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Principles of Marketing

Syllabus ΠΠ 2.14

Specialty: 292 "International Economic Relations" Educational program "International Economic Relations"

Quarter/Year: Fall/2022 ECTS Credits: 6

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Prerequisites: none

Course Description

The course presents an analysis of marketing problems and techniques relating to management and marketing in the profitable operation of a business enterprise. Attention is given to evaluating consumers and their needs, product strategy, distribution strategy, promotional strategy, and price determination. This course allows students to build foundational marketing skills, which are utilized while preparing a marketing plan.

Course Outcomes

PH3. Use modern information and communication technologies, software packages for general and special purposes.

- PH4. Systematize and streamline the information received on the processes and phenomena in the world economy; evaluate and explain the influence of endogenous and exogenous factors on them; formulate conclusions and develop recommendations, considering the peculiarities of the national and international environment.
- PH5. Possess the skills of introspection (self-control), be understandable for representatives of other business cultures and professional groups of different levels (with specialists from other fields of knowledge / activities) on the basis of appreciating diversity, multiculturalism, tolerance and respect for them.
- PH7. Apply the acquired theoretical knowledge to solve practical problems and meaningfully interpret the results.
- PH9. Understand and be able to apply, in accordance with other requirements of the educational program, modern theories and methods of solving specialized complex problems and practical problems in the field of international trade in goods and services, international capital flow, international monetary and financial relations, mobility of human resources, international technology transfer.

PH10. Identify and highlight the features of the functioning of the subjects of international relations and models of their economic development.

- PH13. Select and skillfully apply analytical tools for studying the state and development prospects of individual segments of the international markets for goods and services using modern knowledge about the methods, forms and tools for regulating international trade.
- PH15. Determine the functional eatures, nature, level and degree of interconnections between subjects of international economic relations of different levels and establish communications between them.
- PH16. Demonstrate knowledge about the state of research in international economic relations and the world economy in an interdisciplinary combination with political, legal, natural sciences.
- PH17. Determine the reasons, types and nature of international conflicts and disputes, justify and apply economic, legal and diplomatic methods and means of their solution at the international level, defending the national interests of Ukraine.
- PH18. Investigate economic phenomena and processes in the international sphere based on an understanding of categories, laws; highlighting and summarizing trends, patterns of functioning and development of the world economy, taking into account the cause-effect and space-time relationships.
- PH19. Understand and apply current legislation, international regulations and agreements, reference materials, current standards and specifications, etc. in the field of international economic relations.
- PH21. Understand and have the skills to maintain business protocol and business etiquette in the field of international economic relations, taking into account the peculiarities of intercultural communication at the professional and social levels, both state and foreign languages.
- PH22. Apply appropriate methods, rules and principles of functioning of international economic relations for the development of foreign economic activity of Ukraine.
- PH24. Substantiate the choice and apply information and analytical tools, economic and statistical calculation methods, complex analysis techniques and methods of monitoring world markets.
- PH25. Present the results of the research on the basis of which recommendations and measures for adaptation to changes in the international environment are developed.

Competencies

- CK2. Ability to use basic categories and the latest theories, concepts, technologies and methods in the field of international economic relations, taking into account their basic forms, to apply theoretical knowledge on the functioning and development of international economic relations.
- 3K10. Ability to communicate with representatives of other professional groups at different levels (with experts from other fields of knowledge / types of economic activity). 3K12. Knowledge and understanding of the subject area and understanding of professional activity.

Internationality: The international aspect of the course includes analysis of modern marketing methods and techniques used by the world's leading companies over the past decades.

Communications

For individual issues, students should contact the professor ONLY by given e-mail or by Moodle. In the Subject line they should put: UACUFirstNameLastName. E-mail messages will normally be answered within 24 hours.

Note! Only emails sent from the student's corporate email address will be answered.

Student Responsibilities

Time Commitment

The study of technical courses is cumulative (i.e., an understanding of earlier material is necessary to grasp concepts covered later). Past experience has shown a high correlation between procrastination and low grades. Students must be committed to completing tasks on time.

Technical Aspects

The student is obliged to provide himself/herself with all the necessary technical equipment for the educational process (laptop or computer, webcam, headsets or headphones and microphone), as well as access to the Internet.

Only students signed-in with their own first and last name are allowed into video lectures in Zoom.

Grading Policy

The course is based on mastery of course outcomes. Student grades for this course will be calculated based on performance.

Note: the minimal grade to pass a subject is 60%.

Graduate Grading Guidelines

The assignment of a letter grade for a course is an indication of the student's overall success in achieving the learning outcomes for the course. The course letter grade may be viewed as a summary statement of the student's achievement in individual assessments (assignments & activities). These assessments are intended to identify for students their strengths as well as those areas in need of improvement. Student work is assessed according to the guidelines below.

Course-level Grading guidelines:

Grade	ECTS Grade	International Grade		
90% - 100%	A	5 (Excellent)		
83% - 89%	В	4 (Very Good)		
75% - 82%	С	4 (Good)		
70% - 74%	D	3 (Good)		
60% - 69%	Е	3 (Acceptable)		
35% - 59%	FX	Not acceptable, possible repetition of course		

Criteria for grading:

ECTS grade	Requirements for the student		
	The student demonstrated a comprehensive systemic and in-depth		
A	knowledge of program material; processed basic and additional		
	literature; obtained a solid grasp of the conceptual apparatus,		
	methods, techniques and tools provided by the program; found		
	creative abilities in the presentation of the educational program		
	material both on this issue and on related modules of the course and		
	related courses, or the student had a current control of 90-100 points		
В	The student demonstrated good knowledge of program material;		
С	processed the basic literature, mastered the conceptual apparatus,		
	methods, techniques and tools provided by the program, but with		
	some inaccuracies		
D	The student showed mediocre knowledge of the core program		
Е	material; learned information mainly from a lecture course or just		
	one textbook; mastered only certain methods, techniques and tools		
	provided by the program		
FX	The student has significant gaps in knowledge of the main program		
	material; fragmentary mastered the basic concepts, techniques and		
	tools; significant mistakes are made when using them		

Maximum total possible points -375 points incl. (Midterm and Final exam are 60% of overall evaluation, where Midterm -20% and Final -40%)

Test / Assignment / Project – 150 points (several times during the course)

Midterm exam -75 points

Final exam -150 points

Student Workload

It is assumed that for each out of 17 class sessions a student spends about 10.5 academic hours of work. This includes 3.5 academic hours of lectures with the instructor and 7 academic hours of personal work. Personal work includes work on theoretical material and practical assignments.

Please pay attention that 1 academic hour equals to 40 minutes.

Assignment Format

- All work should be shown in time. If the student misses the deadline the task is failed.
- Midterm covered topics from previous lectures (weeks 1-8). It included multiple choice questions and cases (essays) and took about 1 hour.
- The Final exam covered all course material and included multiple choice questions and cases (essays). It lasts for 1 hour. Admission to the Final exam is possible only if all the tasks of the curriculum are covered.

• After the Midterm and Final is graded a student has access to the grade only. Access to the attempt, corrects answers and information whether the answer is correct cannot be granted.

Academic dishonesty

- · Academic integrity is submitting one's own work and properly acknowledging the contributions of others. Forms of academic dishonesty include:
 - 1. Plagiarism submitting all or part of another's work as one's own in an academic exercise such as an examination, a computer program, or written assignment.
 - 2. Cheating using or attempting to use unauthorized materials on an examination or assignment, such as using unauthorized texts or notes or improperly obtaining (or attempting to obtain) copies of an examination or answers to an examination.
 - 3. Facilitating Academic Dishonesty helping another commit an act of dishonesty, such as substituting for an examination or completing an assignment for someone else.
 - 4. Fabrication altering or transmitting, without authorization, academic information or records.

Any violation of these rules constitutes academic dishonesty and is liable to result in a failing grade and disciplinary action. In case of any academic dishonesty a student is not allowed to continue or retake the assessment activity and for the Final the unsatisfactory grade ("0") is assigned for the course total. Cases of the academic dishonesty are not considered by the Academic Council.

Midterm and Final are valid only if they are taken on-campus (room defined by the dean's office) and on UACU's computer/laptop or online on the student's computer/laptop using Zoom and other conditions defined by the dean's office to avoid the cases of academic dishonesty. Students who will not meet this requirement will be expelled from the course with grade "0".

In case of missed Midterm or Final exam (for a valid reason like sickness or an emergency) a request to repeat the exam is possible. Permit to repeat a midterm or final exam is done through a letter to the dean's office with request and approval of subject lecturer.

Submission or retaking of any assessment activities after deadlines are forbidden.

Submission & Return Policy

Assignments must be submitted to the professor on or before the due date indicated in the Course Schedule. The assignments submitted after the due dates receive zero points.

**** NO MAKE -UP QUIZZES AND EXAMS ****

Schedule

Lecture #	Research Projects	Assignments Due	Points
Lecture 1	TOPIC 1 MARKETING:	► Practical	10

	DEFINITION AND JUSTIFICATION	assignment 1	
Lecture 2	TOPIC 2 UNDERSTANDING AND	► Practical	10
	APPROACHING THE MARKET	assignment 2	
Lecture 3	TOPIC 3 MARKETING MANAGER	► Practical	10
		assignment 3	
Lecture 4	TOPIC 4 MARKETING RESEARCH	► Practical	10
		assignment 4	
Lecture 5	TOPIC 5 BUYER BEHAVIOR IN	► Practical	10
	MARKETING	assignment 5	
Lecture 6	TOPIC 6 SEGMENTATION IN	► Practical	10
	MARKETING	assignment 6	
	TOPIC 7 INTRODUCING AND	Dun atical	
Lecture 7	MANAGING THE PRODUCT IN	► Practical	10
	MARKETING	assignment 7	
Lecture 8	TOPIC 8 COMMUNICATIONS IN	► Practical	10
	MARKETING	assignment 8	
	Midterm		75
Lecture 9	TOPIC 9 SALES PROMOTION AND	► Practical	10
	PUBLIC RELATIONS IN	assignment 9	
	MARKETING		
Lecture 10	TOPIC 10 PLANNING IN	► Practical	10
	MARKETING	assignment 10	
Lecture 11	TOPIC 11 EXTERNAL FACTORS	► Practical	10
	THAT AFFECT PLANNING IN	assignment 11	
	MARKETING		
Lecture 12	TOPIC 12 PROBLEM SOLVING IN	► Practical	10
	MARKETING	assignment 12	
Lecture 13	TOPIC 13 PSYCHOLOGICAL	► Practical	10
	ASPECTS IN MARKETING	assignment 13	
Lecture 14	TOPIC 14 PRICING THE PRODUCT	► Practical	10
	IN MARKETING	assignment 14	
Lecture 15	TOPIC 15 DISTRIBUTING THE	► Practical	10
	PRODUCT IN MARKETING	assignment 15	
	Final		150

Recommended Materials

- 1. Creating Powerful Brands (second edition), Leslie de Chernatony and Malcolm McDonald
- 2. Integrated Marketing Communications, Tony Yeshin Internal Marketing, Pervaiz Ahmed and Mohammed Rafiq
- 3. Marketing Plans (fifth edition), Malcolm McDonald

- 4. Relationship Marketing: Strategy & Implementation, Helen Peck, Adrian Payne, Martin Christopher and Moira Clark Strategic
- 5. Marketing Management (second edition), Richard M. S. Wilson and Colin Gilligan
- 6. Strategic Marketing: Planning and Control (second edition), Graeme Drummond and John Ensor
- 7. Successful Marketing Communications, Cathy Ace
- 8. The Fundamentals of Advertising (second edition), John Wilmshurst and Adrian Mackay
- 9. The Fundamentals and Practice of Marketing (fourth edition), John Wilmshurst and Adrian Mackay
- 10. The Marketing Book (fifth edition), Michael J. Baker (ed.)

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^{*} The above schedule and procedures are subject to change in the event of extenuating circumstances.