Study program: Information Technology

Course title: INNOVATIVE BUSINESS MODELS

Teacher(s): Jasmina Vesić Vasović

Course status: mandatory Number of ECTS credits: 6

Prerequisite courses: none

Course objectives

Introducing students to the latest trends in business models in a dynamic environment. Acquisition of new, advanced and holistic knowledge and competencies in the field of innovative business models based on digital technologies. Mastering advanced concepts and approaches for understanding, analyzing, innovating, and developing business models in various areas of business.

Learning outcomes

After completing the course, the student: knows advanced approaches in the field of innovative business models; understands the importance of business models for creating value and launching successful ventures in a dynamic environment; analyzes and critically considers different approaches to business models; analyzes the existing business model, evaluates the effects and identifies opportunities for improvement and innovation with the help of digital technologies; thinks holistically and creatively about the possibilities of developing innovative business models in various business areas; is qualified to apply acquired knowledge in the domains of analysis, improvement and design of business models.

Content of the course

Theoretical teaching

Business model as a concept. Basic elements of the business model. Types of business models. Dynamic environment of business models. Business models and strategy. Competitive strategy. Innovative strategy. Value chain. Technological, social, and organizational aspects of changing business models. The impact of digital technologies on the creation of knowledge and the development of innovative business models. Innovating business models. The process of structuring business models. Methodologies for describing, analyzing, and designing business models. Value creation and assessment, development of customer segments and relationships, key resources, activities and processes, cost structure. Development and improvement of the framework for generating business models. LeanStartup methodology. Disruptive innovations. Evaluation of business models. Forms of financing business models and ecosystems. Case studies of successful business models in various areas of business.

Practical teaching

Mastering the basics of designing business models. Application of specific approaches for designing business models, introducing to the elements of a business model; use of tools for generating business models – Business Model Canvas/Lean Canvas. Analysis, design, presentation of business models of innovative and sustainable enterprises in a dynamic environment.

Literature

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Number of active teaching classes: 4	Theoretical teaching: 2	Practical teaching: 2
Teaching methods		

Lectures are conducted according to the model of interactive teaching with the presentation of teaching content, discussion and analysis of case studies. Practices are performed using a combination of the classical method and interactive participation of students through the analysis of cases from practice, solving of specifically structured task, exchange of ideas and knowledge through group discussion, mentoring and team work on the preparation of a seminar paper on a defined topic within framework of the content of the course. The exam is taken in writing and/or orally.

Evaluation of knowledge (maximum number of points 100)				
Pre-exam obligations	Points	Final exam	Points	
Activity during lectures	5	Written exam	20	
Practical lecturing	5	Oral exam	10	
Colloquium-s	30			
Seminar-s	30			