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Contemporary management and leadership 781 (OBS 781)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences
Module credits	20.00
Programmes	Postgraduate Diploma Option: Integrated Reporting
Prerequisites	OBS 320
Contact time	1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Business Management
Period of presentation	Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

Objective of the module:

The purpose of the module is to develop the management and leadership skills of students so that they can make effective decisions where amongst others; ethics, motivation, innovation and change aspects of a typical business enterprise are concerned.

Study themes:

- Managers and managing;
- Ethics, social responsibility and diversity;
- The manager as decision maker;
- The manager as a planner and strategist;
- Managing organisational structure;
- Organisational control and culture;
- The manager as a person;
- Motivation;
- Leadership;
- Groups and teams and
- Communication.

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