



ME2043 Leadership in Cross-Cultural Context 6,0 hp

Leadership in Cross-Cultural Context

När kurs inte längre ges har student möjlighet att examineras under ytterligare två läsår.

Fastställande

Kursplan för ME2043 gäller från och med HT07

Betygsskala

A, B, C, D, E, FX, F

Utbildningsnivå

Avancerad nivå

Huvudområden

Industriell ekonomi

Särskild behörighet

Basic course in Industrial Management, Project Management or Operations Management or equivalent. The course is to a large extent based on an experiential learning approach including group exercises and discussions. Therefore, good proficiency in English is a requirement. The examiner of the course holds the right to refuse student with poor knowledge in English to participate in the course.

Undervisningsspråk

Undervisningsspråk anges i kurstillfällesinformationen i kurs- och programkatalogen.

Lärandemål

The aim of the course in Leadership in Cross-Cultural Context is to prepare the student for a role as a leader of personnel by providing insight into leadership theory, group dynamics and cross-cultural management. Special attention is given to leadership in cross-cultural context in technology-based settings.

After the course You should be able to:

- Describe what leadership and effective leadership is.
- Distinguish between leadership and management
- Present selected theories related to leadership on individual, dyadic, group and organizational level
- Have knowledge about motivation theories and their implications for leadership
- Describe theories of group dynamics and team roles
- Have knowledge about national stereotypes and cross-cultural management challenges
- Have knowledge about organizational theory and organizational principles and their impact on leadership

Kursinnehåll

The course is based on an experiential, as well as blended, learning approach meaning a combination of theoretical studies and practical skill developing exercises. A prerequisite for attending the course is that the student has basic knowledge in industrial management or project management or organization theory.

Kurslitteratur

Yukl, G. Leadership in Organizations. Sixth edition. Prentice Hall. (2006).

Machiavelli, N. The Prince.

Collection of articles

Examination

- SEM1 - Seminars, 3,0 hp, betygsskala: P, F
- TEN1 - Examination, 3,0 hp, betygsskala: A, B, C, D, E, FX, F

Examinator beslutar, baserat på rekommendation från KTH:s handläggare av stöd till studenter med funktionsnedsättning, om eventuell anpassad examination för studenter med dokumenterad, varaktig funktionsnedsättning.

Examinator får medge annan examinationsform vid omexamination av enstaka studenter.

Övriga krav för slutbetyg

Full participation in lectures, exercise and seminars. Written examination (TEN2; 2cr), seminars (SEM1; 2cr).

Etiskt förhållningssätt

- Vid grupparbete har alla i gruppen ansvar för gruppens arbete.
- Vid examination ska varje student ärligt redovisa hjälp som erhållits och källor som använts.
- Vid muntlig examination ska varje student kunna redogöra för hela uppgiften och hela lösningen.