

Brief Syllabus
37:575:360 Union Organizing

Course Description:

Introduction to, and critical analysis of, union organizing strategy and tactics.

Important information:

This class is suitable for both majors and other students considering becoming union organizers. A major focus is on skill development, along with intellectual exploration of issues related to organizing.

Learning Objectives. The student is able to:

Labor Studies and Employment Relations Department:

- Apply employment relations concepts, and substantive institutional knowledge, to understanding contemporary developments related to work. (Goal 2).

School of Management and Labor Relations:

- Demonstrate an understanding of how to apply knowledge necessary for effective work performance. (Goal VI)

Assessment of student success in meeting learning objectives:

Typically a rubric is applied to particular essay or short answer questions on the final exam for this purpose.

In addition, grades are also based on student performance on papers, exercises, discussions, short written assignments, and objective items on exams.