USC Marshall School of Business

DATA SCIENCES AND OPERATIONS

DSO 583 – Operations Consulting

Section(s) - 16339

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Online, Saturday 9 AM - 12 Noon

Office Units 3 Online



WHY TAKE THIS COURSE?

Students who plan to have a career in management consulting, operations consulting, internal consulting groups of large corporations, and leading positions in operations and supply chain management areas

COURSE OBJECTIVES

To provide students with hands-on consulting experience, data analytic skills, consulting tools/frameworks, operations, and supply chain management skills for managing consulting projects

KEY CONCEPTS

- Hands-on consulting with real client projects
- Problem-solving and presentation skills
- Data analytic skills
- Advanced MS Excel skills •
- Collaborative Planning, Forecasting, and Replenishment
- Lean Operations and Six Sigma
- **Process Management**
- **Operations Innovation**

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This course covers basic skills in management consulting, including presentation and data analytics skills. It will investigate operational issues and decisions, including developing a competitive advantage through operations, strategic planning, and lean Six Sigma methods. The course teaches practical consulting skills; students will work on real-life consulting projects.