SYLLABUS Management Methods and Techniques, 2024-2025

1. Program information

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1.1. Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA
	Bucharest, Pitești University Centre
1.2. Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law
1.3. Department	Management and Business Administration
1.4. Field of studies	Management
1.5. Cycle of studies	Master
1.6. Program of studies	Strategic Management and Business Development

2. Course information

2.1	Name				Management Methods and Techniques						
2.2	Course teacher				PhD	PhD Lecturer Olimpia-Elena-Mihaela OANCEA					
2.3	Seminar teacher				PhD Lecturer Olimpia-Elena-Mihaela OANCEA						
1 ') /1	Year of studies	ı	2.5	Semester	I	2.6	Evaluation type	Examination	2.7	Course type	mandatory

3. Total estimated time

3.1 Number of hours per week	3	3.2	of which course	1	3.3	<u>S/</u> L/P	2
3.4 Total hours from curriculum	42	3.5	of which seminar	14	3.6	<u>S/</u> L/P	28
Time distribution							hours
Study the textbook, course support, bibliography and notes							40
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field							50
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays							
Tutoring							
Examinations							6
Other activities							
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3.7	Total hours of individual study	158
3.8	Total hours per semester	200
3.9	Number of credits	8

4. Prerequisites

4.1. of curriculum	The basics of Management, studied during the Bachelor cycle.
4.2. of competences	Capacity of analysis, synthesis, divergent thinking

5. Requirements

5.1. for courses	The lecture room should be equipped with a video-projector.
5.2. for seminars	The seminar room should be equipped with a video-projector and at least 10 computers.

6. Specific acquired competences

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Professional competences	 C1. Implement strategic planning – 1CP; C3. Improve business processes – 1CP; C4. Integrate strategic foundation in daily performance – 1CP; C20. Align efforts towards business development – 1CP; 						
Transversal competences	- TC3. Think analytically – 1CP; - TC5. Organize information, objects and resources – 1CP; - TC7. Work in an organized way – 1CP; - TC8. Resolve conflicts – 1CP.						

7.1. General objective	The course <i>Management Methods and Techniques</i> transmits the students the necessity
	of understanding and applying the managerial methods and techniques to run a business
	effectively and efficiently.
7.2. Specific objectives	A. Cognitive objectives
	1. Defining correctly the subject Management Methods and Techniques and establishing its
	relations with other economic sciences;
	2. Knowing and understanding the functions of the methodological-managerial subsystem,
	as well as of the relations between this and the other subsystems of the management
	system;
	3. Learning how to design and implement management methods and techniques;
	4. Highlighting the typical managerial situations where each method and technique is
	recommended.

- B. Procedural objectives
- 1. Drafting a team project;
- 2. Solving applications and case studies for each method and technique;
- 3. Developing a systemic vision to create and use managerial tools;
- 4. Using self-assessment learning methods.
- C. Attitudinal objectives
- 1. Respecting the rules of professional deontology, based on explicit value options of a specialist in management;
- 2. Cooperation and teamwork to solve various job tasks;
- 3. Using specific methods to develop plans of personal and professional development.

8. Contents

	Course	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Introduction to management methods and techniques 1.1. The concepts of management methods and techniques 1.2. Typology of management methods and techniques 1.3. The methodological-managerial system 1.4. Design and analysis methodologies of the management system	2		
2	General management systems and methods 2.1. Management by objectives 2.2. Product management 2.3. Budget management 2.4. Management by exception 2.5. Participative management 2.6. Project management 2.7. Profit center management	4		
3	Specific management methods and techniques 3.1. The diagnostic method 3.2. The meeting 3.3. The delegation 3.4. The dashboard	2	Lecture	Demonstration
4	Methods and techniques to stimulate staff creativity 4.1. The brainstorming 4.2. The Philips 66 method 4.3. The synectic 4.4. The matrix of discoveries 4.5. The Delbecq method 4.6. The Delphi method	2	Heuristic conversation Problem solving Explanation	using modern audio-visual means (short PowerPoint
5	Cost management methods and techniques 5.1. The method by orders 5.2. The normative method 5.3. The car-hour-machine method (THM) 5.4. The cost-time-production system 5.5. The value analysis	2	Debate	presentations)
6	World trends of the methodological-managerial approach 6.1. Extensive proliferation of the management systems, methods and techniques 6.2. Increasing the degree of sophistication of the methodological-managerial elements 6.3. Increasing computerization of managerial tools 6.4. Outlining a participatory dimension of the methodological-managerial system of the organization 6.5. The ascendancy of methodological-managerial elements with a strong motivational content 6.6. Setting up a strong systemic vision in designing and using managerial tools 6.7. Professionalization in implementing managerial tools	2		

- Oancea Olimpia, Management Methods and Techniques suport de curs în format electronic, 2024
 Satyajit Chakrabarti, Soumik Gangopadhyay, Isita Lahiri, Soma Sur, Subrata Chattopadhyay, Rishi Raj Sharma, Perspectives in Sustainable Management Practices, e-book, 2023
- Amit Kumar Bhandari, Dipak Saha, Rabin Mazumder, Saikat Chakrabarti, Satyajit Chakrabarti, Perspectives in Finance and Digital Transformations in Business, e-book, 2024

- 4. K. N. Krishnaswamy, Appa Iyer Sivakumar, M. Mathirajan, Management Research Methodology: Integration of Methods and Techniques, 1st Edition by Pearson, 2024
- 5. Satyajit Chakrabarti, Soumik Gangopadhyay, Isita Lahiri, Soma Sur, Subrata Chattopadhyay, Rishi Raj Sharma, Perspectives in Sustainable Management Practices, Routledge India, 2023
- 6. Gupta S.D., System Management: Methods and Techniques, Publisher: Springer; 1st ed. 2022

8.2.	Seminar	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Case studies on management by objectives and project management Organizational elements	6		
	 Organization of the participants in teams (in each team, the members own the positions: general manager, technical and production manager, commercial manager, economic manager and human resources manager. Presentation of the responsibilities of each manager Presentation of data for of the organization analysis The economical-financial situation of the company in the basic year Information regarding the supply, sale and marketing activities Information regarding the production, research and development activities Information regarding personal activities Information about the organizational structure of the company 		Conversation Problem solving Reflection exercises	Demonstration using modern audio-visual means (short PowerPoint
2	Strategic analysis of the organization - Analysis of the internal environment - Analysis of the external environment	4	Debate	presentations, videos etc.)
3	Managerial methods to correlate the organization strategy with the management system: the SWOT analysis, the dashboard techniques, the ORTID technique, the BCG matrix, the brainstorming	4	Explanation Teamwork	Computer assisted instruction,
4	Company strategy formulation - Drafting the global company strategy (mission, basic objectives, strategic options, resources, terms, competitive advantage) - Drafting of the partial strategies Implementing, monitoring and strategy evaluation Assessment of the results and rating: - Presentation of the economical-financial results compared to the strategic directions - Assessment of the adopted strategies and of the working environment within each team etc.	6	Project presentations	modeling
5	Debates and case studies on managers' decisional and operational involvement in implementing the methodological-managerial system	6		
6	Verification of scientific works. Final evaluation	2		

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- 2. Satyajit Chakrabarti, Soumik Gangopadhyay, Isita Lahiri, Soma Sur, Subrata Chattopadhyay, Rishi Raj Sharma, Perspectives in Sustainable Management Practices, e-book, 2023
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* NOTES:

- 1. The seminars consists of projects, direct interventions, debates, teamwork etc., activities considered in the final evaluation.
- 2. The projects are conducted in teams.

9. Course contents corroboration with the demands of the epistemic community representatives, professional associations and related employers.

- the accuracy of using concepts and theories learned during this course will meet employers' requirements;
- the procedural and attitudinal competencies to be acquired during this course will meet the expectations of business professional associations and employers.

Note: The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA Bucharest - Pitești University Centre evaluates periodically the degree of satisfaction of the employers' representatives towards the professional and transversal competences acquired by our graduates.

10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark		
10.4 Course	 The accuracy and completeness of knowledge; Logical consistency; The degree of assimilation of specialized language. 	- Final evaluation - written exam, at the end of semester.	50%		
	- Attendance and active participation	- Presence	10%		
	in the seminar, solving case studies;				
10.5 Seminar		- Case study	10%		
	 Admission to degree's requirements 				
	in terms of achieving homework	- Homework	30%		
10.6 Minimum	Knowledge and understanding of management methods and techniques from a theoretical				
performance standard	and practical point of view				
periormance standard	Presentation homework.				

Completion date, Course teacher, Seminar teacher, September 18th, 2024 PhD Lecturer Olimpia-Elena-Mihaela OANCEA PhD Lecturer Olimpia-Elena-Mihaela OANCEA

Approval date in Head of Department, Head of Department,

Department Council, (provider) (beneficiary)

September 27th, 2024 PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS Business Development Strategies through Projects 2024-2025

1.	Program	information

1.1	Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA
		Bucharest, Piteşti University Centre
1.2	Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law
1.3	Department	Management and Business Administration
1.4	Field of studies	Management
1.5	Cycle of studies	Master
1.6	Program of studies	Strategic Management and Business Development

2. Course information

2.1	Name			Busi	Business Development Strategies through Projects						
2.2	Course teacher			PhD Professor Elena JIANU							
2.3	Seminar / Project teacher			PhD	Professor Elena JI	IANU					
2.4	Year of studies	I	2.5	Semester	I	2.6	Evaluation type	verification	2.7	Course type	mandatory

3. Total estimated time

3.1 Number of hours per week	3	3.2	of which course	2	3.3	Project	1
3.4 Total hours from curriculum	42	3.5	of which course	28	3.6	Project	14
Time distribution for individual study						hours	
Study the textbook, course support, bibliography and notes					50		
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field					40		
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays					50		
Tutoring					10		
Examinations					6		
Other activities					2		
3.7 Total hours of individual study 159							

3.7	Total hours of individual study	158
3.8	Total hours per semester	200
3.9	Number of credits	8

4. Prerequisites

4.1	of curriculum	The basics of Economics and Management
4.2	of competences	Capacity of analysis, synthesis, divergent thinking

5. Requirements (where appropriate)

5.1	for courses	Endowment of the lecture rooms with video projectors
5.2	for seminar / project	The seminar room should be equipped with a video-projector and computers

6. Specific acquired competences

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Professional competences	- C2. Develop revenue generation strategies – 1CP; - C7. Track key performance indicators – 1CP; - C10. Analyse the context of an organisation – 1CP; - C12. Develop company strategies – 1CP; - C14. Provide improvement strategies – 2CP;
Transversal	- TC6. Think creatively – 1CP; - TC9. Demonstrate entrepreneurial spirit – 1CP.

7.1 General objective	The course Business Development Strategies through Projects transmits the students the need to implement sustainable development strategies and policies, evaluated in a coordinated way and taken into account in decision making. Presenting the concepts, principles and basic notions specific to the system of project management.
7.2 Specific objectives	A. Cognitive objectives 1. Knowing and understanding different basic concepts, components and characteristics of project management; 2. Operating with ADS, CPM and PERT methods in the timing projects; 3. Explaining and interpreting the basic project management issues from the systemic perspective; 4. Understanding the project manager's role in coordinating projects.

- B. Procedural objectives
- 1. Developing certain skills to explain and interpret the programs and processes within a project, using a systemic approach;
- 2. Presenting and learning the main ways to implement project management and to optimize costs according to project objectives;
- 3. Identifying some soncrete situations to apply the marketing mix in project management.
- C. Attitudinal objectives
- 1. Ability to work in a team
- 2. Respectin the rules of professional deotology based on explicit value

8.Contents

8.1. Course	No. of	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1 STRATEGY AND STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT OF THE	hours 2	methous	Resources
COMPANY. FORMULATION OF COMPANY STRATEGIES	2		
1.1. Formulation of strategies at the overall level of firms			
1.2. Formulation of business strategies			
2 DIAGNOSTIC ANALYSIS SUPPORTS THE STRATEGY OF THE	2	-	
COMPANY STRATEGY	2		
2.1. Preparing for diagnosis			
2.1. Preparing for diagnosis 2.2. Preliminary documentation			
2.3. Analysis of economic and managerial viability			
	2	-	
3 DETERMINING THE POTENTIAL FOR ECONOMIC AND MANAGERIAL VIABILITY	2		
3.1. The ALTMAN model		- lecture	(Other) resources
3.2. The Model of Criteria for Assessing Managerial Economic		- debate	used: Shor
Performance		with	presentations in
3.3. The matrix model for assessing internal and external factors	4	fictitious	Power Point for the
4 STRATEGIES IN THE FIELD OF RESEARCH AND	4	opponent	stimulation of the
DEVELOPMENT. TECHNOLOGY PERFECTION STRATEGIES		- graphic	reflection
4.1. From research-development strategies to innovation strategies		organizer	renection
4.2. Company C & D & Innovation Strategies: Influence and		organizei	
Typology Factors			
4.3. Strategies for improving technology			
5 QUALITY STRATEGIES. STAFF DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES	4		
5.1. Quality and quality strategy at the firm level			
5.2. Designing training and development programs			
5.3. Implementing training and development programs			
5.4. Training and development strategies			
6 COMPETITIVE STRATEGIES SPECIFIC TO THE COMPANY	4		
6.1. Offensive strategies and defensive strategies			
6.2. Situational strategies according to the competitive position of			
the firm			
7 METHOD C.P.M (CRITICAL PATH METHOD)	4		
7.1. Generalities			
7.2. Rules for Building the Graph Network			
7.3. Project Parameters C.P.M.			
8 POTENTIAL METRA METHOD (M.P.M)	2		
8.1. Generalities			
8.2. Network Setting Rules AoN			
8.3. Priority Diagrams			
9 METHOD P.ER.T. (Program Evaluation and Review Technique)	4		
9.1. Fundamental notes of integral calculation and theory of			
probabilities.			
9.2. Method P.E.R.T.			

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- 4. PROJECT MANAGEMENT PRINCIPLES, <u>www.free-management-ebooks.com</u>, 2013
- 5. James A. Brickley, Clifford W. Smith, Jerold L. Zimmerman, Managerial economics and organizational architecture, McGraw-Hill / Irwin, 2009
- JOSEPH HEAGNEY, Fundamentals of Project Management, American Management Association, 1601
 Broadway, New York, NY 10019, 2012,
 https://www.nesacenter.org/uploaded/conferences/SEC/2014/handouts/Rick Detwiler/15 Detwiler Resources.
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8.2.	Project	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Presentation of the company 1.1. Object of activity 1.2. Characterization of the products (services) of the company 1.3. Structural organization 1.4. Possible changes that took place within the company 1.5. Economical-financial situation Application of the methodology for the implementation of project management in organizational context 2.1. Project identification and setting its goals	1 1 1 1 1 1 2	- Questioning - Debate - Working	Case study, homework presentation,
3	2.2. Time management 2.3. Project cost management 2.4. Project quality management 2.5. Risk management in project Proposals for the increase of the efficiency of the company by emphasizing the creative side of the management	2 2 2 1 1	group - Conversation - Heuristic approach	check list

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- 3. KENDRICK, TOM, Identifying and managing project risk: Essential tools for failure proofing your project., New York: Amacom, 2009
- 4. PROJECT MANAGEMENT PRINCIPLES, www.free-management-ebooks.com, 2013
- 5. James A. Brickley, Clifford W. Smith, Jerold L. Zimmerman, Managerial economics and organizational architecture, McGraw-Hill / Irwin, 2009

9. Course contents corroboration with the demands of epistemic community representatives, professional associations and related employers.

- The precision and the accuracy in the use of the concepts and theories learned within the discipline will meet the expectations of the epistemic/academic community representatives within the field of education sciences
- The procedural and attitudinal qualifications to be acquired through this discipline will meet the expectations of the professional associations representatives and of the employers in the business environment.

Note: Periodically, it will be assessed the degree in which the expectations of the representatives of the academic community and of the employers regarding the professional and transversal qualifications are met by the graduates of the Business development strategies through projects program

10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark		
10.4 Course	accuracy and completeness of knowledge logical coherence degree of assimilation of the specialized	- Written assessments during the semester	20%		
	language	- Final assessment	20 %		
10.5 Project	Attendence and periodical assessment	Free presentation of the student and the oral questioning in the form of dialogue	20%		
,	Project – Application of the methodology for the implementation of project management in organizational context	Oral presentation of the homework Oral questioning	40%		
10.6 Minimum performance standard	Commmunication of information using correctly the scientific language with respect to the field of project management Knowledge of the basic concepts pertaining to the discipline "Business development strategies through projects" The ability to use the methods of stimulating creativity in the utility and methodology of projects				

Completion date, September 16th, 2024 Course teacher, PhD Professor Elena JIANU Seminar / Project teacher, PhD Professor Elena JIANU

Approval date in Department Council, September 27th, 2024 Head of Department, (provider) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI Head of Department, (beneficiary) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS Strategic Career Management and Employees' Development 2024-2025

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	information

1.1	Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA			
		Bucharest, Piteşti University Centre			
1.2	Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law			
1.3	Department	Management and Business Administration			
1.4	Field of study	Management			
1.5	Cycle of studies	Master			
1.6	Program of studies /Qualification	Strategic Management and Business Development /Economist			

2. Course information

2.1	2.1 Name				Strategic Career Management and Employees' Development						
2.2	2.2 Course teacher			PhD Lecturer ANTONIU Maria-Eliza							
2.3	2.3 Seminar teacher				PhD	Lecturer ANTONIL	J Maria-Eliz	za			
2.4	Year of studies	Ι	2.5	Semester	-	2.6	Evaluation type	Е	2.7	Course type	Mandatory

3. Total estimated time

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Time distribution of individual study							hours
Study the textbook, course support, bibli-	ography	and not	es				56
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field						42	
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays						42	
Tutoring						6	
Examinations						4	
Other activities							8

3.7	Total hours of individual study	158
3.8	Total hours per semester	200
3.9	Number of credits	8

4. Prerequisites

4.1	of curriculum	Elements of Management and Human Resources Management
4.2	of competences	Capacities of analysis, synthesis and divergent thinking

5. Requirements

5.1	for courses	- Classroom equipping with video-projector
5.2	for seminars	- Proper equipping of the seminar hall
		l - The deadlines for homework' submission

6. Specific acquired competences

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Professional competences	- C1. Implement strategic planning – 1CP; - C18. Ensure compliance with policies – 1CP; - C21. Create a work atmosphere of continuous improvement – 1CP;
Transversal	- TC2. Work in teams – 1CP; - TC4. Think holistically – 2CP; - TC5. Organize information, objects and resources – 1CP; - TC6. Think creatively – 1CP.

7. Course objectives

7.1 General objective	Familiarizing students with the knowledge on specific aspects of career management in contemporary organizations, career development strategies both from the individual and the organizational perspective, and especially its importance for achieving and maintaining success.
7.2 Specific objectives	A. Cognitive objectives Knowledge of theoretical and methodological elements of careers management Understand the importance of studying the career management and employees' development Identifying organizational's arrangements that influence careers development Understand current realities and future trends in career management in the context of obtaining and maintaining competitive advantage

B. Procedural objectives

Ability to understand the complexity and dynamism of current organizational environment and diversity of the individuals within it;

Apply gained knowledge in organization's practical activities;

Develop the capacity of scientific approach to management processes targeting the careers development,

Develop the capacity to analyze and assess the complexity of contemporary careers.

C. Attitudinal objectives

Cooperation in teams, working to solve various tasks;

Using specific methods of developing an individual and organizational career plan

8. Contents

8.1.	Course	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources	
1	Career concept: definition, typology, individual and organizational perspective on career	2			
2	Organizational Career Management: objectives, career management models, the changing nature of careers	2			
3.	Organizational Career Planning: career guidance and counseling; career development programs; establishing career paths		- lecture - debate with imaginary opponent - Graphic organizer	Davies maint	
4.	Individual Career Planning: individual's personality and career			Power –point presentation	
5.	Fundamental production in the context				
6.	The role of organizations and individuals in career development; the role of mentors and coaches				
7.	Career management practices in today organizations	2			

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- Armstrong, Michael; Taylor, Stephen, Armstrong's Handbook of Human Resource Management Practice. 14th Edition, 2017
- 3. Building Professional Competencies- Career Management Strategies, SAGE Publications India Pvt. Ltd, 2021:
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- 5. Citrin James M., The career playbook, Crown Business, Penguin Random House LLC, Ny, U.S.A., 2015;
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- 12. Yarnall J., Strategic Career Management: Developing your talent, Elsevier Ltd., Oxford, UK, 2008;
- **13.** Watson M., McMahon M., **Career Assesement Qualitative Approaches**, Sense Publishers, Rotterdam, The Netherlands, 2015;
- **14.** ***Building Professional Competencies: Career Management Strategies SAGE Back to Basics, SAGE Publications Pvt. Ltd, 2021;

8.2.	Seminar	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Organizing seminar: presentation of discipline' skills and targeted objectives; overview of the project structure and theme's distribution	1		
2	Labour market; its influence on to contemporary careers		- Dialogue	Coop of udv
3	Career perspectives: individual v. organizational	4	- Discussion - Teamwork - Heuristic	Case study, homework and project presentation
4	Organizational career systems; career models	4		
5	Mentoring and its role in managing careers	2		
6	Training and networking, organizational support in employees' development	2	conversation	presentation
7	Career development through training; ways of training and development for employees and managers	2		

8	Career management practices; designing career plans		
0	Personal Development Plan (PDP), an essential instrument of	3	
the individuals career management			
10	The dynamic nature of career management; managing career	3	
Ū	diversity		

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- Andersen S.M., Networking a professional discipline, MTD Training & Ventus Publishing ApS, (www.bookboon.com), 2010;
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- 6. Federman B., Employee Engagement a Roadmap for creating profits, optimizing performance and increasing loyalty, Jossey-Bass, a Wiley Imprint, U.S.A, 2009.
- 7. Wright T. (editor), **How to be a brilliant mentor: Developing outstanding teachers**, 1st edition, Routledge, Taylor & Francis Group, NY, USA, 2010, pp.95-110
- 8. *** Managing your career, MTD Training & Ventus Publishing ApS, www.bookboon.com, U.K., 2010;
- 9. *** Manage your career how to develop your career in the right direction, A&C Black Publishers Ltd., London U.K, 2008.

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10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark			
10.4 Course	- The accuracy and completeness of knowledge; - Logical consistency; - The degree of assimilation of specialized language.	- Final evaluation - written exam, at the end of semester.	50 %			
	- attendance and active participation in the seminar, solving case studies;	- Student's free exposure; - Oral form of dialogue.	10%			
10.5 Seminar	- admission to degree's requirements in terms of achieving homework - Oral presentation of the homework		40%			
10.6 Minimum 1. Communicating information using a correct scientific language of career management performance standard 2. Knowledge of the main activities specific to the career management of human resources						

Completion date September 17th, 2024 Course teacher,
PhD. Lecturer Maria-Eliza ANTONIU

Seminar teacher, PhD. Lecturer Maria-Eliza ANTONIU

Approval date in Department Council, September 27th, 2024 Head of Department, (provider) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI Head of Department, (beneficiary) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS

Rhetoric and Argumentation in the Organizational Environment: Strategies and Situations 2024-2025

1	. Program	information

1.1. Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA
	Bucharest, Pitești University Centre
1.2. Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law
1.3. Department	Management and Business Administration
1.4. Field of studies	Management
1.5. Cycle of studies	Master
1.6. Program of studies	Strategic Management and Business Development

2. Course information

2.1	1 INAME				Rhetoric and Argumentation in the Organizational Environment: Strategies and Situations						
2.2	Course teacher					-					
2.3	2.3 Seminar teacher					PhD	Lecturer TOMA S	maranda Nico	leta C	ristina	
2.4	Year of studies	I	2.5	Semester	ı	2.6	Evaluation type	verification	2.7	Course type	mandatory

3. Total estimated time

3.1	Number of hours per week	2	3.2	of which course	-	3.3	<u>S/</u> L/P	2
3.4	Total hours from curriculum	28	3.5	of wihich course	-	3.6	<u>S/</u> L/P	28
Time distribution							hours	
Study the textbook, course support, bibliography and notes						20		
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field						20		
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays							20	
Tutoring							4	
Examinations							4	
Other activities								4
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3.7	Total hours of individual study	72
3.8	Total hours per semester	100
3.9	Number of credits	4

4. Prerequisites

4.1. of curriculum	Business English, Business Communication
4.2. of competences	analysis, synthesis, divergent thinking

5. Requirements

5.1. for courses	-
5.2. for seminars	The seminar room should be equipped with a video-projector and one computer (laptop)
	with speakers.

6. Specific acquired competences

Professional competences	- C20. Align efforts towards business development – 1CP;
Transversal	- TC1. Use communication and collaboration software – 1CP; - TC8. Resolve conflicts – 2CP.

7.1. General objective	In the current context of economic globalization, communication in an international language becomes imperative. Rhetoric is the art of effective or persuasive speaking or writing, especially the use of figures of speech and other compositional techniques.
	This seminar helps students improve their written and oral communications so they will be better equipped to accomplish their educational and professional goals. Students master effective business communication in multiple forms: from written materials to oral interviews and command of body language.

7.2. Specific objectives	While covering the primary forms of business writing (memos, cover letters, resumes, proposals, PowerPoint presentations, and analytical reports), we focus on developing clear sentences, coherent paragraphs, and well-organized documents. Students master the elements of business rhetoric and become adept at strategies for successfully conveying valuable knowledge and a leadership vision that persuades readers and motivates organizations.
	Beyond the Aristotelian rules of communication, students learn powerful and innovative techniques drawn from multiple sources, including media, quantitative and visual narratives. Each student produces written projects and oral presentations, and each student receives critical feedback and individual support.

8. Contents

0 2	. Seminar	No. of	Teaching	Observations	
0.2.		hours	methods	Resources	
1.	INTRODUCTION IN BUSINESS RHETORIC AND ARGUMENTATION 1.1. Reading: Business Rhetoric and Argumentation 1.2. Role-plays and Video: Greetings and Introductions 1.3. Vocabulary Practice 1.4. Comprehension Check 1.5. Assessment	2	Conversation Listening, reading, writing and vocabulary exercises, role- plays,	Demonstration using modern audio-visual means (short PowerPoint presentations, videos etc.)	
2.	THE ORGANIZATIONAL ENVIRONMENT 2.1. Reading: The Organizational Environment 2.2. Vocabulary Practice 2.3. Comprehension Check 2.4. Assessment	2	comprehension questions, individual work Reflection exercises	Computer assisted instruction, modeling	
3.	RHETORICAL ANALYSIS IN BUSINESS NEGOTIATION 3.1. Reading: Negotiation Principles, Strategies and Techniques 3.2. Role-plays and Video: Persuade a Customer 3.3. Vocabulary Practice 3.4. Comprehension Check 3.5. Assessment	2	Debate Explanation Teamwork	modeling	
4.	MANAGEMENT AND TEAM DEVELOPMENT 4.1. Reading: The Role of Management 4.2. Vocabulary Practice and Organization Charts 4.3. Role-plays and Video: Orientation to a New Job 4.4. Role-plays and Video: Teamwork 4.5. Role-plays and Video: Obtain Help 4.6. Role-plays and Video: Networking 4.7. How do you typically contribute to teamwork? The Belbin Questionnaire	6	Project presentations Demonstration using specific teaching materials		
5.	COMMUNICATION PRACTICES ON FINANCE, BANKING AND ACCOUNTING 5.1. Reading: the Letter of Credit 5.2. Reading: Read a Bank Statement 5.3. Role-plays and Video: Request a Wire Transfer 5.4. Role-plays and Video: Talk with Bank Personnel 5.5. Vocabulary Practice 5.6. Comprehension Check: Reading and Writing Large Numbers 5.7. Assessment	6			
6.	WRITING BUSINESS LETTERS 6.1. How to Set Up a Business Letter: The Lay-Out of a Business Letter/ Formats. The Parts of a Business Letter. The Model of a Business Letter and its Main Structural Parts 6.2. Vocabulary 6.3. Comprehension Check 6.4. Vocabulary Practice 6.5. Assessment	4			

7.	ELEMENTS OF THE EMPLOYMENT FILE		
	7.1. Reading: A Job Advertisement, Draft a Cover Letter,		
	Review a Resume		
	7.2. Vocabulary	4	
	7.3. Comprehension Check		
	7.4. Vocabulary Practice		
	7.5. Assessment		
8.	THE INTERVIEW STRATEGY		
	8.1. Reading: The Interview Strategy		
	8.2. Role-plays and Video: A Job Interview		
	8.3. Vocabulary	2	
	8.4. Comprehension Check		
	8.5. Vocabulary Practice		
	8.6. Assessment		

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- 1. The seminars consists of projects, direct interventions, debates, teamwork etc., activities considered in the final evaluation.
- 2. The projects are conducted in teams.

9. Course contents corroboration with the demands of epistemic community representatives, professional associations and related employers.

- the accuracy of using concepts and theories learned during this course will meet employers' requirements;
- the procedural and attitudinal competencies to be acquired during this course will meet the expectations of business professional associations and employers.

Note: The National University of Science and Technology Politehnica Bucharest - Piteşti University Center evaluates periodically the degree of satisfaction of the employers' representatives towards the professional and transversal competences acquired by our graduates.

10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark
10.4 Course	-	-	-
	- attendence and participation during the seminars; - assimilation degree of specialized language;	Evaluating student's products and interventions during the seminars	40%
10.5 Seminar	- compliance with the requirements of the project ;	Evaluating student's participation in project making and presentation	40%
	 an oral and written examination: the quality and consistency of treating subjects. 	Final evaluation	20%

10.6 Minimum performance standard

Minimum requirements: the pass mark 5 is granted provided that the student demonstrate mastery of basic knowledge of rhetoric and argumentation in business, throughout the semester.

Completion date, September 18th, 2024 Seminar teacher, PhD Lecturer Smaranda Nicoleta Cristina TOMA

Approval date in Department Council, September 27th, 2024 Head of Department, (provider) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI Head of Department, (beneficiary) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

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Ethics and Academic Integrity 2024-2025

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1. Program information	
1.1. Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA
	Bucharest, Pitești University Centre
1.2. Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law
1.3. Department	Management and Business Administration
1.4. Field of studies	Management
1.5. Cycle of studies	Master
1.6. Program of studies	Strategic Management and Business Development

2. Course information

2.1					Ethics and Academic Integrity							
2.2	Course teacher				PhD Assistant Professor Supervisor Crenguţa-Ileana SINISI							
2.3	Seminar teacher											
2.4	Year of studies	-	2.5	Semeste	er	-	2.6	Evaluation type	Е	2.7	Course type	mandatory

3. Total estimated time

3.1	Number of hours per week	1	3.2	of which course	1	3.3	S/L/P	-
3.4	Total hours from curriculum	14	3.5	of wihich course	14	3.6	S/L/P	-
Time distribution								hours
Study the textbook, course support, bibliography and notes							10	
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field							10	
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays							10	
Tutoring							3	
Examinations							2	
Othe	er activities							1

3.7	Total hours of individual study	36
3.8	Total hours per semester	50
3.9	Number of credits	2

4. Prerequisites

4.1. of curriculum	Elements of Management and Economics
4.2. of competences	Capacity of analysis, synthesis, divergent thinking

5. Requirements

5.1. for courses	Endowment of the lecture rooms with video projectors
5.2. for seminars	-

6. Specific acquired competences

Professional competences	- C18. Ensure compliance with policies – 1CP; - C21. Create a work atmosphere of continuous improvement – 1CP.
Transversal competences	

7.1. General objective	Understanding the importance of the course in the university environment and learning the specific characteristics of ethics and academic integrations in the perspective of developing a professional career.
7.2. Specific objectives	A. Cognitive objectives Explanation, interpretation and proper use of different concepts regarding ethics and academic integrity; Acquiring the main knowledge of ethical and academic integrations issues in scientific research and dissemination of the results of their professional activity.

B. Procedural objectives

- Developing skills for using the methods and techniques for evaluating the phenomenon of integration in the university environment;
- Familiarization of students with the methodology and working tools of the systems and means of ensuring ethics and academic integrations.

C. Attitudinal objectives

- Ability to work in a team in scientific research, under ethical conditions and academic integrity;
- Cultivating constructive attitudes in the context of ethics and academic integrations;
- Encouraging moral behavior at the level of partnerships

8. Contents

	Course	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1.	Ethical and moral values in the academia 1.1. Social values 1.2. Community and professional values 1.3. Individual values	2		
2.	Ethics and integrity in university education 2.1. Rules, principles, values of behavior in the educational process 2.2. Transparency in academia 2.3. Multiculturalism in academia 2.4. Academic integrity in education 2.5. Intellectual property	2		
3.	The Fundamental Values: 3.1. Honesty 3.2. Trust 3.3. Fairness 3.4. Respect 3.5. Responsibility 3.6. Courage	2	lectureexplanationdiscussion	Computer Power Point presentations
4.	Developing Cultures of Integrity 4.1. Acknowledgements 4.2. The Fundamental Values Project	2		
5.	Academic Integrity: Exploring Tensions Between Perception and Practice in the Contemporary University 5.1. Exploring research integrity and malpractice page 14 5.2. The nature and prevalence of research malpractice	2		
6.	Institutional instruments protecting ethical and moral values in academia 6.1. Research Ethics Commission 6.2. Ethics Commission of the University	2		
7.	Verification of scientific works: limitations, advantages	2		

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9. Course contents corroboration with the demands of epistemic community representatives, professional associations and related employers.

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10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark			
10.4 Course	- written exam: the quality and consistency of treating subjects; 0.4 Course - logical coherence; - assimilation degree of specialized language.		50%			
	- test papers during the semester;	- Test	10%			
10.5 Homework		- Evaluating student's products, attendence and interventions;	10%			
Total Hamewalk	- compliance with the requirements of the project.	- Evaluating student's participation in project making (homework) and presentation.	30%			
10.6 Minimum performance standard	Communicating information using a correct scientific language of career management Knowledge of the basic concepts of the discipline and the explanation of the interdependencies between them					

Completion date, September 21st, 2024 Course teacher,
PhD Assistant Professor Supervisor Crenguta-Ileana SINISI

Approval date in Department Council, September 27th, 2024 Head of Department, (provider) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI Head of Department, (beneficiary) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS Marketing Strategies and Polices 2024-2025

1. Program information

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1.1. Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA
	Bucharest, Pitești University Centre
1.2. Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law
1.3. Department	Management and Business Administration
1.4. Field of studies	Management
1.5. Cycle of studies	Master
1.6. Program of studies	Strategic Management and Business Development

2. Course information

2.1	Name	Marketing Strategies and Polices				
2.2	2.2 Course teacher PhD Associate Professor Amalia Viorica DUŢU					
2.3	Seminar teacher	PhD Associate Professor Amalia Viorica DUŢU				
2.4	Year of studies I 2.5 Semester	II 2.6 Evaluation type verification 2.7 Course type mandatory				

3. Total estimated time

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3.1 Num	per of hours per week	2	3.2	of which course	1	3.3	<u>S/</u> L/P	1
3.4 Total	hours from curriculum	28	3.5	of wihich course	14	3.6	<u>S/</u> L/P	14
Time dist	ribution							hours
Study the	textbook, course support, b	ibliograp	ohy and	notes				25
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field						25		
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays						40		
Tutoring						5		
Examinations						2		
Other activities						-		
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3.7	Total hours of individual study	97
3.8	Total hours per semester	125
3.9	Number of credits	5

4. Prerequisites

4.1. of curriculum	Basic elements of marketing
4.2. of competences	analysis, synthesis, divergent thinking, drafting reports, drafting analysis, being able to
	put into practice concepts ant theories

5. Requirements

5.1. for courses	The lecture room should be equipped with a video-projector.
5.2. for seminars	The seminar room should be equipped with a video-projector and at least 10 computers.

6. Specific acquired competences

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Professional competences	- C5. Manage business knowledge – 1CP; - C12. Develop company strategies – 1CP; - C15. Interpret business information – 2CP; - C23. Make strategic business decisions – 1CP.
Transversal competences	

7.1. General objective	Knowledge dissemination, aprofundate, explanation, interpretation of the concepts, theories, methods and tools specific for the domain; Evaluation and diagnosis of the marketing environment based on analysis methods			
	and tools. Inducing of strategic thinking, strategic vision and economic logic.			
7.2. Specific objectives	A. Cognitive objectives cognitive 1. Understanding the role of marketing strategies and policies in business development; 2. Understanding the principles, criteria and directions of market strategy development in business; 3. Familiarizing students with the methods and tools of analysis used in marketing			

- 4. Familiarizing students with the development and implementation stages of marketing strategies and polices.
 - B. Procedural objectives
- 1. Identifying some concrete situations to apply the theories and principles of strategic marketing;
- 2. Collecting and processing data from documentary sources and primary sources, developing skills to use the methods, techniques and research tools for making strategic choices of sustainable business development.
 - C. Attitudinal objectives
- 1. Respecting the rules of professional deontology, based on explicit value options of a specialist in management;
- 2. Cooperation and teamwork to solve various job tasks;
- 3. Using specific methods to develop plans of personal and professional development.

8. Contents

8.1.	8.1. Course		Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Introduction in the topic of the course, objectives, exam requirement. Strategic Marketing - introduction into the topic.	2	Lecture	
2	The strategic marketing concept. Marketing as managerial philosophy – from marketing concept to market orientation concept.	2	Heuristic conversation	Power Point presentations
3	Marketing environment – definition, components and analysis tools.	2	Problem solving	Didactical short
4	Market research – managerial tool. Definition, methods and measurement tools. The strategic decision process - making based on marketing information.	2	Explanation Debate	movies Working forms
5	The STP process – Segmentation, Targeting and Positioning strategies.	2	Depate	
6	Market strategy – definition, strategic planning process, typology of strategies	4		

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8.2	8.2. Seminar		Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Seminar minimum requirements and final mark calculation. Discussions on the projects' guide.	2	Heuristic	Power Point
2	Marketing as managerial philosophy. Strategic thinking. Case study. Dissections on the topic.	2	conversation Problem solving	presentations Scientific articles Working Forms
3	Marketing environment analysis. SWOT profile. Case study. Discussions on the topic.	2	Case studies	
4	Market research. The strategic decision process-making based on marketing information. Case study. Dissections on the topic.	2	Roll playing	Internet connection

5	STP process. Case study. Dissections on the topic.	2	Short didactic
6	Market strategy and marketing-mix. The development, communication and deliver of the superior value for customers.		movies

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- * NOTES:
- 1. The seminars consists of projects, direct interventions, debates, teamwork etc., activities considered in the final evaluation.
- 2. The projects are conducted in teams.

9. Course contents corroboration with the demands of the epistemic community representatives, professional associations and related employers.

- the accuracy of using concepts and theories learned during this course will meet employers' requirements;
- the procedural and attitudinal competencies to be acquired during this course will meet the expectations of business professional associations and employers.

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10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark		
10.4 Course	- written exam: the quality and consistency of treating subjects; - logical coherence; - assimilation degree of specialized language.	Final evaluation	20%		
	- attendence and participation during the seminars, solving the case studies;	Participation and in seminar activities (case studies, roll playing)	20%		
10.5 Seminar	- compliance with the requirements of the project .	project evaluation (advertising campaign drafting)	30%		
		project evaluation (marketing strategy analysis)	30%		
10.6 Minimum performance standard	l and C.15. The students should be able to analyzing and interpreting market information to				

Completion date, Course teacher, Seminar teacher,

September 21st, 2024 PhD Associate Professor Amalia Viorica DUTU PhD Associate Professor Amalia DUTU

Approval date in Head of Department, Head of Department, Department Council, (provider) (beneficiary)

September 27th, 2024 PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS Negotiation and Partnership 2024-2025

1. Program information

1. Program imormation	
1.1. Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA
	Bucharest, Pitești University Centre
1.2. Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law
1.3. Department	Management and Business Administration
1.4. Field of studies	Management
1.5. Cycle of studies	Master
1.6. Program of studies	Strategic Management and Business Development

2. Course information

2.1	Name					Negotiation and Partnership			
2.2	Course teacher					Lect. univ. dr. STANCIU-TOLEA Claudia-Violeta			
2.3	Seminar teacher					Lect. univ. dr. STANCIU-TOLEA Claudia-Violeta			
2.4	Year of studies	1	2.5	Semester	2	2.6 Evaluation type verification 2.7 Course type mandator			

3. Total estimated time

3.1	Number of hours per week	2	3.2	of which course	1	3.3	<u>S/</u> L/P	1
3.4	Total hours from curriculum	28	3.5	of wihich course	14	3.6	<u>S/</u> L/P	14
Time distribution						hours		
Study the textbook, course support, bibliography and notes						30		
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field						30		
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays						30		
Tutoring						3		
Examinations						3		
Other activities						1		
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3.7	Total hours of individual study	97
3.8	Total hours per semester	125
3.9	Number of credits	5

4. Prerequisites

4.1. of curriculum	Interpersonal and organizational communication knowledge
4.2. of competences	Interpersonal communication capacity, analysis, synthesis, verbal logic reasoning,
	accuracy of exposed ideas, correctness in using Romanian language grammar norms

5. Requirements

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5.1. for courses	The lecture room should be equipped with a video-projector.
5.2. for seminars	The seminar room should be equipped with a video-projector.

6. Specific acquired competences

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Professional competences	- C19. Liaise with managers – 2CP; - C21. Create a work atmosphere of continuous improvement – 1CP; - C24. Identify suppliers – 1CP;
Transversal	- TC8. Resolve conflicts – 1CP.

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7.1. General objective	- Understanding the concept of negotiation and the importance of its use in any					
	business;					
	- Acquiring of necessary and essential knowledge to elaborate communication and					
	negotiation strategies in business;					
	- The correct use of negotiation techniques depending on partners and the					
	negotiation style approached by them.					
7.2. Specific objectives	A. Cognitive objectives					
	- Understanding the meanings of communication and negotiation and emphasizing					
	the importance of communication in negotiation;					
	- Knowing the business system, starting from a plan, understanding of the					
	mechanism of negotiations;					

- Understanding the negotiation techniques through communication;
- The acquired knowledge should be useful both in the enhancement of other basic subjects economic and psychosocial and to understand the interrelations between them:
- Understanding the meanings of communication and negotiation and emphasizing the importance of communication in negotiation;
- Explanation and planning of the business system to choose the appropriate negotiation method and technique;
- Knowing of the communication and negotiation methods, of the relations between them;
- Understanding the negotiation techniques through communication;
- The acquired knowledge should be useful both in the enhancement of other basic subjects economic and psychosocial and to understand the interrelations between them:

B. Procedural objectives

- Development of personal skills and abilities to successfully support and finish a negotiation process;
- Development of verbal, non-verbal and paraverbal communication as well as the transformational language;
- Development of work techniques and control of emotions;
- Development of capabilities to manage conflict situations;

C. Attitudinal objectives

- Acquiring of the skills necessary to efficiently communicate in professional situation;
- Explaining of the practical importance of correct knowledge and in detail of this knowledge, for future activities.

8. Contents

8.1.	Course	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	General aspects regarding negotiation – characteristics and stages	1	Lecture	
2	Typology of clients. Behavioural types in business	1	11	D
3	Communication with the client	1	Heuristic	Demonstration
4	Negotiation techniques and tactics	2	conversation	using modern audio-visual
5	Negotiation, manipulation and persuasion	1	Problem solving	
6	Specialist in negotiations	1	Problem solving	means (short PowerPoint
7	Styles of negotiation	2	Explanation	presentations)
8	Partnership and entrepreneurship	2	LAPIANALION	presentations
9	Customs and protocol in negotiation	2	Debate	
10	Reviewing	1	Dobato	

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8.2.	8.2. Seminar		Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1.	Organizational seminar: presentation of subject objectives, of concerned competences, distribution of themes and of papers	1	Conversation Reflection	Demonstration using modern audio-visual
2.	Exercises for self-knowledge and knowledge of the interlocutor	1	exercises	means (short PowerPoint
3.	Communication with the help of reports, professional letters Business letters, letters of intent	2	Debate	presentations, videos etc.)
4.	Negotiation – ritual: mutual awareness, presentation of proposals and conditions	2	Explanation	·

5.	Applications with practical examples, with elaborate registrations regarding the gestures, the mimic, the look, the voice, the punctuation	2	Teamwork Project	Computer assisted instruction,
6.	Some specific tactics: "flash" tactic, "dictatorial" tactic, "parental" tactic etc.	1	presentations	modeling
7.	Identification of weaknesses of partners' argumentation	1	Demonstration	
8.	Persuasion – Persuasion techniques	1	using specific teaching	
9.	First negotiation - job interview	1	materials	
10.	Personality tests Tests aiming the negotiation capacity Tests aiming the communication capacity	2		

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9. Course contents corroboration with the demands of epistemic community representatives, professional associations and related employers.

- the accuracy of using concepts and theories learned during this course will meet employers' requirements;
- the procedural and attitudinal competencies to be acquired during this course will meet the expectations of business professional associations and employers.

Note: The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA Bucharest - Pitești University Centre evaluates periodically the degree of satisfaction of the employers' representatives towards the professional and transversal competences acquired by our graduates.

10. Evaluation

Activity	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark			
10.4 Course	- The accuracy and completeness of knowledge; - Logical consistency;	- Written exam, during the semester;	20 %			
	- The degree of assimilation of specialized language.	- Final evaluation.	20%			
10.5 Seminar	- attendence and participation in the seminar, solving case studies;	- Attendence; - Student's free exposure; - Oral form of dialogue.	20%			
	- admission to degree's requirements in terms of achieving homework	- Oral presentation of the homework and project	40%			
10.6 Minimum performance	Minimum requirements: the pass mark 5 is granted provided that the student demonstrate mastery of basic knowledge of <i>Negotiation</i> and <i>Partnership</i> in business, throughout the					
standard	semester.					

Completion date, Course teacher, Seminar teacher, September 24th, 2024 PhD Lecturer Claudia STANCIU-TOLEA PhD Lecturer Claudia STANCIU-TOLEA

Approval date in Head of Department, Head of Department,

Department Council, (provider) (beneficiary)

September 27th, 2024 PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS Integrated Quality Management 2024 - 2025

1. Program information

1. Program imormation			
1.1. Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA		
	Bucharest, Pitești University Centre		
1.2. Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law		
1.3. Department	Management and Business Administration		
1.4. Field of studies	Management		
1.5. Cycle of studies	Master		
1.6. Program of studies Strategic Management and Business Development			

2. Course information

2.1	Name	Integrated Quality Management				
2.2	Course teacher	PhD Assistant Professor Supervisor Crenguţa-Ileana SINISI				
2.3	Seminar teacher	PhD Assistant Professor Supervisor Crenguţa-Ileana SINISI				
2.4	Year of studies I 2.5 Semester	II 2.6 Evaluation type E 2.7 Course type mandatory				

3. Total estimated time

3.1 Number of hours per week	2	3.2	of which course	1	3.3	<u>S/</u> L/P	1
3.4 Total hours from curriculum	28	3.5	of wihich course	14	3.6	S/ L/P	14
Time distribution							hours
Study the textbook, course support, bibliography and notes						28	
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field						28	
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays					28		
Tutoring						8	
Examinations						3	
Other activities					2		
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3.7	Total hours of individual study	97
3.8	Total hours per semester	125
3.9	Number of credits	5

4. Prerequisites

4.1. of curriculum	Elements of Management, Elements of Economics	
4.2. of competences	Capacity of analysis, synthesis, divergent thinking	

5. Requirements

5.1.	for courses	Endowment of the lecture rooms with video projectors
5.2.	for seminars	This is not the case

6. Specific acquired competences

Professional competences	- C6. Advise on efficiency improvements – 1CP; - C8. Manage project metrics – 1CP; - C17. Gather technical information – 2CP;
Transversal competences	- TC6. Think creatively – 1CP.

7. Course objectives (based on the specific acquired competences)					
7.1. General objective	Understanding the concept of the Integrated Quality Management and reasons to				
	implement a Quality Management System				
7.2. Specific objectives	A. Cognitive objectives				
	1. Knowledge and understanding of the functions of the Integrated Quality				
	Management and establishment of its relations with other economic sciences;				
	2. Working with the design and implementation of an Integrated Quality				
	Management in a company;				
	3. Highlight of the typical managerial situations where the Integrated Quality				
	Management are recommended;				
	4. Correct definition of the matter of study of Integrated Quality Management and				
	establishment of its relations with other economic sciences.				

- B. Procedural objectives
- 1. Document, monitor and audit a business's processes and systems to meet the company's goals and objectives.
- 2. Identify stakeholders for process improvement teams.
 3. Establish quality standards customized to the particular business to meet and exceed customer expectations.;
 4. Create and maintain work process and procedure documentation for quality
- control and employee training.

8. Course contents

	Course Contents	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Management organizational system 1.1. Factors in designing a project structure 1.2. Types of project organizations structures 1.3. Programmatic Based 1.4. Matrix Based 1.5. Project Based 1.6. Management styles	2		
2	1.7. Project governance Concerns of developing quality systems and techniques 2.1. Total Quality Management (TQM) 2.2. Six Sigma 2.3. Elements of a quality system 2.3.1. Participative Management 2.3.2. Vision and Values 2.3.3. Developing the Plan 2.3.4. Communication	2		
	2.3.5. Rewards and Acknowledgment 2.4. Quality System Design			Demonstration
4	Modern concepts in addressing quality. Global quality competitive 3.1. Total Quality Management (TQM) 3.2. Lean Production 3.3. International Standards Organization Quality Management Standards 3.4. Society for Quality (ASQ) (formerly the American Society for Quality Control). 3.5.The Quality Process 3.6. Negating and confirming signs of manangement commitment 3.7. Management's responsabilities 3.8. Tools for measuring quality Environmental quality management systems 4.1. Objective and scope 4.2. Quality and environmental policy of the utility 4.3. Description of company activities and organization 4.4 Environmental compliance requirements 4.4.1. Legal register 4.4.2. Identification of environmental aspects and impacts 4.4.3. Objectives, targets and programs	2	Lecture Heuristic conversation Problem solving Explanation Debate	using modern audio-visual means (short PowerPoint presentations)
5	Health and safety management systems at work 5.1. The General Characteristics of an OHSMS 5.1.2. Elements of an OHSMS 5.2.2 Voluntary or Mandatory Implementation Methods 5.2. System Types 5.3. Degree of Implementation: Quality Levels 5.4. Degree of Implementation: Introductory and Advanced Systems 5.5. OHSMS Diversity and Evaluation: A Summary 5.6. OHSMS Diversity: 5 Key Dimensions for Evaluation 5.7. Integrating OHSMS with General Management Systems 5.8 Success Factors for OHSMS	2		
6	Social responsibility management systems 7.1. Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) 7.2. Background influences 7.3. Process approach	2		

	7.4. Compatibility of CSR/CG management system with other		
	management systems		
	7.5. Corporate Social Responsibility/ Corporate Governance		
	management system		
	7.6. Management and Board responsibility		
	7.7. Board/management review		
7	Information security management	2	
	8.1. Monitoring Information Security Management Performance		
	8.2. Social Care Information		
	8.3. Information Security Management: NHS Code of Practice		
	8.4. NHS Information Security Management		
	8.5. Individual Responsibility		
	8.6. Information Security Policy (NHS Organisations)		
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8.2	. Seminar	No. of hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	Introduction to integrated quality management	2	Conversation	Demonstration
2	Presentation of project structure. Example: Case Study	2	Problem solving	using modern
3	Presentation of integrated quality management	2	Reflection	audio-visual means (short PowerPoint presentations, videos etc.)
4	Case studies on standardization (ISO 9000, ISO 14000, ISO 14001 certificates)	2	exercises	
5	Case studies on standardization (ISO 18000, ISO 22000, ISO 26000)	2	Debate Explanation	
6	Designing studies, plans and programs to improve the activity of the manufacturing companies / distributors of organic products – applications	2	Teamwork Project	Computer assisted instruction,

7	Presentation of the project	2	presentations	modeling
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* NOTES:

- 1. The seminars consists of projects, direct interventions, debates, teamwork etc., activities considered in the final evaluation.
- 2. The projects are conducted in teams.

9. Course contents corroboration with the demands of the epistemic community representatives, professional associations and related employers.

- the accuracy of using concepts and theories learned during this course will meet employers' requirements;
- the procedural and attitudinal competencies to be acquired during this course will meet the expectations of business professional associations and employers.

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10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark
10.4 Course	- written exam: the quality and consistency of treating subjects; - logical coherence; - assimilation degree of specialized language.	Final evaluation	50%

	- test papers during the semester	-Test.	10%			
10.5 Seminar	- attendance and active participation during the seminars, solving the case studies;	- Attendance and activity at the seminar;	10%			
	- compliance with the requirements of	- Evaluating student's products	30%			
	the project .	and interventions during the seminars:				
		-Evaluating student's				
		participation in project making				
		and presentation.				
	1. Understanding the concept of the	, ,	and reasons to			
10.6 Minimum	implement a Quality Management System					
performance standard	2. Communicating information using a correct scientific language of career management					
periormanoe standard	Knowledge of the basic concept	s of the discipline and the exp	olanation of the			
	interdependencies between them					

Completion date, September 21St, 2024 Course teacher, PhD Assistant Professor Supervisor Crenguţa-Ileana SINISI Seminar teacher, PhD Assistant Professor Supervisor Crenguţa-Ileana SINISI

Approval date in Department Council, September 27th, 2024

Head of Department, (provider) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI Head of Department, (beneficiary) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS Decisional Simulations 2024-2025

1. Program information

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1.1	Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA
		Bucharest, Pitești University Centre
1.2	Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law
1.3	Department	Management and Business Administration
1.4	Field of studies	Management
1.5	Cycle of studies	Master
1.6	Program of studies	Strategic Management and Business Development

2. Course information

2.1	1 Name				Deci	Decisional Simulations					
2.2	Course teacher	Course teacher				PhD	PhD Assistant Professor Daniela Melania MIHAI				
2.3	Seminar / Laboratory teacher					PhD	Assistant Professo	or Daniela N	1elania N	IIHAI	
2.4	Year of studies	ı	2.5	Semester	Ш	2.6	Evaluation type	Е	2.7	Course type	mandatory

3. Total estimated time

3.1 Number of hours per week	3	3.2	of which course	1	3.3	<u>S/L</u> /P	1 + 1		
3.4 Total hours from curriculum	42	3.5	of which course	14	3.6	<u>S/L</u> /P	14 + 14		
Time distribution						hours			
Study the textbook, course support, bibl	iography	and not	es				50		
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field						30			
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays						40			
Tutoring					6				
Examinations				4					
Other activities				3					
2.7 Total bours of individual study		1	22	2.7 Total hours of individual study 122					

3.7	Total hours of individual study	133
3.8	Total hours per semester	175
3.9	Number of credits	7

4. Prerequisites (where appropriate)

4.1	of curriculum	The basics of Strategic Management, Simulations and Management Projects.
4.2	of competences	Capacity of analysis, synthesis, divergent thinking

5. Requirements

5.1	for courses	The lecture room should be equipped with a video-projector.
5.2	for seminars and laboratory	The classroom should be equipped with a video-projector and at least 10 computers

6. Specific acquired competences

	Specific acquired competences
Professional competences	 - C2. Develop revenue generation strategies – 1CP; - C3. Improve business processes – 1CP; - C9. Perform data analysis – 2CP; - C23. Make strategic business decisions – 1CP; - C25. Analyse supply chain strategies – 1CP;
Transversal competences	- TC4. Think holistically – 1CP.

7.1 General objective	Development of the capacities and abilities of the students in the diagnosis of the economic and management situations, as well of the foundation and implementation of the strategic and tactical decisions of risk and uncertainty
7.2 Specific objectives	 A. Cognitive objectives 1. Knowledge and understanding of the concept of decisional simulation 2. Operating with methodology of management process simulation 3. Explanation and interpretation of the generalization and simplification of the real phenomenon, analyzed and researched at the level of the fundamental laws of governing; 4. Assimilation of the simulation models 5. Correct definition of the study of "Decisional Simulation" and the establishment of its connections with other economic sciences

- B. Procedural objectives
- 1. Drafting of a team project at the company's level and of its components
- 2. Solving of applications and case studies for each method and technique
- 3. Set up a pronounced systemic vision for the creation and use of the managerial tools
- 4. Use of some self-assessment methods of the learning activity
- C. Attitudinal objectives
- 1. Respecting the rules of professional deontology, based on explicit value options of a specialist in management;
- 2. Cooperation and teamwork to solve various job tasks;
- 3. Using specific methods to develop plans of personal and professional development.

8. Contents

8.1.	Course	No. of course hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
2	THE CONTENT AND THE METHODOLOGY OF DECISION-MAKING SIMULATION PROCESSES 1.1. The notion of decision-making process 1.2. The content and methodology of optimization in decision-making processes. Types of optimization models DETERMINISTIC MODELS OF ANALYSIS FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPTIMIZING DECISION-MAKING PROCESSES 2.1. Deterministic optimization models, for which the analytical solutions are identified by an individual decision-maker (2 hours) 2.1.1. Global Utility Method 2.1.2. The ELECTRE Method 2.1.3. The Onicescu Method 2.1.4. The Topsis Method 2.1.4. The Topsis Method 2.2. Deterministic optimization models, for which analytical solutions are identified within a decision-making group (2 hours) 2.2.1. The Deutch Martin Method 2.2.2. The method of the majority calculation as a composition of individual utility 2.2.3. The three-dimensional ELECTRE Method PROBABILIST (STOCHASTIC) MODELS OF ANALYSIS FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPTIMIZING DECISION-MAKING PROCESSES 3.1. Stochastic optimization models for which analytical			Demonstration using modern audio-visual means (short
	solutions can be obtained (3 hours) 3.1.1. Optimization methods specific to conditions of uncertainty 3.1.2. The method of the degree of belonging to the optimal variant 3.1.3. The method of mathematical hope 3.1.4. The decision tree method	6	Explanation Debate	PowerPoint presentations)
	3.2. Optimization models that cannot be solved analytically (3 hours) 3.2.1. Use of business game simulation methods 3.2.2. Using the Monte Carlo method for decision simulation in stochastic static systems			
4	PARTICULAR CASES OF USE OF SIMULATION IN OPTIMIZING THE SPECIFIC PROCESSES OF SOME FUNCTIONS OF THE COMPANY 4.1. Simulation in order to evaluate the impact of the different factors that influence an analyzed process (1 hour) 4.2. Simulation on the method of optimal resource allocation (1 hour) 4.3. Simulation on determining the optimal psychological price (1 hour)	3		

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,		No. of	Teaching	Observations

8.2.	Seminar	No. of seminar hours	methods	Resources
1	Organizational seminar: presentation of the discipline's objectives and targeted competencies; general presentation of the structure of the portfolio to be developed. The issue of computer modeling and simulation of business decision-making problems. Types of problems compatible with simulation procedures	2	Conversation Problem	
2	The methodology of the simulation of managerial processes. Analysis of the results of the simulation experiments	2	solving	Case study, homework presentation,
3	Decision methods and techniques under certainty: additive method, global utility method, ELECTRE method, ONICESCU method, K coefficient method	2	Reflection exercises Debate	
4	Methods and techniques for optimizing group decisions: the three-dimensional ELECTRE method	2	Explanation Teamwork	check list
5	Decision-making methods and techniques under uncertainty: pessimistic technique, Hurwicz technique, Bayes-Laplace technique, regret minimization technique	2	Project presentations	
6	Decision-making methods and techniques in risk conditions: the method of mathematical hope, the method of the decision tree	2		
7	Homework presentation. Final evaluation	2		
8.3	Laboratory	No. of laboratory hours	Teaching methods	Observations Resources
1	The simulation of business situations within a company. Case studies:	14	- Interrogation - Debate	Computer assisted

	Simulation of management and organization strategies depending on the predictable states of the system;	2	- Conversation - Heuristic	instruction, modeling
-	Identifying the development scenarios compatible with a	2	approach	modeling
	predictable economic state; Simulating the probabilities of occurrence of certain events	2	- Working group	
	in interaction with other events;	2	- Conversation	
	The use of business game-type simulations;	2		
-	Simulation of some problems with EXCEL;	2		
	The use of Monte Carlo simulation method for business forecasting;	2		
	The simulation of discrete events specific to different fields of activity.	2		

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- the accuracy of using concepts and theories learned during this course will meet employers' requirements;
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10. Evaluation

Activity type	10.1 Evaluation criteria	10.2 Evaluation methods	10.3 Share of final mark		
10.4 Course	- accuracy and completeness of knowledge - logical coherence - degree of assimilation of the specialized language	- Final assessment	50 %		
	Attendence and seminar activity - assessment of responses to the questions raised by the teacher and of active participation of each student in the solving of the case studies	Free presentation of the student and the oral questioning in the form of dialogue	10%		
10.5 Seminar / Laboratory	Test – solving applications	• Test	10%		
	Laboratory – applications proposed by the teacher on the methodology of decisional simulations will be solved. The level of complying with the requirements will be assessed	Oral presentation of the homework Oral questioning	30%		
10.6 Minimum standard of performance	1. Commmunication of information using correctly the scientific language with respect to the field of the decisional simulations 2. Knowledge of the basic concepts pertaining to the discipline "Decisional Simulations" 3. The ability to develop a complex decision substantiation project, based on information from inside a company and its external environment				

Completion date, September 18th, 2024 Course teacher, PhD Assistant Professor Daniela Melania MIHAI Seminar/Laboratory teacher, PhD Assistant Professor Daniela MIHAI

Approval date in Department Council, September 27th, 2024 Head of Department, (provider) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI Head of Department, (beneficiary) PhD Associate Professor Daniela MIHAI

SYLLABUS Organizational Culture and Behavior 2024-2025

1.	Program	inform	ation

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1.1	Higher education institution	The National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA			
		Bucharest, Pitești University Centre			
1.2	Faculty	Faculty of Economics and Law			
1.3	Department	Management and Business Administration			
1.4	Field of study	Management			
1.5	Cycle of studies	Master			
1.6	Program of studies /Qualification	Strategic Management and Business Development /Economist			

2. Course information

2.1	Name				Organizational Cultur	e and Beha	avior		
2.2	Course teacher				PhD. Lecturer Maria-El	iza ANTON	IIU		
2.3	Seminar teacher	r			PhD. Lecturer Maria-El	iza ANTON	IIU		
2.4	Year of studies		2.5 Semester	Ш	2.6 Evaluation type	Е	2.7	Course type	Mandatory

3. Total estimated time

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3.1 Number of hours per week	3	3.2	of which course	1	3.3	<u>S</u> /L/P	2
3.4 Total hours from curriculum	42	3.5	of which course	14	3.6	<u>S</u> /L/P	28
Time distribution of individual study							hours
Study the textbook, course support, bibli-	ography	and not	es				56
Further reading in the library, on the online platforms and field					42		
Preparing seminars, homework, portfolios and essays					48		
Tutoring							6
Examinations				2			
Other activities					4		

3.7	Total hours of individual study	158
3.8	Total hours per semester	200
3.9	Number of credits	8

4. Prerequisites

4.1	of curriculum	Elements of Management and Entrepreneurial culture
4.2	of competences	Capacities of analysis, synthesis and divergent thinking

5. Requirements

5.1	for courses	- Classroom equipping with video-projector
5.2	for seminars	Proper equipping of the seminar hall The deadlines for homework' submission

6. Specific acquired competences

Professional competences	 C4. Integrate strategic foundation in daily performance – 1CP; C19. Liaise with managers – 1CP; C20. Align efforts towards business development – 1CP; C21. Create a work atmosphere of continuous improvement – 2CP;
Transversal competences	- TC5. Organize information, objects and resources – 1CP; - TC8. Resolve conflicts – 1CP; - TC10. Apply knowledge in the social sciences and humanities – 1CP.

7. Course objectives

7.1 General objective	Familiarize students with the knowledge on specific aspects of organizational culture and individual behavior in contemporary organizations, of culture types and mechanisms of individual behavior that have influences on the competitiveness of organizations.
	A. Cognitive objectives
	Knowledge of theoretical and methodological elements of culture and organizational
	behavior
	Understanding and interpretation of content;
7.2 Specific objectives	Identifying managerial nature which causes certain developments in organizational
	culture and behavior in specific contexts
	Develop students' ability of organizing and planning, analysis and synthesis
	Understand current realities and future trends in shaping organizational cultures and
	behaviors in the context of obtaining and maintaining competitive advantage.

B. Procedural objectives

Ability to understand the complexity and dynamism of current organizational environment and diversity of individuals within it

Apply gained knowledge in practical activities of the organization;

Develop the capacity of scientific approach to process management: development of the decision-making capacity, organization, etc.

Develop the capacity of analysis and evaluation of the organizational culture and behavior.C. Objective atitudinale

Cooperation in teams, working to solve various tasks;

Using specific methods of change and developing a competitive organizational culture and behavior

8. Course contents

8.1.	8.1. Course		Teaching methods	Observations Used resources
1.	Organizational culture: concept, content, and function; influence factors; characteristics and roles of organizational culture; types of organizational culture.	2		
2.	Managerial culture: definition and content; managerial values; functions of the managerial culture.	2	- Lectures	1
3.	Patterns of the organizational culture change	2	- Debate with imaginary	Power –point
4.	Individual and group behavior in organizations: the concept of group; typology of the groups, development stages of the groups	2	opponent - Graphic	presentation
5.	Managers and leadership	2	organizer	
6.	Conflict, power and politics in contemporary organization	2		
7.	Characteristics of organizational culture and behavior in companies from Romania	2		

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1	Organizing seminar: presentation of discipline' skills and targeted objectives; overview of the project structure and theme's distribution	1		
2	Determinants of organizational culture. Case study: management system of SC RoConstructis SA	2		
3	Identification and analysis of specific key elements of organizational culture. Case Study Chemie SA.	2	- dialogue	
4	The relation management culture - organizational performance. Case Study Electric Co. LTD	2	- discussion	Case study, homework and
5	Implications of leaders' vision on the managerial organizational culture within a company. Case Study	4	- teamwork - heuristic	project presentation
6	Organizational culture: identify and analyze the types of cultures	4	conversation	presentation
7	Values, attitudes and job satisfaction of individuals; Case study	2		
8	Conflict management strategies in organizations	4		
9	Managing diversity and differences between individuals	2		
10	Organizational climate and its impact on organizational culture	2		

11	Styles of leadership in organizations. Models of leadership.	3		
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10.4 Course	- The accuracy and completeness of knowledge; - Logical consistency; - The degree of assimilation of specialized language.	- Final evaluation.	50%	
10.5 Seminar	- attendance and active participation in the seminar, solving case studies;	- Student's free exposure; - Oral form of dialogue.	10%	
Total Committee	- admission to degree's requirements in terms of achieving homework	- Oral presentation of the homework	40%	
10.6 Minimum performance standard	Communicating information using a correct scientific language of organizational culture and behavior course Knowledge of the main concepts specific to organizational culture and behavior course			

Completion date Course teacher, Seminar teacher, September 15th, 2024 PhD. Lecturer Maria-Eliza ANTONIU PhD. Lecturer Maria-Eliza ANTONIU

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