

SYLLABUS

1. Data about the program of study

1.1 Institution	Technical University of Cluj-Napoca
1.2 Faculty	Faculty of Automation and Computer Science
1.3 Department	Computer Science
1.4 Field of study	Computer Science and Information Technology
1.5 Cycle of study	Bachelor of Science
1.6 Program of study / Qualification	Computer science / Engineer
1.7 Form of education	Full time
1.8 Subject code	49.1

2. Data about the subject

2.1 Subject name	Marketing						
2.2 Subject area	Marketing						
2.3 Course responsible / lecturer	Lecturer PhD. Maier Veronica - veronica.maier@enm.utcluj.ro						
2.4 Teachers in charge of seminars	-						
2.5 Year of study	IV	2.6 Semester	7	2.7 Assessment	Summative	2.8 Subject category	Elective

3. Estimated total time

3.1 Number of hours per week	2	of which, course:	2	applications:	-
3.2 Total hours in the curriculum	28	of which, course:	28	applications:	-
a) Individual study					hours
b) Manual, lecture material and notes, bibliography					8
c) Supplementary study in the library, online and in the field					8
d) Preparation for seminars/laboratory works, homework, reports, portfolios, essays					2
e) Tutoring					2
f) Exams and tests					2
g) Other activities					
3.3 Total hours of individual study	22				
3.4 Total hours per semester	50				
3.5 Number of credit points	2				

4. Pre-requisites (where appropriate)

4.1 Curriculum	Not the case
4.2 Competence	Not the case

5. Requirements (where appropriate)

5.1 For the course	The existence of multimedia equipment
5.2 For the applications	Not the case

6. Specific competences

6.1 Professional competences	<p>C6 Applying legislative, economic, business and quality assurance knowledge, in an economic and managerial context</p> <p>C6.1 Identifying methods and techniques of product evaluation, design elements, as well as principles of management, marketing and quality engineering, applicable in the engineering activities.</p>
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6.2 Cross competences	Capacity to work in an inter and pluri- disciplinary team Capacity to communicate efficient and understand the professional and ethical responsibilities.
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7. Discipline objectives (as results from the *key competences gained*)

7.1 General objective	Understand, assimilate and use of basic marketing concepts, principles and techniques
7.2 Specific objectives	Understand the marketing orientation, the components of the marketing mix, the methods and techniques for collecting and processing marketing data, the strategic analysis determining the competitive advantage, the market segmentation and the buying decision criteria. Elaborating a marketing plan that correlates product, price, placement and promotion strategies.

8. Contents

8.1. Lecture (syllabus)	Teaching methods	Notes
Marketing role in companies and in society: value offered to customers; unique sales offer, corporate social responsibility, etc. Specific marketing activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation - multimedia means, interactivity by problematizing the concepts analyzed during the course, synectics, strategic thematic game, exemplification, problematization, didactic exercise, case study, didactic film, formative evaluation 	2h
The value chain and customer satisfaction		2h
Marketing research: research plan, data collection; data analysis quantitative and qualitative techniques; experiments; research report. Marketing information systems		2h
Company's marketing environment. Micro and macro environment: suppliers, interest groups, customers, economic, demographic, technologic, natural, legal, cultural environment		2h
Marketing strategic planning: creating and maintaining the balance between the company objectives, resources and market opportunities. Methods of strategic analysis		2h
Development of the company's marketing plan		
Market segmentation criteria and methods		2h
Customer behavior analysis: the persona model		2h
Product Policy. Positioning map. Product life cycle.		2h
Research and development of the new product. Innovation development methods		2h
Product strategies depending on the stages of the life cycle. Product positioning strategies on the market		2h
The price. The objectives of the price policy. Price policies: penetration and skimming pricing		2h
Distribution of products. Choice of distribution channels. Management and control of distribution channels		2h
Integrated marketing communication. The mechanisms of the communication process. Marketing communication mix: advertising, sales promotion, sales force, direct marketing, public relations		2h

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9. Bridging course contents with the expectations of the representatives of the community, professional associations and employers in the field

The course will take into account the requirements and expectations of the business environment.

10. Evaluation

Activity type	Assessment criteria	Assessment methods	Weight in the final grade
Course	The students have the opportunity to have a written exam based on open ended and closed questions, or an oral exam by presenting a marketing plan that they have developed for a real or fictional company in teams of max. 5 students	Written exam or oral exam	100%
Applications	-	-	-

Minimum standard of performance:

Requirement for the credits: N>5

For grade 5, students must know the following: description of the marketing mix, description of the communication mix, how to apply the SWOT analysis, BCG matrix, competitor analysis, making a positioning map for a product/application, setting the price based on the cost plus method and the margin method

Date of filling in: 26.02.2025	Responsible	Title, First name Last name	Signature
	Course	Lecturer PhD. Veronica MAIER	
	Applications	-	

Date of approval in the department

Head of department,
Prof.dr.eng. Rodica Potolea

Date of approval in the Faculty Council

Dean,
Prof.dr.eng. Vlad Mureșan

