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Ilsms2003 2024 Brand Management 5.00 credits 30.0 h Q2

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Language :	English				
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve				
Prerequisites	Basic marketing course				
Main themes	Do you want to understand what a brand is and how to build one? Are you interested to know why some companies are successful and why some fail? Are you ready to jump in the real life of a Brand Manager? The students will learn how to manage brands by living the life of a Brand Manager. The students will first review the key models evaluating the brand equity from a consumer point of view. They will then understand how new consumers' behaviors can influence brand management. They will finally learn key brand strategies that can be leveraged to create and develop strong brands. This will be achieved through lectures, conferences by business professionals and brand challenges given by professionals				
Learning outcomes	At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to: • Knowledge and reasoning • Project management • Communication and interpersonal skills At the end of the course, the students should be able to: • Identify and develop Brand Plans • Design and implement Brand Marketing programs • Measure and interpret Brand performance • Grow and sustain Brand Equity on a responsible way This will enable them to have the needed knowledge and experience to start a potential Marketing professional experience.				
Evaluation methods	Assessment: mix of continuous assessment and in session Exam • continuous assessment: Group project to hand out during Q2P2(30%) • continuous assessment: 3 Quizzes on conferences content (10%) • Written exam in session in June (60%) The course will be evaluated based on an individual exam (60%), on a group project (30%), and on 3 quizzes completed at the end of each conference (10%). If one part of the evaluation process is not completed, students won't have respected the course requirements and will get a 0 for the whole specific part. Note that to be able to fulfill the quiz requirement, you will need to do all the 3 quizzes in class. Therefore, it is compulsory: • To attend all the conferences in class and to answer their related quizzes • To present your group project in class • To attend the individual written exam Second session (August): If students fail the course in the first session, they will only be evaluated in the second session via an individual exam (written or oral exam). Students don't have the opportunity to represent the group project and quizzes in the second session, and keep the grade attributed for these parts in the first session.				
Teaching methods	Lectures, case studies, conferences via guest speakers, videos and a brand project linked to a real company problem. Everything will be done in presential				
Content	The different topics that will be covered in this course are the following ones: • Brands and brand management • Developing a brand strategy • Designing and implementing brand marketing programs • Growing and sustaining brand equity				

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	Brands will be analyzed in different business sectors, on local and international markets. Several conferences will be organized with business professionals.				
Bibliography	Advised bibliography: Keller, K.L. (2013), Strategic Brand Management: Building, Measuring and Managing Brand Equity, 4th edition, Harlow: Pearson Education Ltd.				
Other infos	English understanding is a must as the course is given in English 3 top business guest speakers (names to be confirmed) will give a conference about their business and their daily life as marketers. The 2 first will end their conference by giving a business challenge to the students (group project)				
Faculty or entity in charge	CLSM				

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes		
Master [120] in Management	GESM2M	5		Q,		
Master [120] : Business Engineering	INGE2M	5		Q.		
Master [120] in Management	GEST2M	5		Q,		
Master [120] : Business Engineering	INGM2M	5		٩		