



COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS

Course name

Professional ethics [S1Log2>EZ]

Course

Field of study

Logistics

Year/Semester

3/6

Area of study (specialization)

–

Profile of study

general academic

Level of study

first-cycle

Course offered in

Polish

Form of study

full-time

Requirements

elective

Number of hours

Lecture

15

Laboratory classes

0

Other

0

Tutorials

30

Projects/seminars

0

Number of credit points

3,00

Coordinators

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Lecturers

Prerequisites

Basic categories and problems in ethics.

Course objective

Obtaining knowledge about ethics and it's role in a social living; teaching to solve ethical dilemmas, also dilemmas appearing in professional activity.

Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge:

1. Student knows the basic issues in the area of professional ethics [P6S_WG_08]

Skills:

1. Student is able to recognize in engineering tasks non-technical aspects, as well as socio-technical, organizational and economic aspects [P6S_UW_04]

Social competences:

1. Student is aware of the critical assessment and perception of cause-and-effect relationships in

achieving the set of goals and ranking the significance of tasks [P6S_KK_01]

2. Student is aware of the responsible fulfillment, correct identification and resolution of dilemmas related to the logistics profession [P6S_KR_01]

Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

Lecture: The knowledge acquired during the lecture (formative assessment) is verified by the completion of tasks placed on the eKursy platform. Final test (summary assessment).

Tutorials: Exercises: formative assessment: presentation, thematic studies; summary assessment: the average of the forming scores

Programme content

Ethics in the contemporary world, with particular emphasis on the ethical aspects of corporate activity. Ethics in employment relations. Business ethics. Codes of ethics. Corporate social responsibility. Ethics and technology in the workplace. Contemporary ethical challenges.

Course topics

Lecture: Introduction to ethics. The scientific field of ethics. Subject, area and functions of ethics. Morality and ethics. Norms, values, ideals and moral sanctions. Cultural relativism and cultural imperialism. The place of ethics among humanistic and social sciences, relation to philosophy. The concept of the leadership paradigm and its ethical aspects. Personal, organizational, environmental factors. Corporate ethics programs. Ethical dilemma. Model of ethical decision making. Examples of unethical and counterproductive behaviors during different phases of Management. Ethics in work relationships. Social relationships in working place. Employment and employees rights. Right to work. Equal chances. The concept of conflict. Just payment Discrimination: direct, indirect, multiple, positive. Criteria of discrimination (ex. race, nationality, religion, creed). Examples of men and women discrimination in the workplace. Methods of combating discrimination against women and good practices of the enterprises. Mobbing. Definition of mobbing (Leymann and Labour Code). Leymann mobbing activities. Consequences and causes. Counteraction. Mobbing and discrimination: comparison. Code of ethics. Definition, genesis, area and examples. Role of codes of ethics in regulating practical side of professional careers. Corporate social responsibility. The concept of CSR. Responsibilities to stakeholder groups. Corporate citizenship. Corporate Governance. CSR standards. Tutorials: Leadership: how much ethics in different leadership paradigms. Lobbying and bribery in the company's operations. Discrimination at work. Stereotypes and prejudices as unethical behavior at work. Mobbing. Characteristic features of mobbing. Ethical resolution of conflicts. The role of ethical codes in the company's practice. Standards related to corporate social responsibility. SA 8000. SS 1000. ISO 26 000 **.

Teaching methods

Lecture: lecture, multimedia presentation, discussion, case study.

Tutorials: Case study, presentations, working with scientific text.

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Breakdown of average student's workload

| | Hours | ECTS |
|---|-------|------|
| Total workload | 75 | 3,00 |
| Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher | 45 | 2,00 |
| Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for laboratory classes/ tutorials, preparation for tests/exam, project preparation) | 30 | 1,00 |