**Wayland Mission Statement**

Wayland Baptist University exists to educate students in an academically challenging, learning-focused, and distinctively Christian environment for professional success, and service to God and humankind.

**Contact Information**

**Course**

: MGMT 6316 <<VC01>> – Human Resource Development

**Campus**

: <<WBUonline >>

**Term/Session**

**:** <<Summer 2023>>

**Instructor**

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**:** <<Virtual-Call or email for appointment>>

**Class Meeting Time and Location**

**:** <<Virtual Campus>>

**Textbook Information**

**Required Textbook(s) and/or Required Materials**

**:**

No textbook

**Optional Materials**

**:** <<None>>

**Course Information**

**Catalog Description**

**:**

Examination of human capital theories of human resource management including issues of organizational structure and its impact on human/organizational performance.

**Prerequisite:** In good standing with the DMGT program

**Course Outcome Competencies**

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* Critique and synthesize theories in human resource development as strategic tools
* Propose research projects that extend or combine research in human resource development
* Apply human resource development research theories to current management problems
* Evaluate human and intellectual capitals to meet strategic needs
* Analyze cultural and global perspectives in human resource development as a competitive advantage
* Interpret current legal issues in human development
* Integrate course concepts relative to the Christian Worldview

**Attendance Requirements**

WBUonline

Students are expected to participate in all required instructional activities in their courses. Online courses are no different in this regard; however, participation must be defined in a different manner. Student “attendance” in an online course is defined as active participation in the course as described in the course syllabus. Instructors in online courses are responsible for providing students with clear instructions for how they are required to participate in the course. Additionally, instructors are responsible for incorporating specific instructional activities within their course and will, at a minimum, have weekly mechanisms for documenting student participation. These mechanisms may include, but are not limited to, participating in a weekly discussion board, submitting/completing assignments in Blackboard, or communicating with the instructor. Students aware of necessary absences must inform the professor with as much advance notice as possible in order to make appropriate arrangements. Any student absent 25 percent or more of the online course, i.e., non-participatory during 2 or more weeks of an 8-week session, may receive an F for that course. Instructors may also file a Report of Unsatisfactory Progress for students with excessive non-participation. Any student who has not actively participated in an online class prior to the census date for any given session is considered a “no-show” and will be administratively withdrawn from the class without record. To be counted as actively participating, it is not sufficient to log in and view the course. The student must be submitting work as described in the course syllabus. Additional attendance and participation policies for each course, as defined by the instructor in the course syllabus, are considered a part of the university’s attendance policy.

**University Policies**

**Statement on Plagiarism and Academic Dishonesty**

**:** Wayland Baptist University observes a zero tolerance policy regarding academic dishonesty. Per university policy as described in the academic catalog, all cases of academic dishonesty will be reported and second offenses will result in suspension from the university.

**Disability Statement**

**:** In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), it is the policy of Wayland Baptist University that no otherwise qualified person with a disability be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subject to discrimination under any educational program or activity in the university. The Director of Counseling, Career and Disability Services serves as the coordinator of students with disability and should be contacted concerning accommodation request at (806) 291-3765. Documentation of a disability must accompany any request for accommodations.

Accessibility issues with content in WBUonline courses or in Blackboard should be addressed to the WBU accessibility coordinator, Dr. Trish Ritschel-Trifilo, trifilot@wbu.edu or call (806) 291-3745.

**Student Grade Appeals**

**:** Students shall have protection through orderly procedures against prejudices or capricious academic evaluation. A student who believes that he or she has not been held to realistic academic standards, just evaluation procedures, or appropriate grading, may appeal the final grade given in the course by using the student grade appeal process described in the Academic Catalog. Appeals may not be made for advanced placement examinations or course bypass examinations. Appeals are limited to the final course grade, which may be upheld, raised, or lowered at any stage of the appeal process. Any recommendation to lower a course grade must be submitted through the Vice President of Academic Affairs to the Faculty Assembly Grade Appeals Committee for review and approval. The Faculty Assembly Grade Appeals Committee may instruct that the course grade be upheld, raised, or lowered to a more proper evaluation.

**Course Requirements and Grading Criteria**

<< **Requirements:**

**Grading Topic Points (Total 100%)**

* Discussion Board/Attendance (8) 45%
* Literature Review (2) 35%
* Presentation (1) 20%

**Late Policy:**

Unless there are special circumstances as noted below, all work (including Discussion Board assignments and any other graded assignment) must be submitted by the due date.

* Assignments submitted within one week after the due date will receive a 10% deduction. **This does not apply to Discussion Board work. Discussion Board assignments must be completed by the stated due date.**
* Assignments submitted more than one week and less than 2 weeks late will receive a 20% deduction. **This does not apply to Discussion Board work. Discussion Board assignments must be completed by the stated due date.**
* Assignments submitted two weeks late or after the final date of the course will not be accepted.

Special circumstances (e.g. death in the family, personal health issues) will be reviewed by the instructor on a case-by-case basis. ***To be considered for an exemption to the policy, students must contact the professor in advance of the due date.***

**The University has a standard grade scale:**

A = 90-100, B = 80-89, C = 70-79, D = 60-69, F= below 60, W = Withdrawal, WP = withdrew passing, WF = withdrew failing, I = incomplete. An incomplete may be given within the last two weeks of a long term, within the last week of an 8-week session, or within the last two days of a microterm to a student who is passing, but has not completed a term paper, examination, or other required work for reasons beyond the student’s control. A grade of “incomplete” is changed if the work required is completed prior to the last day of the next long 16-week term or 8-week session, unless the instructor designates an earlier date for completion.  If the work is not completed by the appropriate date, the I is converted to an F.

**Tentative Schedule**

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| **Week & Session** | **Theoretical Research** | **Assignments** |
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| **Week 1** | **Behavioral Psychology** | **Discussion Board (DB)*****Live Virtual Meeting*** |
| **Week 2** | **Humanistic Psychology** | **DB** |
| **Week 3** | **Positive Psychology** | **DB*****LR #1*** |
| **Week 4** | **Gestalt Psychology**  | **DB** |
| **Week 5** | **Developmental Psychology** | **DB*****Presentation Topic Due*** |
| **Week 6** | **Social Justice and Legalities** | **DB*****LR #2*** |
| **Week 7** | **Talent Acquisition and Management Theories**  | **DB*****Submit Presentation in Week 8 DB*** |
| **Week 8** | **Global and Cultural Theories****Note: No work accepted after** **Saturday, July 22, 2023the last day of the session.** | **DB*****Presentation Q&A Activities in the DB*** |

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**Additional Information**

<< **Week 1 Attendance Participation Requirement:** By Wednesday, Midnight (May 31) of your local time zone, go to the Week 1 Discussion Board and complete the acknowledgement statement to avoid being dropped from this class.

**Live Virtual Meeting:** Scheduled Thursday evening, 8:00PM CST in the first week (June 1) so we can meet each other, review course expectations, and have any questions answered. See Blackboard for more information.

**Discussion board (DB):**The discussion board is where you *attend* class and share ideas based on theoretical research with your colleagues. In general, initial posts are due on Friday and responses to colleagues by Sunday, Midnight, your local time zone. If you miss the week, the discussion board is automatically graded as a zero (0) without the opportunity to be completed at a later time as the discussion is essentially over. You will not see the postings of others until you submit your initial post. Following late policy procedures, making up a discussion board may be considered on a case-by-case basis and only for emergency situations.

**Literature Reviews (LR):** Complete two (2), five to six-page literature reviews using peer-reviewed sources. See Blackboard for topics and rubric. The key to success on these LR’s is to create a balance and offer scholarly argument using a variety of in-text citations per paragraph.

Steps:

1. Identify a topic and find your key article
2. Find sources that support and contradict your key article
3. Analyze and synthesize the articles and write your review

**Audio-Enabled Presentation:** Create an audio-enabled PowerPoint presentation for one of the theoretical approaches to Human Resources Development covered in this course (a different topic than your LR’s). Your topic idea is due in Week 5 (July 2). Presentations are part of the Week 8 discussion board should be posted by Sunday, Midnight at the end of Week 7 (July 16). See blackboard for more information, template, and rubric.

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