Course nur	nber	U-LAS51 10019 SE48											
	Business Thinking-E3 Business Thinking-E3						Instructor's name, job title, and department of affiliation			Graduate School of Management Professor, WILLIAM BABER			
Group Career Development						Field(Classification)			International Communication				
Language of instruction	Englis	glish				Old group				Number of cre		redits	2
Number of weekly time blocks	1		I Class sivic		Semina (Face-	minar ace-to-face course)			Year/semesters		2024 • First semester		
Days and periods Wed							d year students or above		Eligible students		For all majors		

[Overview and purpose of the course]

This course teaches some core approaches to thinking about business: understanding quality; understanding user reactions to products; understanding business models; and so on.

[Course objectives]

Students will learn about these basic concepts - they will be discussed and handled at a level appropriate to the knowledge and language skills of the class.

- defining and communicating quality
- understanding business processes
- understanding business models with Business Model Canvas

[Course schedule and contents)]

Week 1-3: Criteria for evaluating and communicating about quality

Week 4-6: Business Process Mapping

Week 7-10: Business Model Canvas

Week 11-13: Business structures

Week 14: In class presentations and course summary

[Course requirements]

None

[Evaluation methods and policy]

Strong English speaking skills will be necessary. Students are expected to work in small groups in English weekly, and to make presentations to the class at least three times in the semester.

[Textbooks]

Materials will be provided by the professor.

[References, etc.]

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[Study outside of class (preparation and review)]

Some projects will require work at home or outside of the classroom to collect information about businesses and products in Kyoto.

[Other information (office hours, etc.)]

office hours: Monday and Friday afternoons by appointment.