



UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Marketing I - 2

2223-2-E1801M043-E1801M059M-T2

Learning area

Learning objectives

The course aims to explore the role of marketing management and its interaction with other business functions; it aims also to examine the competitive dimension of marketing and the effects of globalization on marketing strategy. In fact, the growth of competitive pressures and the spread of digital technologies have significantly increased the relevance of marketing within companies.

Learning Objectives:

- Acquiring knowledge in contemporary marketing theory and practice
- Distinguishing the peculiarities of marketing and its contribution to the generation of value for the company
- Recognising impacts of globalisation on firms' marketing activities
- Understanding the basic principles of marketing planning
- Managing marketing strategies

Contents

This course has both theoretical and practical purposes: it introduces the basic theoretical principles of marketing, and provides the tools to manage the exchange between firms and customers. The first part of the course examines the main strategic decisions falling under the marketing domain. The second part of the course examines

the implementation of marketing strategies; this section mainly regards product, pricing, distribution, and communication decisions.

Detailed program

- Marketing and its Relationship with the Environment
- Global Marketing
- Strategic and Operational Marketing
- Consumer behaviour analysis
- Market Research and Marketing Research
- Segmentation, targeting and positioning
- Digital and Social Media Marketing
- Product Management in Marketing Policies
- Price Management in Marketing Policies
- Distribution Management in Marketing Policies
- Communication Management in Marketing Policies

Prerequisites

- Background in market-driven management

Teaching methods

Lectures

Assessment methods

At the end of classes, if possible in relation to the COVID emergence, a written exam will be based on the lectures' content and additional bibliographical material provided during the course. The written exam will be composed of open (explanation of topics covered in class or in the indicated bibliographic material) and closed (multiple choice) questions.

During the exam sessions, the exam will be oral and on the Textbooks and Reading Materials published on the

course page.

Textbooks and Reading Materials

Baines P., Fill C., Rosengren S., and Antonetti P., **Marketing**, Fifth Edition, Pearson, 2019 [Parti 1, 2, 3 (excluded chapters 10 e 11), 4]

Students from other Bachelor Programs (not ECOMARK) have also to study:

- Cravens, D.W., Piercy, N.F. and Prentice, A. (2000), "Developing market-driven product strategies", *Journal of Product & Brand Management*, 9(6), 369-388. <https://doi.org/10.1108/10610420010356975>
- Day, G. S. (1999). Creating a Market-Driven Organization. *MIT Sloan Management Review*, 41 (1), 11-22. https://repository.upenn.edu/marketing_papers/402
- Jaworski, B., Kohli, A. K., & Sahay, A. (2000). Market-driven versus driving markets. *Journal of the Academy of Marketing Science*, 28(1), 45-54. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0092070300281005>
- Lambin, J. J., & Chumpitaz, R. (2001). Market-Oriented and Corporate Performance. *Symphonya. Emerging Issues in Management*, (2), 23-37. <http://dx.doi.org/10.4468/2001.2.03lambin.chumpitaz>
- Tuominen, M., Rajala, A., & Möller, K. (2004). Market-driving versus market-driven: Divergent roles of market orientation in business relationships. *Industrial Marketing Management*, 33(3), 207-217. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.indmarman.2003.10.010>
- Vorhies, D. W., Harker, M., & Rao, C. P. (1999). The capabilities and performance advantages of market-driven firms, *European Journal of Marketing*, 33(11), 1171–1202. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1108/03090569910292339>

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