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Subject Guide 2023 / 2024

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Internation					
Subject	International trade				
Code	V55G020V01942				
Study	Grado en				
programme	Administración y				
programme	Dirección de				
	Empresas				
Descriptors	ECTS Credits		Choose	Year	Quadmester
2 000p10.0	6		Mandatory	3rd	2nd
Teaching	English				
language	3				
Department					
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General description	This module is taught in English, ther	efore it is esse	ential that students a	ccredit a B	2 level of English.

Training and Learning Results

Code

- B1 Analysis and synthesis skills.
- B2 Critical and self-critical thinking.
- B3 Ability to use computer applications for purposes of corporate management.
- B5 Oral and written communication skills.
- B7 To be able to read and communicate in English as a foreign language.
- B8 To be able to communicate fluently with people, including interpersonal skills for active listening, negotiation, persuasion and presentation.
- B9 Ability to work efficiently in a work team.
- B10 To write consulting reports about specific situations of companies and markets.
- B11 To write comprehensive management projects and projects for functional areas of the company.
- B13 Ability to learn and work independently.
- B14 Ability to apply the theoretical and practical knowledge acquired in a specialized academic context.
- C1 To be familiar with the existing interrelations between the different subsystems making up the corporate system.
- C3 To be familiar with the internal features, functions and processes of organizations, including their nature, structure, administration, functioning and management.
- C5 To be familiar with the relationship between corporations and their milieu, assessing its repercussions on corporate strategy, behavior, management and sustainability.
- C6 To be familiar with the different processes, procedures and practices of corporate management.
- C7 To be familiar with the main instrumental techniques used in the corporate world.
- C9 To identify economic problems in general that arise in corporations, and to be able to use the main existing instruments for their resolution.
- C11 To make strategic decisions using different types of corporate models.
- C13 Mobility and adaptability to different contexts and situations.
- C16 Ability to search for, identify and interpret sources of information.
- D1 Effective management of one sources in terms of time, planning and performance, motivation and initiative both at individual and corporate levels.
- D2 Leadership skills, including empathic attitude with others.
- D3 Responsibility and willingness to make commitments.
- D4 Commitment to abide by ethical values at work.
- D5 Striving for quality and continuous improvement.

Expected results from this subject

Expected results from this subject		Training and Learning Results		
To identify the main characteristics of Spanish exporting companies.	B1 B2 B7 B11	C9 C13 C16	D5	
To be able to work with the operational aspects of international commerce.	B3 B5 B7 B8 B14	C6 C7 C9 C11	D3 D4 D5	
To obtain the necessary skills to seek and critically interpret the information necessary to draw up an internationalisation plan for a company.	B1 B2 B3 B5 B7 B8 B9 B10 B13 B14	C1 C3 C5 C6 C9 C11 C13 C16	D1 D2 D3 D4 D5	
The capacity to analyse the environment in international commerce.	B1 B7 B8 B9 B10 B11 B13 B14	C13 C16	D2 D5	
Mainstreaming trade to attain the sustainable development goals	B1 B2 B5 B7 B9 B10 B11 B14	C1 C5 C6 C9 C13 C16	D1 D2 D3 D4 D5	

Contents			
Topic			
1. SETTING THE SCENE	1.1 Overview of the Issues Facing International Management		
	1.2 International Trade Statistics		
	1.3 Globalisation		
	1.4 Mainstreaming trade to attain SDGs		
	1.5 Trade Barriers		
	1.6 Economic Integration		
2. INTERNATIONALISATION PROCESS	2.1 Internationalisation		
	2.2 Decision to Internationalise		
	2.3 Geographic Market Choice		
	2.4 Market Entry strategies		
3. OPERATIONAL ASPECTS	3.1 Customs Clearance		
	3.2 INCOTERMS		
	3.3 International Transport of Goods		
	3.4 Methods of Payment		
	3.5 Fomenting International Commerce		

Planning			
	Class hours	Hours outside the classroom	Total hours
Lecturing	28	48	76
Mentored work	0	25	25
Seminars	0	5	5
Case studies	14	0	14
Studies excursion	8	0	8
Objective questions exam	2	20	22

*The information in the planning table is for guidance only and does not take into account the heterogeneity of the students.

Methodologies	
	Description
Lecturing	The teacher will explain the concepts of each topic. Guidelines will be given to carry out the coursework.
Mentored work	Assignments
Seminars	Interviews with the teacher in order to receive advice on aspects related to the module and on the learning process.
Case studies	Analysis of real situations with the aim of detecting problems and proposing solutions.
Studies excursion	Visits to local institutions of relevance for international commerce.

Personalized assistance			
Methodologies	Description		
Lecturing	Interviews with the teacher in order to receive advice on aspects related to the module.		
Mentored work	Interviews with the teacher in order to receive advice on aspects related to the module.		

Assessment					
	Description	Qualification	Training and Learning Res	ults	
Lecturing	Final exam	50	B1	C1	D1
			B7	C3	D4
			B13	C6	D5
			B14	C7	
Mentored work	Coursework assignme	nts 30	B7	C1	D1
			B13	C3	D4
				C6	D5
				C7	
Objective questions	exam1 Class test	20	B1	C5	D1
			B2	C9	D2
			В3	C11	D3
			B5	C13	D4
			В7	C16	D5
			B8		
			В9		
			B10		
			B11		
			B13		

Other comments on the Evaluation

Plagiarism will be penalised with a 0 grade. Those assignments which are not correctly referenced and/or the bibliography is not presented correctly, will be awarded a 0 grade. Coursework will not be accepted after the deadline. This also applies to presentation dates.

Class attendance is compulsory. All absences, including those for which some type of evidence has been produced, will be taken into account when calculating the penalties applicable for non-attendance.

The penalties for non attendance will be as follows:

- Non attendance of more than 6 hours of class hours will be penalised by reducing the continuous assessment mark by one third.
- Non attendance of more than 12 hours of class hours will be penalised by reducing the continuous assessment mark by two thirds.
- Non attendance of more than 18 hours of class hours will be penalised by being awarded a zero mark for their continuous assessment mark.

The grade obtained in the continuous assessment mark will be maintained in the resit exam during academic session 2022/2023.

Final exams are corrected using "blind marking".

The time and dates for exams for academic session 2022/2023 will be determined by the Board of Studies of IESIDE.

In case of differences, the dates and times published on the IESIDE web page will prevail.

Sources of information

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Recommendations

Other comments

Students must certify at least a B2 level of English in order to enrol on this module.

Class attendance is compulsory. Non-attendance will be penalised.

"blind marking" is used to correct the final exams.

This module outline has been written in English. In case of differences between the different language versions, the version in English will prevail.

VERY IMPORTANT: IESIDE will send all its communications to students to the student's IESIDE account, therefore this account should be checked on a daily basis. Students will not be able to allege lack of knowledge regarding any of these communications.