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WOLF PACT

Protecting the integrity of a degree from the Richards College of Business at the University of West Georgia is the responsibility of the administration, faculty, staff, and students of the college. Our mission is “To become a globally recognized college of business preparing forward-thinking, responsible leaders.” Responsible leaders are ethical leaders, and this behavior begins in the classroom. One of our Strategic Goals is to demonstrate “…commitment to the principles of honesty and integrity in interactions and undertakings, [and] accountability for personal behavior…”. As such, we have developed the Wolf Pact in an effort to promote and maintain the highest standards of integrity, professional behavior, ethical actions, and personal conduct.

The purpose of this pact is to maintain that a degree from the Richards College of Business at the University of West Georgia is held in high regard by all internal and external constituents, and that a degree from the University of West Georgia is as meaningful in the future as it is today.

I have reviewed the information in this syllabus, and I agree to abide by the policies stated. I will conduct myself in accordance with the RCOB Wolf Pact to protect the integrity of my degree and all those others who receive a degree from the Richards College.

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Date: ______________________________________
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COURSE INFORMATION

**DESCRIPTION**
This course focuses on strategy development for marketers whose customers are other businesses, government agencies, and institutions. During the course, the wide range of topics in business-to-business marketing will be explored such as organizational buying behavior, segmenting, supply chain management, customer relationship management, product development, ecommerce, and sales management.

**PREREQUISITES**
MKTG 3803 (GPA 2.00 or above required 2.00 and College of Business Major/Minor)

**DELIVERY METHODS**
Online and final exam in class

**LEARNING GOALS**
We will build on the following learning goals throughout the term:
1) Identify and understand the industrial, marketing, and business terms and concepts that are significant within the field business-to-business marketing.

2) Understand the relationships of the key concepts in business-to-business marketing to each other and their relationship to marketing and/or business principles and practices in a global setting.

3) Demonstrate how to apply and use these concepts in marketing and/or business situations.

4) Demonstrate the preparation for entry into a career in industrial or business-to-business marketing and working effectively and comfortably in virtual teams.

Textbooks and Materials

Textbook 1
Hutt and Speh, “Business Marketing Management”, 11th edition (rent or buy)

ISBN-10: 1133189563

Course Materials
Lecture notes, videos, and article are located in CourseDen, no additional cost for students

Course Policies

CourseDen
Course is taught using CourseDen, final exam will be given in class, location and time will be announced after first week of classes

Class Technologies
MS Word, PowerPoint, Adobe

Assignments

Syllabus quiz and assessing your learning
Syllabus quiz is a mandatory quiz. You have to take it during the first week of classes and you have to receive 10/10 in order to continue in the class. You have two attempts. In the first week of classes, you will assess your own learning and studying strength and weaknesses.
Chapter/topic quizzes

You have 30 minutes to complete each quiz. Quizzes are open 1-2 weeks.

Homework (6)

You have homework (essays, short answer questions, article reviews) in six learning modules. You can work alone, pairs, or in small groups. You are encouraged to work using googledocs and virtual meetings.

Article presentation

You will create a case presentation in the randomly assigned virtual teams. Guidelines are located in CourseDen in the Orientation module.

Article presentation evaluation (individual)

Everyone evaluates all, but their own, article presentation. You will be given a survey tool to do this. You will have 7 days to watch the presentation and complete evaluation.

Grading

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A 0-100 scale will be used for all the assignments and assessments. Group evaluation is a mandatory assignment (not graded).

Course Calendar

WEEK 1, AUG 15 – 19
Module 0 Orientation to b2b marketing

Readings:
• Orientation to the B2B course presentation and orientation recording
• Read Ch1
• Video: Working in virtual teams

Assignments:

• Syllabus quiz (mandatory)
• Introduce yourself (Discussion board)
• Homework 0: Assessing your own learning and studying (Assignments)
• Contact your team and decide how to collaborate

**WEEK 2, AUG 20-26**
**Module 1 Organizational Buyer Behavior (OBB)**

Readings:

• Ch 2 and 3
• Videos: Lecture(s), videos
• Article(s)

**WEEK 3, AUGUST 27-31**
**Module 1 Organizational Buyer Behavior (OBB) cont.**

Assignments:

• Chapter quizzes: Quiz 1 (ch1&2), Quiz 2 (ch3)
• Homework 1 (Assignments, Due Aug 31)

**WEEK 4, SEP 4-9**
**Module 2 B2b Marketing in Global Markets and Performance management**

Readings:

• Chapter 5: Business marketing planning
• Chapter 6: Business Marketing for Global Markets
• Videos: Lecture(s), videos
• Articles

**WEEK 5, SEP 10-16**

Assignments:

• Chapter quizzes: Quiz 3 (ch 5 and 6)
• Homework 2
- Article presentation: Group 1 (Sep 11, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation: Group 2 (Sep 11, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation evaluation (due Sep 16, 11:59PM)

**WEEK 6, SEP 17-23**

**Module 3 Managing Products and Services for Business and R&D**

Readings:
- Chapters 7 and 9
- Articles
- Video lecture(s)

**WEEK 7, SEP 24-30**

**Module 3 Managing Products and Services for Business and R&D**

Assignments:
- Quiz 4 (ch7 and 9)
- Homework 3 (assignments)
- Article presentation: Group 3 (due Sep 25, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation Group 4 (due Sep 25, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation evaluation (due Sep 30, 11:59PM)

**WEEK 8, OCT 1-7**

**Module 4 Estimating Demand and segmenting and Performance Measurement**

Readings:
- Chapter 4: Estimating Demand and Segmentation
- Chapter 15: Performance measurement
- Video/article

**WEEK 9, OCT 8-14**

**Module 4 Estimating Demand and segmenting and Performance Measurement**

Assignments:
- Quiz 5 (ch4)
- Homework 4
- Article presentation Group 5 (due Oct 9, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation: Group 6 (due Oct 9, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation evaluation (due Oct 14, 11:59PM)
WEEK 10, OCT 15-21

Module 5 Managing Business Marketing Channels and Supply Chain Management (SCM)

Readings:
- Chapter 10
- Chapter 11
- Videos: Lecture, videos about SCM

WEEK 11, OCT 22-28

Module 5 Managing Business Marketing Channels and Supply Chain Management (SCM) cont.

Assignments:
- Quiz 6 (ch10 and 11)
- Homework 5

WEEK 12, OCT 29-NOV 4

Module 5 Managing Business Marketing Channels and Supply Chain Management (SCM) cont.

Assignments:
- Article presentation Group 5 (due Oct 30, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation: Group 6 (due Oct 30, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation evaluation (due Nov 4th, 11:59 PM)

WEEK 13, NOV 5-11

Module 6 2b Sales and Communication

Readings:
- Chapter 13 and 14
- Video lecture
- Articles

WEEK 14, NOV 12-18

Module 6 2b Sales and Communication cont.

Assignments:
- Quiz 7 (ch13 and 14)
- Homework 6
- Article presentation Group 9 (due Nov 13, 11:59PM)
- Article presentation Group 10 (due Nov 13, 11:59PM)
• Article evaluations due Dec 4, 11:59PM)

Thanksgiving break NOV19-25

WEEK 15, NOV 26-DEC2
• In class final exam, three options will be posted

WEEK 16, DEC 3-8
Assignments:
• Article presentation evaluations (due Dec 4, 11:59PM)

UNIVERSITY-WIDE SYLLABUS INFORMATION:
Please review the “Common Language for Course Syllabi” for university-wide updates. Even if you have read it before, the most current information is maintained at this site.