COURSE LAYOUT

1. GENERAL

I. OLIVLIAL				
SCHOOL	APPLIED ECONOMICS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES			
DEPARTMENT	AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS & RURAL DEVELOPMENT			
STUDY LEVEL	Undergraduate			
COURSE CODE	996	SEMESTER 5 th		
COURSE TITLE	Marketing OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS			
INDEPENDENT TEACHING ACTIVITIES		WEEKLY TEACHING HOURS	ECTS	
Lectures			5	5
COURSE TYPE	Scientific area			
PREREQUISITES				
LANGUAGE	Greek and English			
IS THE COURSE OFFERED for	YES			
ERASMUS STUDENTS?				
COURSE WEB PAGE	https://mediasrv.aua.gr/eclass/courses/COMCOUR118/			

2. LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning Outcomes

This course is the main introductory course in the concepts of Marketing of Agricultural Products and Food. It deals with issues of traditional Marketing of Agricultural Products and Food, but it takes into consideration the ways in which the process of Marketing of Agricultural Products and Food has changed the last decades. Furthermore, the course highlights the role of Marketing in the markets of agricultural products and food by presenting current trends and marketing applications in these markets. Upon successful completion of the course the student will be able to understand:

- the basic concepts of Agricultural Products and Food Marketing
- the process and levels of planning of Agricultural Products and Food Marketing
- how Marketing Research is done
- the importance of knowing consumer behavior
- the definition of market segmentation criteria, ways of selecting the target market and product positioning in the mind of the consumer
- what is a product, product classification, brand, and product packaging
- the concept of price, selling price, pricing strategies and tactics and external factors that affect the price
- how futures and options markets work
- the purpose of the distribution system and the main market players, including wholesalers and retailers
- the marketing mix as a means of communication, the communication process and the elements of the promotion mix and how it is selected
- the transformation of the Marketing strategy into a Marketing activity in the agricultural products and food business
- The process of evaluating the Marketing results that arise in the agri-food business

General competences

- Decision-making
- Individual/Independent work
- Group/Team work

3. COURSE CONTENT

- Introduction to Agricultural Products and Food Marketing
- Analysis of Agricultural Products and Food Marketing planning
- Marketing Research
- Consumer buying behavior
- Market segmentation and product positioning (placement)
- Product strategy
- Pricing strategy and pricing systems
- Price management through futures and options markets
- Distribution system strategy
- Communication and promotion strategy
- Implementation of Agricultural Products and Food Marketing program
- Agricultural Products and Food Marketing Results

4. TEACHING and LEARNING METHODS - Evaluation

TO TENTINE CITY ED WITHING THE THOUSE ENGLACION					
TEACHING METHOD	In class				
USE OF INFORMATICS and COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES	Power-Point slides				
	 Communication with students using e-class and email 				
TEACHING ORGANISATION	Activity	Work Load			
	Lectures 60				
	Study at home	65			
	Course total				
	(25 hours of student work	125			
	load per ECTS)				
STUDENTS EVALUATION	Written final exams (100%) including:				
	 Multiple choice questions 				

5. **BILBIOGRAPHY**

Suggested:

- Perreault W (2011) BASIC MARKETING: A Marketing Strategy Planning Approach, 9th Edition.
 Publishers: BROKEN HILL PUBLISHERS LTD
- Norwood B., Lusk J. (2012) Agricultural Marketing and Price Analysis. Publishers: BROKEN HILL PUBLISHERS LTD
- G. Pertrof, K. and A. Tzortzaki (2002) Marketing Management. Publishers: ROSILI ΕΜΠΟΡΙΚΗ
 ΕΚΔΟΤΙΚΗ Μ.ΕΠΕ

Scientific journals:

- Journal of International Food and Agribusiness Marketing
- European Review of Agricultural Economics
- Journal of Agricultural Economics
- American Journal of Agricultural Economics
- Agricultural Economics
- Australian Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics