Course Syllabus

020COCGS5 - Rehabilitation and Design of Concrete Bridges

- **1. Course number and name:** 020COCGS5 Rehabilitation and Design of Concrete Bridges
- 2. Credits and contact hours: 4 credits, 35 course hours
- 3. Instructor's or course coordinator's name: Michel CHACAR
- 4. Textbook and other supplemental material:
 - **a.** Conception et construction des ponts par Michel Vilogeux (Ecole des Ponts)
 - **b.** Conception et construction des ponts par Jean-Armand Calgaro (Ecole des Ponts)
 - c. Projet et construction des ponts Jean-Armand Calgaro
 - **d.** Conception des ponts A Bernard Gely
 - e. Maintenance et Réparation des Ponts Jean-Armand Calgaro et Roger Lacroix

5. Specific course information

- **a.** Catalog description: Provide the necessary information for the design of the various types of bridges
- **b. Prerequisites:** 020RDMGS2 Strength of Materials.
- **c. Required:** Required major course for Public Works and Transport Specialty students.

6. Specific goals for the course:

a. Specific outcomes of instruction:

By the end of the course, the student will be able to:

- explain the different elements necessary for bridge design
- identify the necessary information pertaining to bridge equipment
- design piers and abutments
- identify the different types of reinforced concrete bridges (prestressed concrete, steel, etc...) and their field of application
- describe the methods used for the restoration and strengthening of existing bridges
- identify the steps required for monitoring existing bridge structures

b. KPIs addressed by the course:

KPI	a1	a2	c1	c2	e1	e2	e3
Covered	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Assessed							
Give Feedback							

7. Brief list of topics to be covered and approximate number of lectures:

- 1. Brief historical overview of bridges (1.5 hours)
- 2. Generalities (1.5 hours)
- 3. Functional data (1.5 hours)
- 4. Bridge equipment (3.5 hours)
- 5. Traffic load calculations (2.5 hours)
- 6. Distribution of horizontal forces on supports (1.5 hours)
- 7. Piers and abutments (3 hours)
- 8. Steel bridges (3 hours)
- 9. Reinforced and prestressed concrete bridges (3.5 hours)
- 10. Precast prestressed concrete bridges (2 hours)
- 11. Girder bridges

(5 hours)

- 12. Suspension bridges13. Cantilever bridges
- 14. Rehabilitation and reinforcement of concrete bridges (5.5 hours)15. Bridge monitoring and maintenance (1.5 hours)