Flip Lab and Classroom with Assessments

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Description: We have been very successful in running an open lab with multiple courses, no lectures in our Mechatronics program. After much refinement, we think this model and system can greatly improve the outcomes, reduce busywork of grading, and still provide value and true learning and assessment. You'll see examples of this applied to our Mechatronics work in PLCs, Hydraulics, Pneumatics, and Industrial Electrical course to name a few. We offer our content to share with you or ideas to reshape what you do to increase outcomes.

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Problem: Efficiency and Effectiveness

- Grading in general
- Grading after the work was done?
 - When do they repeat and when do we repeat?
- Measuring skill (application) versus lower Blooms levels
- When is the point of feedback for the learner?
 - As time passes what is the value of feedback?



How do we teach multiple courses/sections at one time

- We don't lecture eLearning and reading focused material
 - Off loading the grading to hands on assessment.
 - Layered approach of learning
 - Something basic, then add this and build on scaffolding to learn further.



The outcome of this...



- When the student is doing the applied skill / task that is when YOU the instructor are most engaged.
- Answer their questions and not the ones we think they have.
- We adjust rapidly to what the student needs or application.
- Sense of accomplishment that the task was done right or they now know.

Finding & Creating Content

- eLearning sources.
- Textbook focused readings page...to page
 - Specific worksheet
- Buy when possible, don't build.
- Create own with screen recording



Work Order Planner

- Students have a work order planer
 - States what needs to be done each week, when is their call (within class times)
 - Google Doc that instructor / student can edit

| em ays | Course # | Course title - cr/hrs/wek | Week 1 | Week 2 | Week 3 | Week 4 | Week 5 | Week 6 |
|-----------|----------|---|---------------------|-------------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| | Dates | Edit Week 1 & Week 9 dates as to match your dates. | s <u>1/24/22</u> | 1/31/22 | 2/7/22 | 2/14/22 | 2/21/22 | 2/28/22 |
| 1 | 419-116 | Basic Hydraulics 2cr/4hr. | Module 1 | | Module 2 | | Module 3 | |
| 1 | 419-117 | Basic Pneumatics 2cr/4hr. | | Module 1 | | Module 2 | | Module 3 |
| 1 | 462-111 | Mechanical Concepts 2cr/4hr. | Module 1 | Module 2 | Module 2 skills 6-9 | Module 3 | Module 4 | Module 5 skills 1-5 |
| 1 | 462-119 | Industrial Mechanical Skill 2cr/4hr. | Module 1.1 - 1.2 | Module 1.3,1.4 | Module 2.1 - 2.4 | Module 2.5 - 3.2 | Module 3.3 - 3.6 | Module 4.1 - 4.2 |
| 1 | 462-115 | Industrial PC Network Concepts 2cr/4hr. | Module 1 | Module 2 | Module 3 | Module 4 | Module 5 | Module 6 |
| 1 | 462-130 | Mfg. Prints & Networks 1cr./2hr. | Module 1 | module 2 | Module 3 | Module 4 | Module 5 | Module 6 |
| 1 | 625-180 | Mfg. Skill Standards 2cr/4hr. | Module 1 | | Module 2 | Module 3 | Module 4 | Module 5 |

LMS Controls the flow of information.

- LMS has each module identified for every course
 - eLearning
 - Quiz
 - Print activities (must do the above to print)
 - Learning Plan (the sign off sheet) or Lab
 - Lab activity .pdf from vendor our Google Doc





Learning Plans guide what to do

- Each 'Skill' is identified and required
 - Separate lab instructions explain the steps.
- Each Skill requires a sign-off where Formative assessment is done.



Assignment: AC/DC-2 Electrical Measurements Learning Plan Student Name:

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Procedure:

- 1. PRINT this document using the 'FILE' MENU: do not request shared access or sign in.
- 2. Complete the Learning Activities in the first table below in the sequence listed.
- 3. Have instructor(s) sign off work as noted. Skills need to be demonstrated for sign-offs.
- 4. Answer the Skill Check questions
- 5. Follow the instructions below on the 'completed learning plan' to receive a grade for this work.

Learning activities/materials:

| Sign | Date | In-lab: ELECTRICAL MEASUREMENTS T7017 AC/DC TRAINER |
|------|------|--|
| | | SKILL 1 Use an analog voltmeter to measure the voltage at a point referenced to ground |
| | | SKILL 2 Use a DMM to measure the voltage of a point referenced to ground |
| | | SKILL 3 Use a DMM to measure voltage drops in series and parallel circuits |
| | | SKILL 4 Use a DMM to measure the electrical current |
| | | SKILL 5 Use a DMM to measure current in series and parallel circuits |
| | | SKILL 6 Use a DMM to measure the resistance of a component |
| | | SKILL 7 Measure the resistance in series and parallel circuits |
| | | SKILL 8 Test the continuity of wires using a DMM |

Learning Plans completion

- Review questions
- Verify all tasks are complete
- This then completes the grading.
- If missing things, no final sign off until completed.

SKILL CHECK QUESTIONS: 1. In a 3 resistor parallel circuit (R1=10 ohms, R2=25 ohms, R3=25 ohms) which resistor has the greatest voltage drop? 2. In a 3 lamp series circuit, what happens if one bulb would burn out? 3. What is the total current in a 3 branch parallel circuit with each branch drawing 0.1 amps? 4. Is the lighting circuit in homes parallel or series? Completed Learning Plan Instr SignOFF CLEAN WORKATION - wipe down hoses, table, put modules in order, etc. date/int To receive credit for this work you must do the following: 1. Update your IM Work order Planner as appropriate. 2. Sign below and date that you have completed these steps. Student Signature: Date: 3. Submit a photo or scan of this document to the appropriate place in Canvas. Failure to upload will result in no grad

Example Skill / Learning plan combined

- Lists the steps and procedure
- Provides stop points for instructor review
 - Feedback on any errors





1.1 Lighting Control Learning Plan

Objective:

In this unit, you will learn the basic parts of a PLC program.

Procedure:

1. Complete the Learning activities, Demonstrate to your instructor and Complete the Lab Procedure & Sign off and submit.

PART 1: Planning a PLC Project - Case Study - Light Control

Whenever something is built it starts with a plan. Here are the steps we will use to create a PLC Project to solve a problem or perform a task.

Steps in this process:

- 1. PROJECT TTTLE: Define what it is.
- 2. State the SOP Sequence of Operations
- 3. Define the inputs/outputs and assign the nicknames/tags
- 4. Create the PLC program (often on paper first)
- 5. Test our program
- 6. Modify until the SOP requirement is met.

1. Project Title: A refrigerator light

2. SOP: The system will turn ON the Entry Light when the Entry Light Switch is in the UP position. When the user puts the Entry Light Switch in the Down position the Entry Light will be turned OFF.

3. Define the inputs/outputs and assign the nicknames/tags

| Device Nickname | Type of device | PLC address | Operation/comment |
|-------------------|---|-------------|--|
| Entry Door Switch | 2-position UP / DOWN switch | X1 | ON =Switch is upward OFF=Switch is downward |
| Entry Light | Light Bulb for the interior of the fridge | Y1 | ON=Light is lite OFF=Light is dark |



Warning...Shameless Plug coming..

- Our open lab
- 1 lab
- Multiple course (18)
- 3 shifts
- And mirrored for 1 shift in Menomonie



Mechatronics – Specialist / Technician

def: Mechanics, Electronics, and other stuff working together previously called the Industrial Mechanics program.

- This program prepares you earn a great living
 - Like solving problems
 - Like making things better
 - Being valued
 - Having skills you can use for a lifetime
- Maintain and repair things in
 - Manufactures
 - Facility Maintenance
 - Weld, hammer, push things around and get paid! $\ensuremath{\textcircled{\odot}}$
 - Troubleshoot equipment and maintain







What you'll learn

- How to troubleshoot systems and minimize failures in
- Mechanical Systems
 - Learn the right way and safe way to work on systems.
- Pumping systems
 - Used in food and processing,
- Electrical Systems
 - Controlling manufacturing lines
 - Industrial computers called PLC's / HMI
 - 3 Phase motors, Conveyors, Robots
- Hydraulic and Pneumatic
- Learn to read their language and think like these devices



Flexible scheduling

- We offer true flexibility for people working days, nights, etc.
- Days, Afternoons and Evenings
- 4 programs laddered within
 - <u>Mechatronics Specialist</u> 2-16-week blocks (2 year)
 - Mechatronics Technician 8 weeks* (1 year alone)
 - <u>Mechanical Maintenance</u> 16 weeks (1 sem)
 - <u>Electrical Maintenance</u> 16 weeks (1 sem)
- <u>All</u> classes start every 8 weeks in our Stacked Lab
 - Jan, Mar, Jun, Aug, Oct
 - Operating from 7-10pm; Mon-Friday





THREE SHIFTS - 5 STARTS / YEAR

| | MONDAY | | TUESDAY | | WEDNESDAY | | THURSDAY | | FRIDAY | |
|---------|--------|-------|---------|-------|-----------|-------|----------|-------|--------|-------|
| 8:00 AM | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | 1st | | 1st | | 1st | | 1st | | 1st | |
| 10 | Shift | | Shift | | Shift | | Shift | | Shift | |
| 11 | | | | | | | | | | |
| NOON | | | 1st | | | | 1st | | 1st | |
| 1 | 1st | 2nd | Shift | 2nd | 1st | 2nd | Shift | 2nd | Shift | 2nd |
| 2 | Shift | Shift | | Shift | Shift | Shift | | Shift | | Shift |
| 3 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4:00 PM | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 3rd | | 3rd | | 3rd | | 3rd | | | |
| 6 | Shift | | Shift | | Shift | | Shift | | | |
| 7 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | | | | | | | |

THREE SHIFTS

- 7AM FULL TIME DAYS
- NOON-4PM MONDY FRIDAY
- 5PM 10PM MONDAY THUR

• STARTS EVERY 8 WEEKS

- January
- March
- June
- August
- October



Student Spotlights



Louria Johnson – evening student



Student Spotlights



"I want a job where I can use my skills at troubleshooting, and I like the variety of things we learn here, like pneumatics, hydraulics, and PLCs. We learn how all these things relate to one another. Most systems are designed to fit different technologies together, and we learn how to work with them all."

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• Full time Days

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- Afternoon
- Evening
- Life Happens!

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Lab Tour: Let's go!

• 2 locations

- Eau Claire at our Applied Tech Center (Gateway Campus)
- Menomonie Campus





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