

## **Course Description**

## MAR1932 | Email Marketing Fundamentals | 1.00 – 3.00 credits

This course introduces email marketing using Mailchimp with powerful marketing tips and techniques that will help students jump forward and build a list of targeted subscribers. Students will learn a variety of applications ranging from creating email lists, marketing campaigns, sending emails and how to read reports and analytics.

## **Course Competencies**

**Competency 1:** The student will identify the fundamentals of email marketing by:

- 1. Recognizing the value of inbound tools for consumer relationships
- 2. Exploring how e-mail marketing correlates with the rate of return
- 3. Analyzing the techniques of effective email marketing strategy
- 4. Defining the components of a high-performing email

**Competency 2:** The student will assess how the Mailchimp platform operates and its value proposition by:

- 1. Generating a Mailchimp account
- 2. Exploring the audience management tool
- 3. Comparing and contrasting setting up groups, segments, and tags
- 4. Generating an email list, adding new subscribers, and utilizing Mailchimp's management tools
- 5. Utilizing segments in a list

**Competency 3:** The student will practice how to create and send emails by:

- 1. Formulating how to create a campaign and a landing page
- 2. Exploring the process of creating and embedding a signup form in the email and website and how to promote it
- 3. Demonstrating how to preview and test an email
- 4. Preparing A/B Tests in email marketing

**Competency 4:** The student will assess the analytics of email marketing by:

- 1. Identifying how to track email results with reports
- 2. Calculating the basic metrics of email marketing such as hard bounces, click through rates, open rates
- 3. Assessing deliverability issues and the importance of data quality
- 4. Defining campaign performance metrics
- 5. Describing how to benchmark against other sources

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- Use quantitative analytical skills to evaluate and process numerical data
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information
- Use computer and emerging technologies effectively