

H9GVC: Global Value Chain Management

Module Code:	H9GVC
Long Title	Global Value Chain Management APPROVED
Title	Global Value Chain Management
Module Level:	LEVEL 9
EQF Level:	7
EHEA Level:	Second Cycle
Credits:	5
Module Coordinator:	
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Departments:	School of Business
Specifications of the qualifications and experience required of staff	
Learning Outcomes	
<i>On successful completion of this module the learner will be able to:</i>	
#	Learning Outcome Description
LO1	Design an operations value-chain structure to reflect an organisation's strategy
LO2	Utilise quantitative methods to maximise the efficiency of the operation's conversion process, towards achieving economy of added-value outputs
LO3	Apply the concepts of global business relative to value-creation in terms of sourcing inputs, location of in-house supply-chain activities, and expansion of markets
LO4	Formulate operation strategies for entering the global business arena and leveraging market opportunities
LO5	Appreciate the key components influencing national competitiveness and their impact on an organisation's potential for value-creation
Dependencies	
Module Recommendations	
No recommendations listed	
Co-requisite Modules	
No Co-requisite modules listed	
Entry requirements	

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Module Content & Assessment	
Indicative Content	
Introduction • Operations management overview • Input-output model of operations management • The variables of a firm's operation's strategy • The challenge and opportunity of globalisation	
Operations management • Design: o Products / Services o Processes o Process choice and layouts o Labour & Technology o Strategic supply-chain o Capacity o Lean production and JIT • Control: o Output: Rate / Efficiency o Quality o Cost o Inventory o Supply chain o KPIs	
Improvement . Kaizen . Process re-engineering . TQM	
Global business • Differences in global regions • Global trade theory and practice • Strategy and structure for value-chain creation • International operations	
Assessment Breakdown	%
Coursework	50.00%
End of Module Assessment	50.00%
Assessments	
Full Time	
Coursework	
Assessment Type:	Continuous Assessment (0200) % of total: 50
Assessment Date:	n/a Outcome addressed: 1,3,4,5
Non-Marked:	No
Assessment Description: Learning objectives 1,3,4 and 5 are achieved through both taught elements of the course, together with the practical case study course work, group discussion and coaching from the lecturer.	
End of Module Assessment	
Assessment Type:	Terminal Exam % of total: 50
Assessment Date:	End-of-Semester Outcome addressed: 1,2,3,4,5
Non-Marked:	No
Assessment Description: Six essay and quantitative style questions from which 4 questions should be attempted will be used to assess student's understanding of all learning outcomes of the module.	
No Workplace Assessment	
Reassessment Requirement	
Repeat examination <i>Reassessment of this module will consist of a repeat examination. It is possible that there will also be a requirement to be reassessed in a coursework element.</i>	

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Module Workload				
Module Target Workload Hours 0 Hours				
Workload: Full Time				
<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Workload Description</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>
Lecture	Delivered in block format	30	Per 15 week block	2.00
Independent Learning	No Description	95	Per 15 week block	6.33
Total Weekly Contact Hours				2.00
Workload: Part Time				
<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Workload Description</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>
Lecture	Delivered in block format	30	Every Week	30.00
Independent Learning	No Description	95	Every Week	95.00
Total Weekly Contact Hours				30.00

Module Resources

Recommended Book Resources

Bozarth, C. & Handfield, R.. (2012), Introduction to Operations and Supply Chain Management, 3rd. Pearson.

Hill, C.. (2014), International Business/ Competing in a Global Marketplace, Global Edition. McGraw-Hill.

This module does not have any article/paper resources

This module does not have any other resources

Discussion Note: