

## Cover Sheet for Curriculum Action Request (CAR) and Course Outline

*This is a routing procedure; the official signature section is on the CAR form.*Course alpha and number ICS 340 Introduction to Visual Basic Proposal type New CourseAuthor Daniel Kruse ext 324 e-mail krused@hawaii.eduConsulted with Alf Wolf, David Grooms, Sandra Swanson

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved by Academic Senate, CAR signed by Chair	Date 9/10/2004
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forwarded to and received by Chief Academic Officer	Date 29 Sept 04
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reviewed and CAR signed by Chief Academic Officer	Date 13 Oct 04
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reviewed and CAR <u>and</u> Course Outline signed by Chancellor	Date 6/14/04
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## Distribution/Information Posting/Follow-up

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copy of signed original Course Outline sent to author for his/her files	Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Course Outline published to Curriculum Committee web page	Date
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# ORIGINAL

Curriculum proposal number 2003.112

## Curriculum Action Request (CAR) (Form 4-93) - Maui Community College

1. Author(s) Daniel Kruse
2. Authors' unit(s) Professional Technology
3. Date submitted to Curriculum Committee 03 May, 2004
4. a. General type of action?  course  program  
b. Specific type of action

Addition	Deletion	Modification	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> regular	<input type="checkbox"/> course	<input type="checkbox"/> number/alpha	<input type="checkbox"/> prerequisites
<input type="checkbox"/> experimental	<input type="checkbox"/> from program	<input type="checkbox"/> title	<input type="checkbox"/> corequisites
<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> program	<input type="checkbox"/> credits	<input type="checkbox"/> program
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)	<input type="checkbox"/> description	<input type="checkbox"/> other (specify)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Reason for this curriculum action: New course for ABIT program
6. Existing course N/A

alpha number	title	credits
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7. Proposed new/modified course

<u>ICS 340 Introduction to Visual Basic</u>		<u>3</u>
alpha number	title	credits
8. New course description or page number in catalog of present course description, if unchanged.  
Introduces computer programming for non-computer science majors using the Visual Basic language. Includes algorithms and problem-solving, fundamental programming constructs, object-oriented design, event-driven programming, Graphical User Interface (GUI) principles, and components.
9. Prerequisite(s): ICS 115 or BCIS162, <sup>with at least a C</sup> or consent
10. Corequisite(s)
11. Recommended preparation
12. Is this course cross-listed?  yes  no If yes, list course
13. Student contact hours per week

lecture	hours	lab	hours	lecture/lab	3	hours	other	hours, explain
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14. Revise current MCC General Catalog page(s) P. 110
15. Course grading  letter grade only  credit/no credit  either  audit
16. Proposed semester and year of first offering? Spring semester 2005 year
17. Maximum enrollment 24 Rationale, if applicable: Capacity of computer classroom
18. Special scheduling considerations?  yes  no If yes, explain:

19. Special fees required?  yes  no If yes, explain.

20. Will this request require special resources (personnel, supplies, etc.?)  yes  no

If yes, explain:

21. Is this course restricted to particular room type?  yes  no If yes, explain. Must be in classroom with appropriate hardware and software.

22.  Course fulfills requirement for ABIT program/degree

Course is an elective for \_\_\_\_\_ program/degree

Course is elective for AA degree

23. This course  increases  decreases  makes no change in number of credit required for the program(s) affected by this action

24. Is this course taught at another UH campus?  yes  no

a. If yes, specify campus, course, alpha and number

b. If no, explain why this course is offered at MCC

Part of new ABIT curriculum

25. a. Course is articulated at

UHCC  UH Manoa  UH Hilo  UH WO  Other/PCC

b. Course is appropriate for articulation at

UHCC  UH Manoa  UH Hilo  UH WO  Other/PCC

c. Course is not appropriate for articulation at

UHCC  UH Manoa  UH Hilo  UH WO  Other/PCC

d. Course articulation information is attached?  yes  no

Proposed by

Daniel Kruse 03 May, 2004

Author or Program Coordinator/Date

Approved by

9/10/04  
Academic Senate Chair/Date

Requested by

Division or Unit Chair/Date

10/13/04  
Chief Academic Officer/Date

Recommended by

25 August  
Curriculum Chair/Date

10/14/04  
Chancellor/Date

Maui Community College  
Course Outline

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1. Alpha and Number: ICS 340  
Course Title Introduction to Visual Basic  
Credits Three (3)  
Date of Outline 03 May, 2004
  
2. Course Description Introduces computer programming for non-computer science majors using the Visual Basic language. Includes algorithms and problem-solving, fundamental programming constructs, object-oriented design, event-driven programming, Graphical User Interface (GUI) principles, and components.
  
3. Contact Hours/Type Three (3): lecture, laboratory
  
4. Prerequisites ICS 115 or BCIS 162, or consent  
Corequisites  
Recommended Preparation

Approved by



Date



## 5. General Course Objectives

Be familiar with the concepts of computer programming and problem solving to the point of understanding how to develop a method for solving a problem and implement it so that it runs effectively and efficiently.

This is part of the required curriculum for the ABIT program.

## 6. Student Learning Outcomes

*For assessment purposes, these are linked to #7. Recommended Course Content.*

On completion of this course students will be able to

- a) explain the importance of programming to the development of information systems;
- b) describe the step-by-step nature of designing, writing, and executing a computer program;
- c) demonstrate how to use creative structured programming as an effective vehicle for problem solving;
- d) develop critical thinking skills in determining what types of problems can be solved effectively with what types of computer methods, why it can be done, and how it can be done;
- e) identify new technology and its appropriateness for solving specific, practical problems;
- f) discuss the importance of structured programming and top down design to good program design;
- g) list the types of programming structures used to write programs;
- h) distinguish between procedural and object-oriented event-driven (OOED) programs;
- i) develop the logic to solve a problem and then write and run programs using Visual Basic to implement that logic;
- j) use the Visual Basic GUI interface in developing practical implementations;
- k) develop programs in Visual Basic to solve business problems, specifically,
  1. using controls, forms, code, and projects to write and run programs using Visual Basic;
  2. using assignment statements, arithmetic, decisions, loop, arrays, functions and procedures, and menus to create the necessary programming statements; and
  3. using database controls to link a Visual Basic program to a database and manipulate it.

## 7. Recommended Course Content and Approximate Time Spent on Each Topic

*Linked to #6. Student Learning Outcomes.*

2-4 Weeks:	Introduction (a,b,c,d,e)
1-4 Weeks:	Design Tools (b,c,f,g,k)
2-5 Weeks:	Beginning Programming (c,f,g,i,j,k)
2-5 Weeks	Event Driven Programming (d,e,g,h,i,j,k)
2-5 Weeks	GUI Development (d,e,g,i,j,k)

8. Text and Materials, Reference Materials, Auxiliary Materials and Content

An appropriate text(s) and materials will be chosen at the time the course is to be offered from those currently available in the field. Examples include:

*Texts:*

*Learning to Program with Visual Basic 2nd Ed.*

McKeown, Patrick G. and Piercy, Craig A.,

*Simple Program Design, 3rd. Edition*

Robertson, Lesley Anne.

*Materials:* Text(s) may be supplemented with:

Articles and/or handouts prepared by the instructor

Appropriate films, videos or internet sites

Television programs

Guest speakers

Other instructional aids

9. Recommended Course Requirements and Evaluation

Examinations (written and/or oral)	25-50%
Programming assignments	30-50%
In-class exercises	0-30%
Homework	0-30%
Quizzes	0-30%
Projects/research	0-40%
Attendance and/or class participation	0-10%

10. Methods of Instruction

Lecture (PowerPoint or similar)

Problem solving and design exercises

Hands-on laboratory exercises

Group or individual projects

Class discussions or guest lectures

Audio, visual or presentations involving the internet

Student class presentations

Field trips

Other contemporary learning techniques (e.g., Service Learning, Co-op)

School-to-Work, self-paced, etc.)

**Assessment of Program Student Learning Outcomes - ABIT 2004**  
**Standard 1: Written Communication**

	ICS 340
1.1 Use writing to discover and articulate ideas	0
1.2 Identify and analyze the audience and purpose for any intended communication	2
1.3 Choose language, style and organization appropriate to particular purposes and audiences	1
1.4 Gather information and document sources appropriately	0
1.5 Express a main idea as a thesis, hypothesis, and other appropriate content	0
1.6 Develop a main idea clearly and concisely with appropriate content	1
1.7 Demonstrate mastery of the conventions of writing, including grammar, spelling, and mechanics	0
1.8 Demonstrate proficiency in revision and editing	1
1.9 Develop a personal voice in written communication	0

**Assessment of Program Student Learning Outcomes- ABIT 2004**  
**Standard 2: Quantitative Reasoning**

	ICS 340
2.1 Apply numeric, graphic and symbolic skills and other forms of quantitative reasoning, accurately and appropriately	2
2.2 Demonstrate mastery of mathematical concepts, skills, and applications, using technology when appropriate	2
2.3 Communicate clearly and concisely the methods and results of quantitative problem solving	1
2.4 Formulate and test hypotheses using numerical experimentation	1
2.5 Define quantitative issues and problems, gather relevant information, analyze that information, and present results	1
2.6 Assess the validity of statistical conclusions	0

**Assessment of Program Student Learning Outcomes - ABIT 2004**  
**Standard 3: Information Retrieval and Technology**

	ICS 340
3.1 Use print and electronic information technology ethically and responsibly	1
3.2 Demonstrate knowledge of basic vocabulary, concepts, and operations of information technology and retrieval	2
3.3 Recognize, identify, and define an information need	3
3.4 Access and retrieve information through print and electronic media, evaluating the accuracy and authenticity of that information	1
3.5 Create, manage, organize, and communicate information through electronic media	3
3.6 Recognize changing technologies and make informed choices about their appropriateness and use	3

**Assessment of Program Student Learning Outcomes - ABIT 2004**  
**Standard 4: Oral Communication**

	ICS 340
4.1 Identify and analyze the audience and purpose of any intended communication.	1
4.2 Gather, evaluate, select, and organize information for the communication.	1
4.3 Use language, techniques, and strategies appropriate to the audience and occasion.	1
4.4 Speak clearly and confidently, using the voice, volume, tone, and articulation appropriate to the audience and occasion	0
4.5 Summarize, analyze, and evaluate oral communications and ask coherent questions as needed.	0
4.6 Use competent oral expression to initiate and sustain discussion.	1

**Assessment of Program Student Learning Outcomes - ABIT 2004**  
**Standard 5: Critical Thinking**

	ICS 340
5.1 Identify and state problems, issues, arguments, and questions contained in a body of information.	1
5.2 Identify and analyze assumptions and underlying points of view relating to an issue or problem.	1
5.3 Formulate research questions that require descriptive and explanatory analyses.	1
5.4 Recognize and understand multiple modes of inquiry, including investigative methods based on observation and analysis.	1
5.5 Evaluate a problem, distinguishing between relevant and irrelevant facts, opinions, assumptions, issues, values, and biases through the use of appropriate evidence.	2
5.6 Apply problem-solving techniques and skills, including the rules of logic and logical sequence.	3