

A - New Course Proposal V. 7.2022 : Entry # 3576**DEAN Decision**

Approved

Date

09/15/2025

Is this course intracollegiate or intercollegiate?

Intracollegiate

SCHOOL EPC Decision

Approved

Date

11/09/2025

Begin Form**Today's Date**

09/14/2025

Your Name:

Robert Hirth

Your Email:rhirth@highpoint.edu**Are you a Department Chair?**

No

Department Chair Name

Kathy Elliott

Email address of your Department Chairkelliott@highpoint.edu**By checking below, I certify that my department chair has seen and approved the new course that I am proposing.**

Yes

Please select the appropriate school overseeing this proposal:

Entrepreneurship

When should this proposal take effect?

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Fall 2026

Information for the Registrar**Choose the department designator from the list below.**

ENT

Proposed Course Number?

2820

Is this course cross listed?

No

Does this course replace a current course?

No

What is the title of the new course?

Entrepreneurship Tools and Technology

Write the catalog description of your proposed course:

This hands-on, introductory course is designed for students eager to explore the practical world of fabrication and prototyping along with basic business software. Whether you are a budding engineer, artist, entrepreneur, or hobbyist, you will gain foundational skills in utilizing a wide array of equipment, technologies, and software that power innovation and small business. 2 credits

How many credit hours will this course be?

2

How will the course be graded?

Letter grade

Please select the course repeat option for this course:

Not repeatable for credit

What is the offering cycle for this course?

Every semester

Does your course have any prerequisites?

No

Is this new course being proposed because of a new or revised major or minor proposal?

This course is part of the CSE curriculum changes

Gen Ed and Academic Programs

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- No

Does this course count towards a major or a minor?

Yes

Please list the Major / Minor and if it is Required or Elective

ENT Major - Elective / ENT Minor - Elective

Is this course part of an academic program?

- This course does not fulfill academic program requirements

Does this course include any community engagement?

No

Does this course participate in the GoGlobal Program?

No

Information for Curriculum Review**Rationale and evidence for new course's consistency with departmental mission:**

This course is intended to familiarize students with the Maker Space and basic software many entrepreneurs use to start their businesses. This course is in line with the mission of the department of entrepreneurship

List all student learning outcomes for this course.

Demonstrate comprehensive knowledge of maker space safety protocols, proper equipment handling, and maintenance procedures.

Operate core maker space equipment proficiently and safely, following manufacturer instructions and lab guidelines.

Plan, organize, and execute maker space projects from concept to completion, including time management, resource allocation, iterative prototyping, and presentation of final products.

Demonstrate knowledge and basic proficiency with introductory business software for small businesses.

List any units or content areas that will be required for all sections of this course.

None

List any assignments, tests, or other assessments that will be required for all sections of this course.

None

List any readings or other materials that will be required for all sections of this course.

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None

List any course policies that will be required for all sections of this course.

None

If you would like to specify how requirements for contact hours must be met for all sections of this course, please indicate below. (e.g., if any experiential learning activities will replace seat time)

No thank you

Is there anything else the reviewing parties should know about this new course proposal that hasn't been addressed?

I don't think so

Sample Syllabus

- [ENT-2820-Tools-and-Tech.docx](#)