

#### EUROPEAN CREDIT TRANSFER AND ACCUMULATION SYSTEM (ECTS)

pl. M. Skłodowskiej-Curie 5, 60-965 Poznań

# **COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS**

Course name

Microeconomics

**Course** 

Field of study Year/Semester

Engineering Management 1/1

Area of study (specialization) Profile of study

general academic

Level of study Course offered in

First-cycle studies Polish

Form of study Requirements part-time compulsory

**Number of hours** 

Lecture Laboratory classes Other (e.g. online)

20 0

Tutorials Projects/seminars

16 0

**Number of credit points** 

5

**Lecturers** 

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#### **Prerequisites**

Knowledge: the student has basic knowledge of mathematics, has basic knowledge of the economy.

Skills: the student understands and analyzes the basic socio-economic phenomena, correctly uses the basic terms acquired during entrepreneurship learning.

Social competences: the student actively and willingly undertakes entrepreneurial activities and works in a group.

# **Course objective**

To familiarize students with the basic concepts of the theory of microeconomics. Transfer of knowledge about the principles of market operation. To familiarize students with the basic tools of microeconomic



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analysis. Acquiring the skills of independent decision-making by the students from the consumer and producer point of view.

#### **Course-related learning outcomes**

#### Knowledge

- 1. Student has knowledge about the impact of economic factors on the security of institutions and management processes. [P6S\_WG\_01]
- 2. Student knows the relationship between microeconomic phenomena. [P6S\_WG\_01]
- 3. Student has knowledge about the effects of mergers on the market economy. [P6S\_WK\_04]
- 4. Student knows models of market structures. [P6S WG 01]
- 5. Student knows the concept of an enterprise and its functions in a market economy. [P6S\_WG\_01]
- 6. Student knows the concepts and market phenomena. [P6S\_WG\_01]
- 7. Student knows the basic costs in the short and long term. [P6S WK 04]
- 8. Student knows the economic aspects of the functioning of non-profit organizations. [P6S\_WG\_01]

#### Skills

- 1. Student is able to verify and evaluate market phenomena and processes. [P6S\_UW\_05, P6S\_UW\_06]
- 2. Student is able to use economic factors to improve management processes. [P6S\_UW\_06]
- 3. Student is able to estimate various types of costs incurred by the producer. [P6S UW 06]
- 4. Student is able to solve tasks in the field of elasticity of demand, supply, consumption, production and production costs. [P6S\_UW\_05]
- 5. Student is able assess the impact of economic factors on the security of an institution. [P6S\_UW\_06]
- 6. Student can set up his own business. [P6S\_UW\_02]
- 7. Student is able to interpret and evaluate basic models of market structures. [P6S\_UW\_06]

#### Social competences

- 1. Student is aware of the complexity of the conditions for the functioning of a modern manufacturer. [P6S KO 02]
- 2. Student is able to cooperate and make substantive contribution in the implementation of joint tasks. [P6S\_KO\_01]

# Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

# Initial assessment:



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- a) tutorials the assessment based on: current progress in the implementation of tasks assessed by written assignments tests, active participation in classes, tasks performed alone or in groups, and attendance (one absence is allowed);
- b) lectures the assessment based on answers to questions about the material learned in lectures,

#### Final grade:

- a) tutorials the assessment based on a positive evaluation of the final test
- b) lectures the assessment based on oral exam or in the form of a test.

# **Programme content**

- 1. Economics and its division. The opportunity cost. Main theories of economics.
- 2. Basic economic concepts. Main principles of management.
- 3. Full and limited rationality. Homo oeconomicus and homo sociologicus model.
- 4. The market in the modern world.
- 5. Demand and supply.
- 6. Market equilibrium and imbalance.
- 7. Public sector in the economy.
- 8. Elasticity of demand and supply.
- 9. Costs in the short and long term.
- 10. Market behavior of the enterprise I.
- 11. Market behavior of the enterprise II.
- 12. The theory of consumer choice.
- 13. Perfect competition.
- 14. Monopoly on the market.
- 15. Enterprise and its functions.
- 16. The balance of organization in the competitive market and the labor market.
- 17. Impact of economic factors on institution security and management processes.
- 18. Organizations in building social well-being.
- 19. Economical aspects of non-profit organization functioning.



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#### **Teaching methods**

Informative lecture with elements of problem lecture. Use of mindmapping method. Case study method and brainstorming.

Exercise method (application of acquired knowledge in practice - calculation of tasks). Seminar discussion.

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# Breakdown of average student's workload

|  | Hours | ECTS |
|--|-------|------|
| Total workload   | 105   | 5,0  |
| Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher                  | 40    | 2,0  |
| Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for tutorials, | 65    | 3,0  |
| preparation for tests/exam, e-learning tasks) 1                    |       |      |

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> delete or add other activities as appropriate