

MODULE SPECIFICATION PROFORMA

Module T	itle:	Organisational F Measurement	Performance		Leve	el:	6	Credit Value:	2	0
Module code:		BUS641	Is this a new module?	V F S		_	Code of module being replaced:		n/a	ì
Cost Centre: GAMG			JACS3 code:		N215					
Trimester(s) in which to be offered:			1, 2 & 3	With effect from:			mber 17			
School:	School: Business Module Leader: Dr Jan Gree				reen					
Scheduled learning and teaching hours Guided independent study Placement				33 hrs 167 hrs 0 hrs						
Module duration (total hours)					200 hrs					
BA (Hons)	Programme(s) in which to be offered Core Option BA (Hons) Performance and People Management ✓ □ BSc (Hons) Financial Technology Management □ ✓					Option				
Pre-requisites None										
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Module Aims

To explain the diverse nature, priorities and measures which contribute to organizational performance.

To demonstrate and apply gap/performance analysis, benchmarking techniques and balanced scorecard approaches as performance measures.

To provide an insight into performance models, reward and end results

Intended Learning Outcomes

Key skills for em	plovability
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KS1	Written, oral and media communication skills
KS2	Leadership, team working and networking skills
KS3	Opportunity, creativity and problem solving skills
KS4	Information technology skills and digital literacy
KS5	Information management skills
KS6	Research skills
KS7	Intercultural and sustainability skills
KS8	Career management skills
KS9	Learning to learn (managing personal and professional development, self-
	management)
KS10	Numeracy

At	the end of this module, students will be able to	Key Skills		
1		KS1	KS3	
	To interpret and comment on publicly reported organizational results relating to performance	KS4	KS5	
		KS6	KS10	
2		KS1	KS5	
	To utilise organizational performance data in order to anticipate and act on future levels of performance	KS3	KS9	
		KS4	KS10	
3		KS1	KS5	
	To apply gap/performance analysis as a foundation from which to improve organizational performance	KS3	KS6	
		KS4	KS9	
	To identify a high performing organization and ways in which practices contributing to performance could be used as	KS1	KS5	
4		KS3	KS7	
	benchmarks in a wider business/management sphere	KS4	KS9	

Transferable/key skills and other attributes



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Derogations	
None	

Assessment:

Assessment 1: Portfolio consisting of contemporary sources where reference is made to organizational performance, such as half-yearly and end of year results which indicate trends and make predictions, with the emphasis being on quantitative data, with a supporting analysis

Assessment 2: Essay based on benchmarking techniques where the focus is on the performance of people and supporting qualitative managerial interventions

Assessment number	Learning Outcomes to be met	Type of assessment	Weighting (%)	Duration (if exam)	Word count (or equivalent if appropriate)
1	1, 2	Portfolio	50%		2000
2	3, 4	Essay	50%		2000

Learning and Teaching Strategies:

An interactive approach to learning will be adopted to provide a blend of academic theory and business application to reinforce learning. The scope of the subject provides a natural divide in the module to cover quantitative and financial performance measures and qualitative approaches where the emphasis is on people performance, these topics attract significant attention and provide an ongoing source of case study material to substantiate learning in a progressive manner. Individual contributions will be encouraged throughout modular delivery together with the use of real time material of relevance to the modular topic.

Syllabus outline:

Performance Measurement and Analysis Performance Processes and Profitability Performance Models The Shelf Life of Information Gap/Cause Analysis

Performance Development

Benchmarking

Kaplan Norton Scorecard



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Bibliography:

Essential reading

Anguinis, H. (2013) Performance Management, 3rdEdn., Pearson Education, Harlow Smith, M. (2005) Performance Measurement and Management, Sage Publications, London.

Other indicative reading

Bogetoft, P. (2012) Performance Benchmarking, Springer

Fusch, G. and Gillespie, R. (2014) *Practical Approaches to Performance Interventions and Analysis*, Pearson Education, Harlow.

Hutchinson, S. (2013) Performance Management: Theory and Practice, McGraw Hill

Kaplan, R.S. and Norton, D.P. (1996) *The Balanced Scorecard*, Harvard Business School Press

Journals

Benchmarking: An International Journal International Journal of Operations and Production Management Performance Improvement

The TQM Journal

Websites:

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