

Salahaddin University-Erbil

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# Module Handbook for Entrepreneurship Education

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# **Module Handbook**

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<b>Module Credits</b>	4
Teaching hours (per week)	2
Programme for which module is offered	BA in English language/ Social Sciences/ Kindergarten/ Arabic language/ Kurdish language Bsc. in Maths, General Science
Module Length	8 months (30 weeks)
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#### 1. Module content

This module attempts to prepare future teachers in a way to develop their entrepreneurial skills in order to well prepare themselves for future real-life challenges and market needs and requirements. This paves the way to be able to familiarise pupils on such entrepreneurship concepts, its importance, life challenges, etc.

#### 2. Module objectives

The objectives of this module are to give invaluable, up-to-date information over entrepreneurship education, and the characteristics and skills of an entrepreneur. It also introduces the students to the needs and requirements of the market; and most importantly it prepares future teachers on how to develop their potential students' life skills.

#### 3. Learning outcomes

On successful completion of this module, the students are expected to be able to:

- First and foremost, prepare their students to recognize how people live and work in a community, and concurrently be able to tackle real life challenges, as well as they would also possess and develop entrepreneurial characteristics and skills;
- Understand the importance of entrepreneurship education;
- Be familiar with the labour market;
- Have needs and requirements of the current market;
- Tackle the challenges that face them in the labour market;
- Manage small projects;
- Identify and solve problems;
- And attract people interest and being able to negotiate

#### 4. Forms of Teaching

There will be seminars and few lectures, 2 hours per week, for 30 weeks. There will also be pair/group presentations, as well as there will be discussions on some relevant video materials.

Moreover, a number of successful entrepreneurs will be invited to give seminars and workshops in the field. In addition to this, some student visits will be arranged to companies and factories.

#### 5. Assessment scheme

In this module, students are assessed several times to ensure the quality of learning as follows:

Daily participation 5 marks
 Assignments 5 marks
 Progress report 5 marks
 Monthly exam 20 marks
 Student Market Day 15 marks
 Reflective report 10 marks

• Final exam & project report 60 marks (40 and 20 respectively)

#### 6. Reading List

- Entrepreneurial Training, "Owning your Future": a hand out prepared by Jacqueline Peters-Richardon

- Lackeus, M. (2015) Entrepreneurship in Education: what, why, when and how.
- Smith, K. & Petersen, L. (2006) what is Educational entrepreneurship?
- OCED (2014) Creative problem solving: student's skills in tracking real-life problems, PISA, OECD Publishing.
- Hatak, I. & Reiner, E. (n.d.) Entrepreneurship Education in Secondary Schools: education systems, teaching methods, and best practice, Institute for Small Business Management & Entrepreneurship, WU Vienna University of Economics and Business

### 7. Module topics (Syllabus)

Week no.	Topics	Notes
1	Entrepreneurship: concepts, importance of the module	
2	- Types of entrepreneurship - Entrepreneurship mindset	
3	- Rewards & Risks - Characteristics of a successful entrepreneur:	
4 & 5	Teamwork skill Activity 1: brainstorming business ideas in groups	
6 & 7	Student Company  - Business Plan - Company departments - Minutes	
8	Activity 2: Building a tower	
9-11	Skills of a successful entrepreneur:  A. Personal Skills  1. Positive attitude: staying optimistic, motivated & energetic  2. Initiative: willingness, ability & action	

	3. Passion		
	4. Critical Thinking		
	5. Self-confidence		
	6. Problem-solving: identify, imagine & then decide		
12-15	B. Interpersonal Skills		
	1. Teamwork		
	2. Communication and Negotiation		
	3. Leadership		
16-18	C. Business Skills		
	1. Financial Literacy (costs, income, profit & loss, business card, invoicing, rates sheet)		
	2. Planning & Management		
	3. Marketing (product service & design)		
	4. Networking		
	5. Ethical Issues:		
19	Product/service design & preparations		
20	Student Market Day		

## 9. Exam & task samples

• Imagine that you have got a great entrepreneurial idea to develop it. So what are the steps you have to take to develop and implement it?

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- Have you ever dreamt of starting your own business? If yes what kind/type of business and describe it? If No, why not?
- What would be the best or worst thing about owning your business?
- What is the difference between a businessman and an entrepreneur?