



Infor SyteLine CloudSuite

Institution overview



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Enable next-generation manufacturing

Infor SyteLine® is a robust enterprise resource planning (ERP) solution that's geared toward the needs of discrete manufacturers in industries such as automotive, aerospace and defense, industrial manufacturing, and high tech.

It has been specifically designed with built-in best practices and highly efficient process flows to help manufacturers improve productivity. This solution covers all the major functions required by a manufacturing operation, from product development, through budgeting and planning, through manufacturing, marketing, sales, HR, procurement and distribution. Infor SyteLine is mobile friendly; users can operate the full solution via a tablet.

Make a positive impact

Students and professors at business and information technology schools can gain real world, hands-on experience with software that's helping manufacturers improve productivity and efficiency. By emphasizing the value of learning across disciplines, the program will help students gain a competitive edge as they pursue career opportunities, and provide an experiential understanding of the interaction between various departments—how IT supports business management, and how business needs define IT projects, for example—so they can be best prepared for potential employers.

Students with a strong background in industrial manufacturing, business, finance, or engineering can gain in-depth exposure to the latest in application connectivity, business process workflow, social collaboration, contextual business intelligence, and mobile applications. They'll also learn about the collaborative power that departments can achieve when they work together cohesively.

“ Infor SyteLine is helping us not only to reduce costs through less copying, printing, and scanning, but also to reduce the time it takes to find the documents we need.”

Adam Vogini

Information Systems Administrator
Trigon Holding

“ Infor SyteLine has undoubtedly helped us achieve the fast turnaround and product quality that we need to deliver superior customer service.”

Kevin Hall

Head of International Business
Systems Development
Herman Miller

Integrate next-generation courseware

Professors and teachers assistants spanning logistics, procurement, business management, software development, engineering, and programming will be able to integrate Infor SyteLine within their courseware and student project work to provide hands-on learning opportunities using SyteLine in real-world scenarios.

Integrated topics and projects could include **A Day in the Life at a Manufacturing Company**. For this project, students will learn the major functions of a manufacturing company and how an ERP solution like SyteLine supports the following operations:

- Customer Relationship Management
- Sales & order management
- Production Planning & Scheduling
- Quality Management
- Finance
- HR/Payroll
- and more...

Work with industry thought leaders

Upperclassmen, graduate students, and Ph.D candidates will work with Infor Dynamic Science Labs to:

- Define the optimal intuitive user experience, including look and feel, workflow, collaboration tools, and modules, for low-, mid-, and high-volume businesses.
- Define innovative business analytics and user interface by business function and role, such as executives, department heads, and managers.

Drive innovation in the real world

Students play a key role in helping to shape the next generation of user interface for a wide variety of enterprise applications, and gain valuable insight and hands-on experience in the use of enterprise resource planning software. These tools are vital to creating sustainable business practices in a global market that is experiencing increasingly complex supply chains.

Elevate the classroom experience

Professors can build a curriculum around real-world experience with manufacturing of all types, demonstrating efficiency-driving best practices in processes throughout the product lifecycle—including selling, sourcing, production, and fulfillment.

“The reality is manufacturing continues to evolve with other industries. Many of today’s workers have tech-savvy jobs that ask them to use software in ways involving modeling products with 3D visualization tools, mining big data with analytics, and automating assembly with robotics. From procurement to design, building, delivery, and service, there’s considerable opportunity--not to mention massive room for growth--at some of the world’s largest companies.”

Mike Roberts

7 Things Attracting the Youth to American Manufacturing
LNS Research, April 30, 2014



When your institution partners with the Infor Education Alliance Program, you can drive excellence in curriculum development and delivery to attract the best students, and prepare them for employment. You'll help drive innovative thought leadership with the world's leading minds, to address the most significant business challenges and define the next-generation user experience—powered by Infor.

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