

# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

# **COURSE SYLLABUS**

# Planning, Fiscal & Company Consulting - 1

2223-3-E1802M123-E1802M135M-T1

#### Learning objectives

The course aims to provide students with the basic knowledge related to extraordinary business operations, corporate taxation, the determination of taxable income and the company's tax structure. The student will be able to acquire the main methodologies and techniques for the analysis of corporate transactions and taxation that are functional to the business consultancy.

#### Contents

The tax and corporate planning and consultancy module allows students to deepen the legal, accounting and tax issues related to the sale and the transfer of company, and mergers and demergers, transformation and voluntary liquidation. In addition, an analysis of transfer corporate taxation will be provided with details on the determination of business income and the taxation regime for partnerships and corporations. In consideration of the current health crisis, the effects of COVID-19 will be considered in the context of extraordinary transactions and corporate taxation.

### **Detailed program**

TAX AND CORPORATE PLANNING AND ADVICE 5 Formative credits (35 hours)

PART I - Extraordinary operations

Company sale: legal, accounting and fiscal aspects, the notion of Economic Capital

Business valuation methods (outline)

Conferment of company: legal, accounting and tax aspects

Transformation: legal, accounting and fiscal aspects

Merger: legal, accounting and tax aspects Demerging legal, accounting and tax aspects

Voluntary liquidation: legal, accounting and tax aspects

PART II - Business income Introduction to corporate taxation

The concept of tax planning (outline)

TAX ON THE INCOME OF THE COMPANIES - IRES

The qualification of business income

General principles on the determination of business income: from the statutory result to the taxable income

The national fiscal consolidation
REGIONAL TAX ON PRODUCTION ACTIVITIES - IRAP

Regulatory requirements and taxable persons

The tax base of joint-stock companies

The tax base for companies of individuals and sole proprietorships.

The deductions from the taxable amount and the determination of the tax

VALUE ADDED TAX - VAT

Subjective, objective and territorial conditions: general principles and operational details

The categories of transactions relevant for VAT purposes

Tax liability and territoriality for supplies of goods and services

Tax base, revenge and deduction

### **Prerequisites**

Passing of the Financial Accounting and Financial Statement examination

### **Teaching methods**

Sessions of frontal teaching, discussion of case studies and carrying out written exercises. Participation and discussion in the classroom on current issues will be stimulated. Some interventions will be organized with testimonies from consultants and practitioners.

#### Assessment methods

During the course two intermediate tests will be carried out by written tests. The first intermediate test will cover only a first part of the program. Those who pass the first test will have access to the second written test. Students who pass the two written tests will have direct access to the oral exam which will cover the overall program. Those who do not pass the intermediate tests, decide not to support them or do not accept the grade obtained will be able to take the exam in traditional ways.

The written exam consists of a test composed of 6 multiple choice questions (score 0, if wrong or missing, score 1, if exact), one numerical exercise (0-10 scores) and two/three open questions (score may vary from 0 to 6 and from 0 to 8). In order to pass the written exam, it is necessary to obtain a total score of 18. After passing the written test, the student will be able to access the oral exam on the overall program. For those who obtain a score equal to or greater than 21 it will be possible to validate the grade without taking the oral exam.

## **Textbooks and Reading Materials**

Confalonieri M., Trasformazione, Fusione, Conferimento, Scissione e Liquidazione delle Società, Il Sole 24 Ore, last edition or in alternative

Cristofori G., (ed.) Manuale di Finanza Straordinaria, Il Sole 24Ore, last edition

AA.VV: Contabilità e Bilancio IPSOA In Pratica, 2022 chapter on extraordinary operations

Tesauro F., Compendio di Diritto Tributario, UTET, 2018

Corbella, Liberatore, Tiscini, Corso di valutazione d'azienda McGraw Hill, Milano, 2020

Quagli A., Avallone A. D'Alauro G., Risultato aziendale e dichiarazioni fiscali, Giappichelli, 2020

Slides Accounting standards OIC Exercises Papers

#### Semester

First semester

#### **Teaching language**

Italian

#### **Sustainable Development Goals**

INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE