| CLASS INFORMATION | Benedictine University  
MBA 630B – Operation Management  
Spring 2016  
March 29th – May 31st  
Tuesdays, 3:00 – 6:00 PM  
Classroom location: Refer to MyBenU |
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<td>COURSE PREREQUISITES</td>
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| INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION | Mark Kozak, Adjunct Professor  
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| COURSE OBJECTIVES |  
- Formulate strategies that increase productivity and quality to maximize a firm’s profitability in a global marketplace.  
- Define and apply the concepts of productivity and production.  
- Assess a firm’s operational performance through interpretation of its financial statements.  
- Apply Operations Management tools and strategies to product design and the product life cycle to improve the firm’s performance.  
- Assess capacity and enhance operating leverage via break-even analysis. |
| CLASS OVERVIEW & GRADING | Current Article Summary 100 points  10%  
Midterm exam 200 points  20%  
Final exam 300 points  30%  
Weekly problem sets 300 points  30%  
Book review 100 points  10% |
| IMPORTANT REMINDERS | Review and Consult Syllabus from D2L.  
Students are expected to check the class Desire2Learn (D2L) site prior to the first night of class and on an ongoing basis. |
| PRE-CLASS ASSIGNMENT | Exchange email with instructor (my email address is mfkozak@ben.edu). Include your degree program and where you are in the program, and introduce yourself (experience, job or role, employer). |