BIBLICAL EVANGELISM 511 (Spring 2011 Instructor: McCann (semdoc@juno.com)).

COURSE DESCRIPTION: The course consists of discussion sessions, drills, and “on the job” training in personal evangelism. Discussions will cover “Sharing your Faith” (SYF) and Everyday Evangelism (EV 2). Students will participate in visitation and on the job training sessions under a trainer who has completed the first semester of training. Students who successfully complete the program will be eligible to serve as a trainer the following semester and receive certification with Evangelism Explosion International.

OBJECTIVES: This study should enable students to:
1. Master the gospel presentation. Requirements 1-6.
2. Become knowledgeable of EE material. Requirements 1, 2, 3, 5, 6.
3. Develop skill for serving as a trainer of an EE team. Requirements 7, 9.
5. Develop familiarity with evangelistic literature. Requirements 10, 8.

REQUIRED TEXTS:
Evangelism Explosion (4th edition); Share Your Faith Student Handbook
Everyday Evangelism (EV2) Student Handbook; (EV2) Learning Cards

COURSE REQUIREMENTS:
1. Read the Everyday Evangelism (EV2) Student Handbook.
2. Complete devotional assignments in the EV2 book on a weekly basis.
3. Listen to the Conversational Gospel CD/MP3 at least three times early in the semester.
4. Memorize EV2 Learning cards 1-3, 5, 8, 10, 12, 15 and 18 early in the semester.
5. View “Intro” and “Life” video at www.xeelife.com the first two weeks of the semester.
6. Attend class and participate in one the job training throughout the semester.
7. Write a brief report explaining how you plan to use EE in your ministry.
8. Develop a bibliography of available evangelistic material
9. Keep a current journal of visits including names of persons visited, results of the visit, your level of participation, and the follow-up steps taken.
10. Read Evangelism Explosion textbook and keep notes of your reaction to the material. Read a minimum of 400 additional pages related to evangelism and prepare a report in which you compare evangelistic methods presented in your reading.
11. Give enthusiastic support to all evangelistic activities promoted by the class.

GRADING: A grade will be given for each class session which will be based on class activity. Unexcused absences result in a “0.” Daily grades count 50%; tests and reports count 50% of final grade. Work must be completed by date due to receive full credit. Late work will result in one letter grade reduction each day late. Five absences result in an “F.” (If a student cannot attend class regularly, he should arrange with the Dean office to drop).
This syllabus is dated 1/04/11. It may be changed after class begins to better meet student needs.