



Teaching Guide

Identifying Data					2024/25
Subject (*)	Fashion Marketing and Market Research			Code	710G03012
Study programme	Grao en Xestión Industrial da Moda				
Descriptors					
Cycle	Period	Year	Type	Credits	
Graduate	Yearly	Second	Obligatory	9	
Language	English				
Teaching method	Face-to-face				
Prerequisites					
Department	Empresa				
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General description	The main objective of this subject is for the students to learn how to apply the principles of marketing and the fundamentals of market research to the fashion industry.				

Study programme competences / results

Code	Study programme competences / results
A8	To be able to design and implement efficient marketing strategies from knowledge of the social environment, with a focus on communication and distribution: messages, media, channels, customer relationships, etc?
A19	To acquire the capacity to collect, select and analyse information flows; their integration in the information systems and processes of the firm; and their application to strategic and operational decision-making; always from an ethical perspective
B1	That students demonstrate that they acquired and understood knowledge in a study area that originates from general secondary education and that can be found at a level that, though usually supported by advanced textbooks, also includes aspects implying knowledge from the avantgarde of its field of study
B2	That students know how to apply their knowledge to their job or vocation in a professional form, and have the competencies that are usually demonstrated through elaboration and advocacy of arguments and problem resolution within their field of study
B3	That students have the capacity to collect and interpret relevant data (normally within their field of study) in order to issue judgements that include a reflection upon relevant topics in the social, scientific or ethical realm
B4	That students may convey information, ideas, problems and solution to the public, both specialized and not
B5	That students develop those learning skills that are needed to undertake ulterior studies with a high degree of autonomy
B6	Capacity for cooperation, team-work and collaborative learning in interdisciplinary settings
B7	Capacity to analyse trends (critical thinking)
B8	Capacity to plan, organize and manage resources and operations
B9	Capacity to analyse, diagnose and take decisions
C1	Adequate oral and written expression in the official languages.
C2	Mastering oral and written expression in a foreign language.
C3	Using ICT in working contexts and lifelong learning.
C4	Acting as a respectful citizen according to democratic cultures and human rights and with a gender perspective.
C5	Understanding the importance of entrepreneurial culture and the useful means for enterprising people.
C7	Developing the ability to work in interdisciplinary or transdisciplinary teams in order to offer proposals that can contribute to a sustainable environmental, economic, political and social development.
C8	Valuing the importance of research, innovation and technological development for the socioeconomic and cultural progress of society.
C9	Ability to manage times and resources: developing plans, prioritizing activities, identifying critical points, establishing goals and accomplishing them.

Learning outcomes



Learning outcomes	Study programme competences / results		
Understand the importance of marketing as an area of knowledge of the social sciences and its relevance to others knowledge areas. Understand the importance of marketing as a functional area of the company and its relationship with other functional areas of the organization, and also of its objective and functions.	A8 A19	B1 B2 B3 B4 B5 B6 B7 B8 B9	C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C7 C8 C9
Analyse the environment, competition, and also consumer behaviour, as elements that must be considered by marketing for strategic and operational decision making. Understand and analyse the variables of marketing-mix and its operational development by organizations. Approach to the concept of online marketing and its repercussions on current business communication.	A8 A19	B1 B2 B3 B4 B5 B6 B7 B8 B9	C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C7 C8 C9

Contents	
Topic	Sub-topic
PART I. Introduction to Marketing.	01. Introduction and Principles of Marketing.
PART II. Strategic Marketing.	02. The market environment and competence. 03. Consumer behaviour. 04. Market research: an introduction. 05. Market research: qualitative research. 06. Market research: quantitative research. 07. Segmentation and Positioning. 08. Marketing strategy.
PARTE III. Operational Marketing.	09. Marketing-Mix. Product and Brand. 10. Marketing-Mix. Distribution. 11. Marketing-Mix. Price. 12. Marketing-mix. Promotion/Communication.

Planning				
Methodologies / tests	Competencies / Results	Teaching hours (in-person & virtual)	Student?s personal work hours	Total hours
Oral presentation	B2 B3 B4 B6 B7 B8 B9 C1 C2 C3 C4 C7 C9	15	35	50
Events academic / information	A8 A19 B3 B7 C2 C4	5	0	5
Workbook	A8 B1 B5 B9 C1 C2 C5 C8	10	20	30
Multiple-choice questions	B1 B5 B9 C2	2	28	30
Guest lecture / keynote speech	A19 B3 B7 C2 C4 C5 C8	25	75	100
Personalized attention		10	0	10



(*)The information in the planning table is for guidance only and does not take into account the heterogeneity of the students.

Methodologies	
Methodologies	Description
Oral presentation	In the practical class, the group designated by the lecturer must present the set reading and / or the work from complementary activities. Group members must answer the questions that are formulated.
Events academic / information	So that they can become familiar with the practical cases presented by professionals in the field, students must also attend complementary practical activities (conferences, seminars, workshops and so on). They must reflect on the content and produce an analysis, which will be subject to assessment.
Workbook	To complement the lectures, texts and readings and/or practical tasks based on a variety of topics will be provided for analysis. Students must work in groups to answer the set questions.
Multiple-choice questions	Individual multiple choice test. Each wrong answer will lower the test score.
Guest lecture / keynote speech	The contents of the subject's theoretical programme will be introduced in a formal lecture, through audiovisual media. The slides will be delivered to the students. The lecturer will monitor lecture attendance; regular attendance is a requirement in assessment procedure.

Personalized attention	
Methodologies	Description
Oral presentation Workbook	The students will be able to resolve any doubts while they work on the practical cases or readings that they must present. They can also ask questions about topics explained in class. The teacher is assigned an availability for tutorials. ATTENTION TO DIVERSITY: The subject may be adapted to students who require the adoption of measures aimed at supporting diversity (physical, visual, auditory, cognitive, learning or related to mental health). If this is the case, they should contact the services available at the UDC/in the center: within the official deadlines stipulated prior to each academic semester, with the Diversity Attention Unit (https://www.udc.es/cufie/ADI/support_students/); failing that, with the ADI tutor from the Faculty of Humanities.

Assessment			
Methodologies	Competencies / Results	Description	Qualification
Multiple-choice questions	B1 B5 B9 C2	MULTIPLE CHOICE TEST: 50% of the final grade. Individual multiple choice test. Each wrong answer will lower the final score.	50
Guest lecture / keynote speech	A19 B3 B7 C2 C4 C5 C8	ATTENDANCE: 10% of the final grade. Attendance of lectures, as well as of the practical classes, will make up 10% of the final grade. Attendance will also be graded based on class participation (debate, question, response, reasoned opinion).	10
Oral presentation	B2 B3 B4 B6 B7 B8 B9 C1 C2 C3 C4 C7 C9	READINGS and ORAL PRESENTATION: 40% of the final grade. Oral reports will be presented on the readings, bibliographic analysis and practical work. They will be done in a group. Assessment criteria include how well the theoretical is explained, the quality and clarity of the presentation; the accuracy and quality of the answers; the range of primary and secondary sources used and the review of literature.	40

Assessment comments



1st Opportunity Evaluation. In the development of the practical part (teamworks / projects) (mark of 40%), the following will be evaluated: application of the theoretical bases, quality of presentation, precision and clarity of presentation and quality of the answers, primary and secondary sources used and bibliographic review. For the evaluation of the theoretical part, a multiple choice test (multiple object test) (mark of 50%) with several answer alternatives will be used, where errors will reduce the score to avoid the "lottery effect". The formula is $NOTE = (\text{correct answers} \times 1) - (\text{errors} / k - 1)$, with $k =$ number of answer options. Net points earned are transferred to a rating on a scale of 0 to 10. Part-time dedication and academic exemption (attendance exemption): in the case of students with part-time dedication and academic exemption of attendance exemption, the Moodle and MS Teams platforms will be used, as well as email as the main communication vehicle. Content management, tutorials and homework delivery. At the beginning of the course, a specific calendar of dates compatible with their dedication will be agreed, but they will have the same obligation to carry out activities and attend any type of evaluation test as full-time students. Except for the dates approved by the Faculty Council in which the objective test corresponds, for the rest of the tests a specific calendar of dates compatible with their dedication will be agreed at the beginning of the course. The evaluation process for the 2nd opportunity is exactly the same as for the 1st opportunity: the practical grade (obtained in the works / projects) is saved and @alumn @ will take a new multiple choice exam, with identical characteristics to those described above. In the event of an extraordinary call, the evaluation will only be with multiple choice tests (multiple choice test) (mark 100%) with several answer alternatives, where errors will subtract score based on the formula $NET\ POINTS = (\text{correct answers} \times 1) - (\text{errors} / k - 1)$ with $k =$ number of answer options. Net points earned are transferred to qualification on a scale of 0 to 10. The student who, being enrolled, has not participated in the different evaluation activities (continuous/practical and/or exam/test) established for the academic year will be considered as "Not presented" (NP). PLAGIARISM/COPY. The fraudulent performance of the tests or evaluation activities will directly imply the qualification of failure (0) in the matter in the corresponding call, thus invalidating any qualification obtained in all the evaluation activities for the extraordinary call.

Sources of information

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Recommendations

Subjects that it is recommended to have taken before

Introduction to Fashion Business Management/710G03004
 Principles of Economics: Fashion Industry/710G03003
 Global Trends in Fashion: Digital Transformation and Sustainability/710G03008

Subjects that are recommended to be taken simultaneously

Corporate and Professional Ethics in the Fashion Industry/710G03011

Subjects that continue the syllabus



Promotional Strategies in Fashion II: Advertising and Public Relations/710G03027

Promotional Strategies in Fashion I: Communication/710G03021

Other comments

To help achieve an immediate sustained environment and meet the objective of action number 5: "Healthy and sustainable environmental and social teaching and research" of the Green Campus Ferrol Action Plan the delivery of documentary work in this area will be requested in virtual format and / or computer support (delivery will be made via moodle or email, in digital format without the need to print them). If it is necessary to make them on paper: plastics will not be used, double-sided prints will be used, recycled paper will be used, the printing of drafts will be avoided and the importance of ethical principles related to the values of sustainability in personal and professional behaviors should be taken into account. The full integration of students / teachers with functional diversity will be facilitated. As stated in the various regulations applicable to university teaching, the gender perspective must be incorporated in this subject (non-sexist language will be used, bibliography by authors of both sexes will be used, male and female students will be encouraged to participate in class...). Work will be done to identify and modify prejudices and sexist attitudes and influence the environment to modify them and promote values of respect and equality. Situations of discrimination based on gender must be detected and actions and measures will be proposed to correct them. Aspects of the current academic regulations of the UDC: All regulatory aspects related to ?academic exemption?, ?dedication to study?, ?permanence? and ?academic fraud? are governed in accordance with the current academic regulations of the UDC.

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