C19GP Project Management (GA)

COURSE DETAILS
Course Code: C19GP
Full Course Title: Project Management (GA)
SCQF Level: 9
SCAF Credits: 15
Available as Elective: No

DELIVERY LEVEL
Undergraduate: Yes  Postgraduate Taught: No  Postgraduate Research: No

COURSE AIMS

To provide students with a basic understanding of the principles, concepts and theory of modern project management

To equip students with a generic set of quantitative and qualitative project planning and control tools and techniques

To demonstrate the importance of project management as specialism in its own right, and the potential contribution that it can make to an organization

To provide a source of ideas and a guide to new approaches that can be used by individuals in the execution of their work

Define the role and current issues faced by project managers

To provide basic training in the Microsoft Project scheduling software package

LEARNING OUTCOMES – SUBJECT MASTERY

Students will be able to

- Critically apply project tools to control and manage projects
- Understand and analyse risks
- Effectively contribute to and lead teams

Students will

- Develop analytical and problem-solving skills
LEARNING OUTCOMES – PERSONAL ABILITIES

Students will be able to

- Develop contingency planning skills

Students will be able to

- Demonstrate ability to apply project management skills
- Demonstrate team-working abilities.
- Demonstrate leadership skills

Students will be able to

- Develop knowledge and application of project management software
- Develop communication and presentation skills

SYLLABUS

The syllabus covers a range of issues regarding the course topic. An indicative syllabus is:

- Introduction to project management
- Projects, definition and scoping
- Project breakdown structures and project organisation structures
- Project scheduling
- Project estimating and budgeting
- Project control and monitoring
- Team-building and leadership
- Project quality, risk management and contingency planning
- Project closure

COURSE RELATIONSHIPS
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