Module title: Strategic Management of Innovation and International Business

Abbreviation: 12-M-MWT-141-m01

Module coordinator: holder of the Chair of Entrepreneurship and Management
Module offered by: Faculty of Business Management and Economics

ECTS: 5
Method of grading: numerical grade
Only after succ. compl. of module(s): --

Duration: 1 semester
Module level: graduate
Other prerequisites: --

Contents:

In this course, students will acquire an overview of the strategic aspects of innovation management. They will acquire the knowledge necessary to understand the range, scope and complexity of the issues and problems related to the strategic management of innovations. The lecture will focus on innovation teams and the different roles in the innovation process. It will also discuss how users can be involved in the innovation process. In addition, the course will address the concepts of open innovation, lean innovation and crowdsourcing and will discuss how platform strategies can be used for the new product development process as well as what market entry strategies and patent management strategies are currently used. Practical examples and case studies will be used to provide students with a better understanding of the theoretical concepts.

Intended learning outcomes:

At the end of the module students are able to understand:

- The tasks of the strategic innovation management
- The state of the art and importance of innovations
- The current trends in strategic innovation management
- The importance of patent strategies
- The market entry strategies
- Concepts of the marketing mix

Courses (type, number of weekly contact hours, language — if other than German):

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Method of assessment (type, scope, language — if other than German, examination offered — if not every semester, information on whether module is creditable for bonus):

a) written elaboration (approx. 15 to 20 pages) or b) presentation (approx. 15 minutes) or c) written examination (approx. 60 minutes)

Language of assessment: German, English

Allocation of places: --

Additional information: --

Referred to in LPO I (examination regulations for teaching-degree programmes): --

Module appears in:

Master’s degree (1 major) Business Information Systems (2014)
Master’s degree (1 major) Business Management (2014)
Master’s degree (1 major) Economics (2014)