Module description

Module title					Abbreviation
Business Communication in Print, Online and Social Media					12-M-ECC-242-m01
Module	coord	inator		Module offered by	
holder of the Professorship of Economi			c Journalism Faculty of Management and Economics		
ECTS	ECTS Method of grading		Only after succ. compl. of module(s)		
5	nume	rical grade			
Duration		Module level	Other prerequisites		
1 semester		graduate			
Contents					
This module focuses on the relationship of offer characteristics with benefit aspects for the end consumer and the business models on the part of the providers. Starting from the basics of editorial work and professional text management, the new forms of communication management in social networks are presented. The focus of the lecture is on the use of social media in campaigns (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Tiktok). There will also be exercises on various Web 2.0 applications (e.g. online social networks) and on the collection and interpretation of online market research data. Crisis communication of companies will also be covered – in particular opinion-makers on the web as well as protest culture on the web.					
Intended learning outcomes					
By participating in the module courses, students acquire job-specific skills in research and interviewing. Stu- dents are able to collect and organize information according to criteria of topicality and relevance. In addition, students are taught journalistic expertise so that they are able to recognize the forms of presentation of news, re- ports, and background reports with their media characteristics and communicative functions in different media genres and create them themselves. Students will be able to prototype and design a social media campaign, de- scribe the editorial and technical approach including feedback, response, and customer engagement. In additi- on, students will be able to design counter-strategies for corporate communication crises. Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language – if other than German)					
V (2) + Ü (2) Module taught in: German and/or English					
Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus)					
written examination (approx. 60 minutes) Language of assessment: German and/or English creditable for bonus					
Allocation of places					
Additional information					
Workload					
150 h					
Teaching cycle					
Teaching cycle: winter semester					
Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes)					
Module appears in					
Master's degree (1 major) Management (2024) Master's degree (1 major) International Economic Policy (2024) Master's degree (1 major) Economathematics (2024) Supplementary course Supplementary course Entrepreneurship into Action (ZENTRIA) (2025)					

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