# **COURSE OUTLINE**

# (1) GENERAL

SCHOOL	School of Engineering				
ACADEMIC UNIT	Department of Financial and Management Engineering				
LEVEL OF STUDIES	7				
COURSE CODE	II.10	SEMESTER B'			
COURSE TITLE	Public Economics / Economic and Fiscal Policy				
if credits are awarded for separate cor lectures, laboratory exercises, etc. If the	INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES  f credits are awarded for separate components of the course, e.g. ctures, laboratory exercises, etc. If the credits are awarded for the le of the course, give the weekly teaching hours and the total credits				CREDITS
		·	3		10
Add rows if necessary. The organisation of teaching and the teaching methods used are described in detail at (d).					
COURSE TYPE general background, special background, specialised general knowledge, skills development	Choice Oblig	atory			
PREREQUISITE COURSES:	No				
LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION and EXAMINATIONS:	Greek				
IS THE COURSE OFFERED TO ERASMUS STUDENTS	No				
COURSE WEBSITE (URL)					

# (2) LEARNING OUTCOMES

## Learning outcomes

The course learning outcomes, specific knowledge, skills and competences of an appropriate level, which the students will acquire with the successful completion of the course are described.

Consult Appendix A

- Description of the level of learning outcomes for each qualifications cycle, according to the Qualifications Framework of the European Higher Education Area
- Descriptors for Levels 6, 7 & 8 of the European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning and Appendix B
- Guidelines for writing Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of the course students will be able to:

- To analyze the fiscal position of states
- Explain the occurrence of deficits/surpluses and understand their implications,
- To understand the emergence of economic crises,
- Understand the dimensions of the state's fiscal and tax policy

#### **General Competences**

Taking into consideration the general competences that the degree-holder must acquire (as these appear in the Diploma Supplement and appear below), at which of the following does the course aim?

Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, Project planning and management

with the use of the necessary technology

Adapting to new situations Decision-making

Working independently

Team work Working in an international environment

Working in an interdisciplinary environment

Production of new research ideas

Respect for difference and multiculturalism Respect for the natural environment

Showing social, professional and ethical responsibility and

sensitivity to gender issues Criticism and self-criticism

Production of free, creative and inductive thinking

Others...

Search for, analysis and synthesis of data and information, with the use of the necessary technology

Adapting to new situations

**Decision-making** 

Working independently

Team work

Working in an international environment

Working in an interdisciplinary environment

Production of new research ideas

Criticism and self-criticism

Production of free, creative and inductive thinking

## (3) SYLLABUS

## **Course Contents**

- 1. Changes in the economic stability
- 2. Government price controls
- 3. Taxes
- 4. Key Macroeconomic Figures
- 5. Fiscal Policy
- 6. Money, Banks and Central Bank
- 7. Monetary policy and interest rate
- 8. The economic crises and their consequences
- 9. Case study: The financial crisis in Greece
- 10. Case Study: Fiscal governance in the Eurozone and the crisis

#### (4) TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - EVALUATION

DELIVERY				
Face-to-face, Distance learning, etc.				
USE OF INFORMATION AND	Use of ICT in teaching and communication with students			
COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY				
Use of ICT in teaching, laboratory education, communication with students				
TEACHING METHODS	Activity	Semester workload		
The manner and methods of teaching are described in detail. Lectures, seminars, laboratory practice, fieldwork, study and analysis of bibliography, tutorials, placements, clinical practice, art workshop, interactive teaching, educational visits, project, essay writing, artistic creativity, etc.  The student's study hours for each learning activity are given as well as the hours of non-directed study according to the principles of the ECTS	Lectures	30		
	Literature study	90		
	Elaboration of group	30		
	work (Project)			
	Study and presentation	10		
	of individual work			
	Unsupervised study	87		
	Exams	3		
	Course total	250		
STUDENT PERFORMANCE EVALUATION				
Description of the evaluation procedure	Method of assessment and evaluation:			
Language of evaluation, methods of evaluation,				
summative or conclusive, multiple choice				
questionnaires, short-answer questions, open- ended questions, problem solving, written work,				
essay/report, oral examination, public				
presentation, laboratory work, clinical				
examination of patient, art interpretation, other				
Specifically-defined evaluation criteria are given,				
and if and where they are accessible to students.				

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