attributes of design-build project delivery;
- d) Assess the critical elements of the request for qualifications/request for proposals (RFQ/RFP) process and overall project management for design-build projects;
- e) Understand the risk management and contract implications of a design-build project versus other project delivery methods;
- f) Apply the attributes learned in this course to case studies; and
- g) Be prepared to be a meaningful participant on a real design-build project.

This course has been taught as CEM 49700 during spring semesters of 2017 and 2018. It is one of several courses for CEM undergraduate students to meet the two (6 credit hours) technical electives required for graduation with a B.S. in Construction Engineering & Management.



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## CEM - 45600 - Design-Build Project Delivery Method For Engineers

2018-2019 Course Create New Undergraduate

### General Course Information

**Originating Campus\***  West Lafayette  
 Northwest  
 Fort Wayne  
 IUPUI

**College/School\***

College of Engineering - WL

**Department\***

-Division of Construction Engineering and Management - WL

**Course Numbers:** All course numbers may only be used once for a course in order to allow our repeat course audit to work properly. Before submitting a form for a new course or renumber, please make sure the course number is available. Please remember Purdue now uses 5-digit course numbers to allow more options for the departments.

Contact Bettie Cole for available course numbers. [bjcole@purdue.edu](mailto:bjcole@purdue.edu)

**Proposed Effective Term\***

Spring 2019

**Proposed Subject Code\***

CEM

**Proposed 5 digit course #\*** 45600

**Long Title\*** Design-Build Project Delivery Method For Engineers

**Short Title (max 30 characters)** Design-Build Project Delivery Method

**Terms offered (Select all that apply)**

Fall  
 Spring  
 Summer

**Credit Hour Guidelines:** Purdue's credit hour guidelines are provided below. [http://www.purdue.edu/registrar/documents/forms/Credit\\_Hr\\_Guidelines.pdf](http://www.purdue.edu/registrar/documents/forms/Credit_Hr_Guidelines.pdf) Please use the following two options to specify if the course credit is fixed or variable:

**Option #1: Fixed Credit Hours**

**Proposed Credit Hours** 3

**Option #2: Variable Credit Range**

**Minimum**

**Variable Credit**  To  OR

**Maximum**

**Course Repeat Status**  Course may be repeated  
 Course may not be repeated

**If repeatable:**  Unlimited Amount of times  
 Maximum Repeatable Credit Amount

**Maximum Credit Amount**

**Grade modes (Select all that apply)**  Regular Grade  
 Pass/No Pass Option  
 Audit  
 Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory

If this course is crosslisted, navigate to the crosslisting icon  in the Proposal Toolbox.

Click on 'Add Crosslisting'

Select the proposal that has (crosslisting) after the course title

Update any fields that pertain to the crosslisted course

Save your changes

Navigate back to the Primary proposal by clicking on the 'View Primary' icon in the top left corner of the proposal

**Crosslisted Course/Equivalent Course**

**Course Fees:** The following fees are provided on the form: Coop, Lab, and Rate Request. In order to ensure the accurate fee is assessed on a course, the Bursar's Office would like to have an explanation included with the form along with the business manager's contact information if additional information is needed.

**Additional Fees:**  Yes  
 No

**Explanation of fees**

**Registration Approvals**  Department  
 Instructor

**Attributes:**  Variable Title  
**(Select all that Apply)**  Honors  
 Full-Time Privileges  
 Half-Time Privileges  
 Internship  
 Coop  
 Parallel Coop  
 Credit by Exam

**Schedule Types/Credit Hours:** The following links will provide explanations of the schedule types and credit hours to assist in assigning accurate types to a course.

[Schedule Type Classifications](#)

[Credit Hour Guidelines](#)

Use the following instructions to add each schedule type for the course in the text box. Examples are listed below.

**Schedule Types:** Lecture (LEC), Recitation (REC), Presentation (PRS), Laboratory (LAB), Lab Prep (LBP), Studio (SD), Distance Learning (DIS), Clinic (CLN), Experiential (EX), Research (RES), Individual Study (IND), Practice Study Observation (PSO)  
**Minutes per Meeting**  
**Number of Meetings per week**  
**Weeks per term**

**Examples:** (3 credit course) LEC/50min per mtg/3mtgs per wk/16 wks per term OR (3 credit course with Lecture and Lab) LEC/50/2/16 and LAB/100/1/16

**Proposed Schedule Type:** LEC/75 min per mtg/2mtgs per wk/16 wks per term

**Restrictions:**

If restrictions are being requested, please provide the proper Banner codes (major, program etc.) to ensure all are accurately reflected on the course. All codes may be found on our website under [Advisors/Active PWL Major Programs](#), and [Active PWL Minors](#) links:

Restriction Types: major, program or school codes; never use more than one  
Use the words "and" or "or" when filling out form instead of commas

Restrictions List: Department, Field of Study, Class, Level, Degree, Program, Campus, College

**Proposed Restrictions:** Completion of CEM 201/CE 222 with a grade of C- or better or permission of instructor.

**Requisites:**

Requisite information can only be selected from active offerings.

Co-requisite courses are always required to be taken at the same time  
Concurrent prerequisite courses may be taken during the same semester or in a previous term  
600-level prerequisites are not enforced, they are added to description as informational text

If there is an equivalent course the department would like listed with the prerequisites, that specific course will need to be specified on the form in order to have it enforced through the system.

**Pre-Requisites:**  
D- equals the lowest passing grade, unless otherwise noted

**Co-Requisites****Course Information:****Course Description\***

This course presents traditional project delivery methods and contrasts them with design-build project delivery. The course focuses on the principles, tools, and procedures used in the design-build project delivery method. It provides students with sufficient education to become certified (following additional examination) by the Design Build Institute of America as an Associate Member and dependent on employment experience, a full Member. Traditional project delivery methods, Design-Bid-Build, Construction Manager as Agent, 'Fast Track', and other 'rip and read' methods are losing popularity to project delivery methods that take a more collaborative approach. Collaboration requires a different way of thinking about a capital construction project and working with others in project delivery. Constructors must move from a transactional, arms-length relationship where the project is viewed as a low-price commodity to a full-suite delivery of services resulting in a high-value product. This requires collaboration with the Owner and other members of the project delivery process, something that has been missing from traditional project delivery methods.

Active student participation is required. Student participation will be facilitated through assigned presentations, in-class projects, field trips to local projects, and guest lectures.

Students who complete the course and achieve DBIA's minimum requirements (Fundamentals of Project Delivery, Principles of Design-Building Project Delivery, Post Award, and Contracts & Risk Management) will be eligible for recognition by DBIA.

**Learning Outcomes**

The course is designed to introduce students to tools and the basic foundation for design-build project delivery including variations that may also include operation and maintenance of the capital construction project. Essential factors of the design-build method will be studied in depth.

By the end of this course, students should be able to:

- Describe the attributes of all major project delivery methods, procurement methodologies, and contracting approaches;
- Identify the appropriate project delivery method based on owner requirements;

Evaluate the attributes of design-build project delivery;  
 Assess the critical elements of the request for qualifications/request for proposals (RFQ/RFP) process and overall project management for design-build projects;  
 Understand the risk management and contract implications of a design-build project versus other project delivery methods;  
 Apply the attributes learned in this course to case studies;  
 and  
 Be prepared to be a meaningful participant on a real design-build project.

**Additional Course Information (if needed)**

Students will be assigned several small projects throughout the semester that will focus on different aspects/concepts of Design-Build project delivery. Following some projects students are expected to make at least one presentation (5 – 10 minutes in length) about solutions, approaches, and learning. The presentation will either be individual or group (all students in the group must participate in the presentation). Presentations will be graded on the basis of: subject matter knowledge, organization, time, presentation skills (expression, elocution, engagement, poise, text, and graphics), and mechanics.

**Syllabus - Attach using the directions below:**


Navigate to the Proposal Toolbox at the top of the right side.

Select the "Add Files" button 

Upload file to be attached.

**Validate and Launch Proposal once you have completed all fields:**

Click "Save All Changes" 

Click on the arrow  at the top of the page to launch the proposal. (Only launch the proposal after completing all necessary fields.)

The proposal will now be sent on for approvals.

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**Catalog Ownership**

Division of Construction Engineering and Management

**Course Type**

Construction Engineering and Management