

Academic Year: (2019 / 2020)

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Department assigned to the subject: Business Administration Department

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Type: Electives ECTS Credits : 5.0

Year : 2 Semester : 1

OBJECTIVES

A student who has followed this course should be able to:

- Identify and understand the objectives and strategies of the Directorate of Operations.
- Know and understand the main lines of research in Operations Management.
- Know and understand the main research techniques applied in Operations Management.
- Apply the acquired knowledge and techniques for solving problems related to production and logistics environments.
- Critically evaluate research on selected topics
- To integrate and develop advanced theoretical and empirical concepts
- Develop a research paper and present it publicly, in specialized forums and to students at different stages of their learning processes
- Identify niches not studied in the literature and construct theoretical frameworks that summarize the different theoretical perspectives
- Develop the ability to articulate a research plan based on analysis of current trends and controversies

DESCRIPTION OF CONTENTS: PROGRAMME

Introduction to Operations Management. Objectives and strategies.

- Production and logistics for manufacturing and services models . Main characteristics and problems .
- Inter - relationships between the management of the supply chain and organizational stakeholders
- Quantitative and qualitative research techniques applied in Operations Management and Supply Chain (supply chain) .
- The Operations strategy of global corporations

LEARNING ACTIVITIES AND METHODOLOGY

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% end-of-term-examination:	50
% of continuous assessment (assignments, laboratory, practicals...):	50

BASIC BIBLIOGRAPHY

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