Subject Description Form

Subject Code	LSGI2000/IC251				
Subject Title	Industrial Safety for Surveying and Geo-Informatics				
Credit Value	1 Training Credit				
Level	2				
Pre-requisite/ Co-requisite/ Exclusion	Nil				
Objectives	This subject aims to provide basic knowledge of industrial safety at work commensurate with that required for Mandatory Basic Safety Training for construction industry.				
Intended Learning Outcomes	Upon completion of this subject, students will be able to:				
	a) describe the legal requirements/codes of practice relating to construction safety;				
	b) describe the common types of work-related accidents and identify potential Occupational Safety and Health hazards at construction sites, and recommend associated preventive measures including the use of personal protective equipment;				
	c) identify potential work-related hazards and recommend associated preventive measures on field work.				
Subject Synopsis/ Indicative Syllabus	1) Safety Law: Factories and Industrial Undertakings Ordinance and its subsidiary regulations; Occupational Safety and Health Ordinance and its subsidiary regulations; Construction Sites (Safety) Regulations, covering associated hazards and risks including vehicle safety, insect bites, heat stress and foul weather precautions; Overview of Codes of Practices.				
	2) Occupational Health: Dangerous Substances and Chemical Safety; Display Screen Equipment; Dust Hazards and Control; Manual Handling (including hands-on session on correct posture); Noise Hazards and Control.				
	3) Safety Technology: Electrical safety; Fire Safety including hill fire; Machinery Hazards and Principles of Guarding; Personal Protective Equipment including hands-on sessions covering safety harness and helmet); Emergency Preparedness and Handling, covering Emergency Handling Techniques and First Aid.				

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Learning Methodology	The learning begins general study of the local legal requirement safety concepts and accident phenomenon, followed by a study hazard identification, risk assessment and control measures. The learning will be supported by video illustrations, case studies as group discussions.						
Assessment Methods in Alignment with Intended Learning Outcomes	Assessment Methods	Weighting (%)	Intended Learning Outcomes Assessed				
			a	b	c		
	1. Coursework	50	✓	✓	✓		
	2. Test	50	✓	✓	✓		
	Total	100					
Student Study Effort Expected	Class Contact						
	Lecture				14 Hrs.		
	■ Tutorial				1 Hrs.		
	Other Study Effort						
	Coursework		20 Hrs.				
	Total Study Effort		35 Hrs.				
Reading List and References	Reading List The teaching notes uploaded to the Blackboard platform. References:						
	Labour Department publications on occupational safety available at: http://www.labour.gov.hk/eng/public/content2 8.htm						
	Labour Department publications on occupational health available at: http://www.labour.gov.hk/eng/public/content2_9.htm						
	3. Hong Kong Law Cap 59, Cap 509 and Cap 282 available at: http://www.legislation.gov.hk/eng/index.htm						