## **COURSE OUTLINE**

## (1) OVERVIEW

SCHOOL	MARITIME & INDUSTRY					
DEPARTMENT	INDUSTRIAL MANAGEMENT & TECHNOLOGY					
LEVEL OF STUDIES	UNDERGRADUATE					
COURSE CODE	ΤΕΟΔΕ12	SEMESTER 8				
COURSE TITLE	CONTEMPORARY TOPICS IN INDUSTRIAL MANAGEMENT & TECHNOLOGY					
DISCRETE TEACHING ACTIVITIES  In cases where ECTS credits are awarded to distinct components of the course (e.g., Lectures, Laboratory Exercises, etc.), please indicate them separately. If the credits are awarded as a whole for the entire course, please state the weekly teaching hours and the total number of credits			WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS		ECTS	
Seminars & Project			3 <b>2.</b> 5		2.5	
Please add additional rows if needed. A detailed description of the teaching organization and instructional methods is provided in Section (4).						
COURSE TYPE  core (C), core elective (CE), elective (E) - background,  specialization, skill development	C – Skill Development					
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	None.					
LANGUAGE OF TEACHING AND EXAMINATIONS:	Greek (English for ERASMUS students)					
THIS COURSE IS AVAILABLE TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	Yes					
COURSE WEBPAGE (URL)						

## (2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

## **Learning Outcomes**

The learning outcomes of the course are described, specifying the particular knowledge, skills, and competencies at the appropriate level that students will acquire upon successful completion of the course.

Please refer to Appendix A

- Description of the Level of Learning Outcomes for each study cycle according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area.
- Descriptive Indicators of Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B.
- Concise Guide for Writing Learning Outcomes

The aim of this course is to familiarize students with various issues related to the practical application of Advanced Technologies and Managerial Methodologies that govern modern Industrial Enterprises and Production Units. In previous semesters, students have been introduced to — and have primarily acquired theoretical knowledge of — the core methodologies of Management Science as well as the fundamental technologies underpinning modern Production Systems. This course complements that foundational knowledge by presenting the practical implementation of such techniques through lectures, presentations, and talks that focus on real-world problems and case studies encountered by industrial enterprises. These sessions are delivered by invited professionals from relevant industries and/or distinguished researchers and academics.

- Upon successful completion of the course, students will be able to:
- Understand the current industrial landscape and the challenges it faces.
- Deepen their knowledge of problem analysis and resolution methodologies.
- Effectively apply the techniques taught in class to real-world situations.

### **General Competences**

Taking into account the general competences that a graduate should have acquired (as listed in the Diploma Supplement and outlined below), which of these competences does the course aim to develop?

Searching, analyzing, and synthesizing data and information, using the

necessary technologies Adaptation to new situations

Decision making Autonomous work

Teamwork

Project design and management Respect for diversity and multiculturalism Respect for the natural environment

Demonstration of social, professional, and ethical responsibility and sensitivity to

gender issues

Exercising critical and self-critical thinking

Working in an international environment Working in an interdisciplinary environment Generation of new research ideas Promotion of free, creative, and inductive thinking

Other competences: .

- Searching, analyzing, and synthesizing data and information, using the necessary technologies
- Adaptation to new situations
- Decision making
- Autonomous work
- Generation of new research ideas
- Demonstration of social, professional, and ethical responsibility and sensitivity to gender issues
- Exercising critical and self-critical thinking
- Promotion of free, creative, and inductive thinking

# (3) COURSE CONTENT

During the course, the following topics are presented and discussed:

- Introduction to the modern challenges of industry and production
- Digitization and Industry 4.0
- Big data in production: collection, analysis, and application
- ERP, MES, and SCADA systems
- Lean Management and Six Sigma
- Production planning and scheduling
- Quality Management and Sustainability
- Supply Chain and Logistics
- Project management in production environments

Furthermore, articles, audiovisual lecture material, web links to useful resources, exercises, and software are uploaded in electronic format on the eClass platform.

## (4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - ASSESSMENT

TEACHING MODE  Face-to-face, in-class lecturing, distance teaching  and distance learning etc.	• [	Distance teaching & learning				
USE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY  Use of ICT in Teaching, Laboratory Education,  Communication with students	<b>Teaching</b> : Learning support through the eClass electronic platform, synchronous distance teaching via MS Teams. <b>Communication with students</b> : face-to-face during office hours, email, eClass platform, MS Teams tools					
Organization of Teaching		Activity	Semester Workload			
A detailed description of the teaching methods		Seminars	39			
and approach is provided.  Lectures, seminars, laboratory exercises,		Project	8			
fieldwork, study and analysis of literature, tutorials, internships (placements), clinical practice, artistic workshops, interactive teaching,		Self-study of seminar material	15			
educational visits, project work, writing		Consultation Support	0.5			
assignments, artistic creation, etc.		Course Total	62.5			
The student's study hours for each learning				•		

### STUDENT ASSESSMENT

Description of the assessment process

*ECTS* 

Language of assessment, assessment methods, formative or summative evaluation, multiple-choice tests, short-answer questions, essay questions, problem-solving, written assignments, reports, oral examinations, public presentations, laboratory work, clinical patient examination, artistic interpretation, other(s)

activity, as well as the hours of independent study, are specified in accordance with the principles of

Language of Assessment: Greek (English for ERASMUS students)

Assessment Mode: Face-to-face and/or distance learning (if required)

Assessment Methods: The final grade of the course is determined by the students' participation in course activities as well as by the completion of an individual assignment/written report. This assignment involves the study, analysis, and presentation of two (2) related scientific publications from international literature.

Explicitly state assessment criteria and information on whether and where these criteria are accessible to students are included.

In the case that students have successfully participated in the course activities but have not submitted the individual assignment/written report during the first examination period, they may submit it during the September resits.

It should be noted that the course grade is not included in the calculation of the overall degree grade. Students are evaluated on a pass/fail basis.

**Students with Learning Difficulties**: Students with certified learning difficulties in reading and writing (as recognized by the competent authority) are assessed according to the procedures established by the Department.

**Disclosure of Assessment Criteria**: The assessment criteria are communicated during the first class and are clearly stated on the course website and the eClass platform. Students have the right to receive explanations regarding their grades. In cases of further requests, the procedures outlined in the current Study Regulations apply.

## (5) SUGGESTED BIBLIOGRAPHY

### - Books:

#### - Journals:

- Computers in Industry
- International Journal of Advanced Manufacturing Technology
- International Journal of Logistics Research & Applications
- International Journal of Physical Distribution & Logistics Management
- International Journal of Production Economics
- International Journal of Production Research
- Other educational material:
  - Seminar Notes and Supporting Material provided by the Instructor