

# PGA Golf Management at Clemson University

## Sequence of Instruction – Integration of PGA Curriculum

### Freshman Year

#### Fall Semester

PRTM 1950 – PGM Seminar I  
Qualifying Level Courses

- Introduction to PGA/PGM
- History and Constitution
- Rules of Golf

#### Pass Qualifying Level Exam

#### Spring Semester

PRTM 2820 – Principles of Golfer  
Development

- Introduction to Teaching and Golf Club Performance Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Attend Level 1 Seminars
- Complete all Intro to Teaching and GCP Work Experience Activities (WEA)

PRTM 2810 – Introduction to Golf  
Operations

- Business Planning (BP) Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Customer Relations (CR) Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Complete all BP WEA, Tournament Operations (TO) WEA 1, and CR WEA 1

#### Summer Internship (Cohort Requirement 3 months)

PRTM 2060 – Practicum I/Co-op

- Complete TO, CR, and Golf Car Fleet Mgt. (GCFM) WEA.

### Sophomore Year

#### Fall Semester

PRTM 2950 – PGM Seminar II

- Tournament Operations Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Golf Car Fleet Management Pre-Seminar and Knowledge Test
- Completed GCFM activities and finalize all activities

#### Level 1 Work Experience Portfolio and all Level 1 Knowledge Tests completed

#### Spring Semester

PRTM 2830 – Advanced Methods of  
Teaching Golf

- Intermediate Teaching and Golf Club Alteration Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Attend Level 2 Seminars
- Complete all Intermediate Teaching Work Experience Activities

#### Summer-Fall Internship (Cohort Requirement 6 ½ month internship)

PRTM 2070 – Practicum II

- Complete Turfgrass Management WEA and Merchandise and Inventory Management WEA

### Junior Year

#### Fall Semester

Summer-Fall Internship Con't  
PRTM 2070 Continued

#### Spring Semester

PRTM 3830 – Golf Shop Operations

- Golf Operations Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Merchandise and Inventory Management (MIM) Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Complete Golf Operations and MIM Work Experience Activities

### Senior Year

#### Fall Semester

HORT 2120 & 2130 – Introduction to  
Turfgrass Culture and Lab

- Turfgrass Management Pre-Seminar and Knowledge Test
- Complete Turfgrass Management WEA

#### Level 2 Work Experience Portfolio and all Level 2 Knowledge Tests completed

#### Spring Semester

#### Spring-Summer Internship (Cohort Requirement 6 ½ month internship)

PRTM 4050 – Field Training III/Co-op

- Complete a selection of Level III WEA.

### Fifth Year

#### Fall Semester

PRTM 4830 – Golf Club Management  
and Operations

- Human Resource Management and Supervising and Delegating Pre-Seminar, Seminar, Knowledge Test
- Career Enhancement Pre-Seminar and Knowledge Test
- Completion of The Final Experience

PRTM 3950/4950 – PGM Seminar III

- Advanced Teaching and Golf Club Fitting Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test
- Attend Level 3 Seminars
- Player Development Programs and Teaching Business Pre-Seminar, Seminar, and Knowledge Test

FD SC 3970 – Restaurant Food Service  
Management

- Food and Beverage Control Pre-Seminar and Knowledge Test
- Completion of Food and Beverage Control WEA.

#### Level 3 Work Experience Portfolio and all Level 3 Knowledge Tests Completed