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#### **Innovation management**

Master Degree Syllabus IIII 2.1 MBA 516

Specialty: 073 "Management" Educational program "Business Administration"

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### **Course Description**

Innovation involves the creation of new products, services and business models by firms and other organizations; it is a key activity in every firm because it determines the future of the company. The purpose of this course is to provide an introductory overview for university students taking modules in innovation management. The text of the course follows the natural order of activities in innovation: from idea development, to selection, and through to implementation. In addition, the content of this course is evidence-based, which means that the claims and arguments in this course are based on the current state of academic research in the field of innovation management, balancing theory and practice.

## **Learning Outcomes**

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- PH.1. Critically comprehend, select and use the necessary scientific, methodological and analytical tools for management in unpredictable conditions.
- PH.2. Identify problems in the organization and justify methods for solving them.
- PH.4. Substantiate and manage projects, generate business ideas.
- PH.6. Have the skills to make, justify and ensure the implementation of management decisions in unpredictable conditions, taking into account the requirements of applicable law, ethical considerations and social responsibility.
- PH.10. Demonstrate leadership skills and ability to work in a team, interact with people, influence their behavior to solve professional problems.
- PH.11. Provide personal professional development and personal time planning.
- PH.12. Be able to delegate authority and management of the organization (unit).
- PH.13. Be able to plan and implement information, methodological, material, financial and personnel support of the organization (unit).

#### **Competences**

IK. Ability to solve complex problems and problems in the field of management or in the learning process, involving research and / or innovation in the uncertainty of conditions and requirements

3K6. Ability to generate new ideas (creativity);

3K7. Ability to abstract thinking, analysis and synthesis;

CK1. Ability to select and use management concepts, methods and tools, including in accordance with defined objectives and international standards;

CK2. Ability to set values, visions, mission, goals and criteria by which the organization determines further directions of development, to develop and implement appropriate strategies and plans;

CK3. Ability for self-development, training, effective self-management;

CK4. Ability to effectively use and develop the organization's resources;

CK6. Ability to form leadership qualities and demonstrate them in the process of managing people;

CK7. Ability to develop projects, manage them, show initiative and entrepreneurship.

**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 lecturer directly by e-mail or by Moodle. In the Subject line they should put: **UACUFirstNameLastName**. E-mail messages will normally be answered within 48 hours.

# **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. The student's grade for this course will be calculated based on performance.

Note: the minimal grade to pass a subject is 70%.

# **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)
35% - 69%	FX	Not acceptable, possible repetition of course

# **Criteria for grading:**

ECTS grade	Requirements for the student			
A	The student demonstrated a comprehensive systemic and in-depth 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 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)

Lecture activity / Practical tasks -150 points (every week / several times during the course) Midterm exam -75 point Final exam -150 points

#### **Assignment Format**

All work should be shown in time. If the student misses the deadline – the task is failed Practical tasks should be done in Word, contain an introduction, main part, conclusions, and references. The volume up to 5 pages.

Midterm covered topics from previous lectures (Topics 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 longs for 1 hour. Admission to the final exam is possible only if all the tasks of the curriculum are covered

**Note:** 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. Repetition of exams is limited to not more than two subjects.

### **Submission & Return Policy**

Assignments must be submitted to the lecturer 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 (MBA 516)

Date /	Topic	Form of	Materials	Grades
time		activity	= / / W	
-	<b>Topic 1.</b> <i>Innovations and innovation</i>	<b>▶</b> Practical	LECTURE & TASK	10 points
	management: essence and meaning	assignment	in Moodle	
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	<b>Topic 2. M</b> ain types and ways of	► Practical	LECTURE & TASK	10 points
	innovations	assignment	in Moodle	
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	Topic 3. Managing innovations:	<b>▶</b> Practical	LECTURE & TASK	10 points
	cycle, features and challenges	assignment	in Moodle	
		3		
	Topic 4. Successful innovation	► Practical	LECTURE & TASK	10 points
	management	assignment	in Moodle	
		4		
-	Topic 5. Innovative organization	► Practical	LECTURE & TASK	10 points
		assignment	in Moodle	_
		5		
-	<b>Topic 6. In</b> novative teams and their	<b>▶</b> Practical	LECTURE & TASK	10 points
	work	assignment	in Moodle	_
		6		

-	<b>Topic 7.</b> Creativity in innovation	<b>▶</b> Practical	LECTURE & TASK	10 points
	management / creative climate	assignment 7	in Moodle	
-	Topic 8. Innovation strategy	► Practical assignment 8	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
	Mid-term	► TESTS + TASKS	in Moodle	75 points
-	Topic 9. Sources of innovations	► Practical assignment	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
-	<b>Topic 10. D</b> ecision making in innovation management	► Practical assignment 10	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
-	<b>Topic 11. E</b> xternal factors that affect innovations	► Practical assignment	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
-	<b>Topic 12.</b> Creating innovations products	► Practical assignment 12	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
-	Topic 13. Benefits from innovations	► Practical assignment 13	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
-	Topic 14 innovations potential	► Practical assignment 14	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
-	Topic 15. Learning from innovation	► Practical assignment	LECTURE & TASK in Moodle	10 points
08.11. 2022	Final-term	► TESTS + TASKS	in Moodle	150 points

# **Academic Integrity**

Academic integrity is submitting one's own work and properly acknowledging the contributions of others. Any violation of this principle constitutes academic dishonesty and is liable to result in a failing grade and disciplinary action. Forms of academic dishonesty include:

**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.

**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.

**Facilitating Academic Dishonesty** – helping another commit an act of dishonesty, such as substituting for an examination or completing an assignment for someone else.

**Fabrication** – altering or transmitting, without authorization, academic information or records.

## **Penalty for Academic Dishonesty**

Each incident of academic dishonesty will be reported in writing to the appropriate academic Dean. A disciplinary notation for academic dishonesty may be entered on the student's academic record. The penalty for the first incident of academic dishonesty will be a score of zero on the item in question. A second incident of academic dishonesty will result in disciplinary dismissal, unless appealed.

#### **Recommended Materials**

- Amabile, T. (1996). Creativity in context. New York: Westview Press
- 2. Amabile, T. et al. Assessing the work environment for creativity. Academy of Management, October 1996, Volume 39, Issue 5, pp 1154-1184
- Chakravorti, B. (2003). The slow pace of fast change: bringing innovations to market in a connected world. Boston, MA: Harvard Business School Press
- 4. Christensen C., Clayton M. (1997). The innovator's dilemma. Boston, MA: Harvard **Business School Press**
- Christensen, C. and Raynor, M. (2003). The innovator's solution: creating and sustaining successful growth. Boston, MA: Harvard Business School Press
- Davila, T., Epstein, M. and Shelton, R. (2006). Making innovation work: how to manage it, measure it and profit from it. Upper Saddle River: Wharton School Publishing
- Luecke, R. and Katz, R. (2003). Managing creativity and innovation. Boston, MA: 7. Harvard Business School Press
- Wolpert, J. (2002). Breaking out of the innovation box. Boston, MA: Harvard 8. **Business Review**
- Innovaro (2008) Innovation Briefing, Innovation Leaders 2008, www.innovaro.com 9.
- 10. Von Hippel, E. (2005) The Democratization of Innovation, MIT Press, Cambridge, MA.
- 11. Schrage, M. (2000) Serious Play: How the World's Best Companies Simulate to Innovate, Harvard Business School Press, Boston, MA
- 12. Hamel, G. (2007) The Future of Management, Harvard Business School Press, Boston, MA

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

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