



APPLIES TO ACADEMIC YEAR 2013/2014

BST 1703 Supply Chain Management - Logistics Management

Programme

Bachelor of Business Administration (3. year), Bachelor of Marketing (3. year), Elective

Responsible for the course

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Term

According to study plan

ECTS Credits

15

Language of instruction

Norwegian

Introduction

This course will, in combination with BTH 1704 Bachelor in Logistic Leadership and Supply Chain Management (15 study points) provide specialization in the subject to the value of 30 credits. This course is suitable for students at Bachelor level in marketing, economics and administration. Other students can participate in the third year of the course.

Specialization provides students with leadership orientated knowledge as well as an understanding of the developments and leadership issues in supply chains and internal business logistics. Students will learn the physical and administrative processes surrounding the acquisition, handling, storage, planning, production, transportation and delivery of goods and services in a way which fulfills the customers need for service in a cost effective manner.

Learning outcome

- Acquired basic knowledge about procurement and its significance for the business as a whole
- Acquired knowledge of transportation finance and the significance of different transportation methods to the customer
- Learned to calculate and optimize costs connected with , transportation and production
- Developed an understanding of how different logistical solutions affect the delivery process.
- Acquired an understanding of how the integration of supply chains will reduce costs.

Acquired Knowledge

After completed course students should have:

Acquired Skills

After completed course students should be able to.

- Make the right decisions to make a good purchase
- Analyse the transportation costs and know what transport should cost
- Anticipate and make production plans.

Further Objectives

- Students will achieve an understanding of how different logistical solutions affect the environment
- Students shall be made aware of potential ethical challenges

Prerequisites

The course requires 2 years high school education in economics, administration and marketing or the equivalent.

Compulsory reading

Books:

Brynhildsvoll, Ivar. 2011. Prinsipper for bedre innkjøp. 2. utg. Fagbokforlaget
Grønland, Stein Erik. 2010. Logistikkledelse. 4. utg. Cappelen akademisk. 360
Jonsson, Patrik. 2008. Logistics and supply chain management. McGraw-Hill. 479/17

Other:

Eirill Bø og Stein Erik Grønland. 2010. Kan transporttetter spørsmål og miljøbelastning reduseres ved økt integrering av forsyningskjedene?. 1. 100. Dette er en utredning for Vegdirektoratet som omhandler transport og integrering av forsyningskjeden, legges i pdf på Itslearning

Recommended reading

Course outline

- The purchasing process
- Segmenting of suppliers
- What purchasing means for the company
- Purchasing negotiations

- The structure of the transport market
- Transport and the environment
- Transport pricing
- Route planning

- Distribution Planning
- Storage Optimization
- Production Planning

Purchasing

Transport

Operations Management

Computer-based tools

Excel spreadsheets will be used for calculations.

Learning process and workload

The course consists of 90 hours of lectures. The lectures include case studies which are relevant to the exam.

During the semester students will take a variety of multiple choice tests on procurement, transportation and leadership

Recommended use of hours:

Activity	Hours
Participation in class 12 days á 7.5 hours	90
Preparing for the lecture / reading literature	120
Case Work	100
Exercises	30
Multiple choice tests	60
Total	400

BI Distant Learning

The software It's Learning will be used to publish information, exercises and digital learning resources. In this way students are also given the opportunity to communicate with tutors and colleagues over the net. Intensive study periods take place at the beginning of the semester and prior to exams.

Recommended use of hours:

Activity	Hours
Participation in class 6 days á 8 hours	48
Preparing for the lecture / reading literature	135
Case Work	100
Exercises	67
Multiple choice tests	60
Total	400

Use of hours

Examination

A five hours individual examination concludes the course.

Examination code(s)

BST 17031 - Written examination, counts 100% to obtain final grade in BST 1703 Supply Chain Management - Logistics Management, 15 credits.

Examination support materials

BI-defined exam calculator, TEXAS INSTRUMENTS BA II Plus™ or a simple calculator are allowed.

Examination support materials are specified under examination information in our web-based Student Handbook. Please note the use of calculator and dictionary. https://at.bi.no/EN/Pages/Exa_Hjelpemidler-til-eksamen.aspx

Re-sit examination

Re-sit examination is offered at next scheduled course.

Additional information