## **COURSE OUTLINE**

## (1) General information

|   | STUDIES  | ECONOMICS, BUSINESS AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES |         |  |
|---|--|---|---------|--|
| DEPARTMENT  | TOURISM STUDIES  |   |         |  |
| LEVEL OF STUDY  | UNDERGRADUATE  |   |         |  |
| COURSE UNIT CODE  | TSK515   | 6 <sup>th</sup> or 8 <sup>th</sup>            |         |  |
| COURSE TITLE  | LEGAL ISSUES OF E-COMMERCE                                 |   |         |  |
| INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES                           |  |   |         |  |
| in case credits are awarded for separate components/parts |  | WEEKLY  |         |  |
| of the course, e.g. in lectures, lab                      | oratory exercises, etc. If TEACHNG CREDITS                 |   | CREDITS |  |
| -   | credits are awarded for the entire course, give the weekly |   |         |  |
| teaching hours and the total credits                      |  |   |         |  |
|   | Lectures   | 3   | 6       |  |
| Add rows if necessary. The organization of teaching and   |  |   |         |  |
| the teaching methods used are described in detail under   |  |   |         |  |
| section 4   |  |   |         |  |
| COURSE TYPE   | General Knowledge  |   |         |  |
| Background knowledge,                                     |  |   |         |  |
| Scientific expertise,                                     |  |   |         |  |
| General Knowledge,  |  |   |         |  |
| Skills Development  |  |   |         |  |
| PREREQUISITE COURSES:                                     | No   |   |         |  |
|   | Greek  |   |         |  |
| LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION:                                  |  |   |         |  |
| LANGUAGE OF   |  |   |         |  |
| EXAMINATION/ASSESSMENT:                                   |  |   |         |  |
|   | V  |   |         |  |
| THE COURSE IS OFFERED TO                                  | Yes  |   |         |  |
| ERASMUS STUDENTS  |  |   |         |  |
| COURSE WEBSITE (URL)                                      |  |   |         |  |
|   |  |   |         |  |

# (2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

# **Learning Outcomes**

The course learning outcomes, specific knowledge, skills and competences of an appropriate (certain) level, which students will acquire upon successful completion of the course, are described in detail.

It is necessary to consult:

# **APPENDIX A**

- Description of the level of learning outcomes for each level of study, in accordance with the European Higher Education Qualifications' Framework.
- Descriptive indicators for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for

Lifelong Learning and

#### **APPENDIX B**

• Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes

## **General Competences**

Taking into consideration the general competences that students/graduates must acquire (as those are described in the Diploma Supplement and are mentioned below), at which of the following does the course attendance aim?

Search for, analysis and synthesis of data Critical thinking.

and information by the use of Development of free, creative and inductive

appropriate technologies. thinking.

Individual/Independent work. Spiritual freedom, social awareness, altruism

Decision making. etc

*Introduction of innovative research.* 

#### (3) COURSE CONTENT

- The concept of e-commerce. E-Commerce and internet. The economic dimension of e-commerce. The issue of domain names. European Union legislative initiatives on ecommerce, in particular the Directives on: a) "e-commerce", b) "electronic signatures".
- The harmonized Greek Law, namely: Presidential Decree 131/03 for electronic commerce, and Presidential Decree 150/00 for electronic signatures.
- The concept of the consumer and the reasons for its protection. The protection of the "electronic consumer".
- Consumer protection law within the European Union.
- Contracts concluded remotely via the internet and obligation for information to the consumer.
- The role of "self-regulation". The Consumer Code of Ethics for E-Commerce. Issues of Private International Law and applicable law in e-transactions.
- The protection of the individual from the processing of personal data in the context of e-commerce.
- Greek, European and International tourism law.
- Protecting of the tourist / Emerging legal issues from cancellations of air tickets and packages due to the pandemic.
- The protection of the air transport passenger.
- Package travel, click-through packages and linked travel arrangements. The package

tour.

• The accommodation contract and the hotel contract.

# (4) TEACHING METHODS--ASSESSMENT

| MODES OF DELIVERY  | Face-to-face   |                   |  |
|--|--|-------------------|--|
|  | race-to-race   |                   |  |
| Face-to-face, in-class lecturing, distance teaching and distance                             |  |                   |  |
| learning etc.  |  |                   |  |
| USE OF INFORMATION AND   | Use of ICT in teaching   |                   |  |
| COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY   | Use of ICT in teaching: - Educational videos related to the content of the |                   |  |
|  |  |                   |  |
| Use of ICT in teaching, Laboratory   | course)  |                   |  |
| Education, Communication with students   | - Internet for searching information in the context of                     |                   |  |
| students   | assessment (inside and outside the class)                                  |                   |  |
|  | Use of ICT in communication with students:                                 |                   |  |
|  | - Online Platform of the course (messages,                                 |                   |  |
|  | announcements, posting of relevant course material,                        |                   |  |
|  | submission of assignments, exercises, case study)                          |                   |  |
|  | - Exchange of e-mails  |                   |  |
|  |  |                   |  |
|  |  |                   |  |
| COURSE DESIGN  |  |                   |  |
| Description of teaching  |  |                   |  |
| techniques, practices and  | Activity/Method  | Semester workload |  |
| methods:   | Lectures, Interactive  | Semester Workload |  |
| Lectures, seminars, laboratory   | teaching, videos,  |                   |  |
| practice, fieldwork, study and   | tutorials, audio,  | 39                |  |
| analysis of bibliography, tutorials,   | educational visits etc.  |                   |  |
| Internship, Art Workshop,  | Case studies   | 4                 |  |
| Interactive teaching, Educational visits, projects, Essay writing, Artistic creativity, etc. | Essay writing  | 30                |  |
|  | Projects   | 5                 |  |
|  | Questionnaires of self-  | 4                 |  |
|  | evaluation   |                   |  |
| The study hours for each learning  | Study and analysis of  |                   |  |
| activity as well as the hours of   | bibliography   | 75                |  |
| self-directed study are given  | Total  | 175               |  |
| following the principles of the ECTS.  |  |                   |  |
| LCI3.  |  |                   |  |
|  |  |                   |  |
| STUDENT PERFORMANCE  |  |                   |  |
| EVALUATION/ASSESSMENT  | Language of evaluation: Greek  |                   |  |
| METHODS  | Language of evaluation. Greek  |                   |  |
| Detailed description of the  | Students are assessed by a written final exam. The exam                    |                   |  |
| evaluation procedures:   | material is announced in the e-class, in the classroom                     |                   |  |
|  | and in the expanded course outline, at the beginning of                    |                   |  |
| Language of evaluation,  | the year. The written examination includes the                             |                   |  |
| assessment methods, formative or   | following assessment methods:  |                   |  |
| summative (conclusive), multiple   | -Development questions   |                   |  |

choice tests, short- answer questions, open-ended questions, problem solving, written work, essay/report, oral exam, presentation, laboratory work, other.....etc.

Specifically defined evaluation criteria are stated, as well as if and where they are accessible by the students.

-Problem solving

(It is possible to take oral exams for those students who fall into specific categories and cannot be examined in writing, after informing the secretariat and the instructor and presenting the necessary documents).

Although the exam is 100% of the final grade, the final grade can be improved by taking:

- Written individual or group work (up to 2 people) on suggested topics up to 2 points

Students are informed about the assessment process through the online learning support platform (e-class), as well as in the classroom by the instructor, and are also given examples of how to take exams throughout the year.

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