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The College of the Desert Catalog Addendum represents course and program revisions made since the last publication of the Catalog. Included in this Addendum are new courses effective Spring 2017.

Courses of Instruction

NEW COURSES EFFECTIVE SPRING 2017

CIS-040 Information and Communication Technology Essentials

Units: 4

CompTIA certifications help students build a solid foundation of essential knowledge and skills that will help them earn employment in technology-related careers. The CompTIA A+ certification assures employers that their applicant is prepared to enter the workforce as an entry-level computer support technician. Computer support technicians provide technical assistance to computer users. They may answer questions or resolve computer problems for clients in person, or via telephone or electronically. They may provide assistance concerning the use of computer hardware and software, including printing, installation, word processing, electronic mail, and operating systems. Completion of this course prepares students for the CompTIA A+ 220-901 and 902 industry certification exams.

Lecture Hours: **54** Lab Hours: **54** Repeatable: **No** Grading: **Letter Grade**

Transfer Status: CSU Degree Applicable: AA/AS

COD GE: None CSU GE: None IGETC: None

CIS-053 Computer Network Fundamentals

Units: 3

CompTIA certifications help students build a solid foundation of essential knowledge and skills that will help students earn employment in technology-related careers. The CompTIA Network+ certification assures employers that their applicant is prepared to enter the workforce as a network support technician. Computer network technicians analyze, test, troubleshoot, and evaluate existing network systems, such as local area network (LAN), wide area network (WAN), and Internet systems or a segment of a network system. Perform network maintenance to ensure networks operate correctly with minimal interruption. Completion of this course prepares students for the CompTIA Network+ N10-006 industry certification exam.

Lecture Hours: **54** Lab Hours: **0** Repeatable: **No** Grading: **Letter Grade**

Transfer Status: CSU Degree Applicable: AA/AS

COD GE: None CSU GE: None IGETC: None