# MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND SCIENCE OF UKRAINE SUMY NATIONAL AGRARIAN UNIVERSITY

# **Cybernetics and Informatics Department Faculty of Economics and Management**

#### **MODULE SYLLABUS**

# Economic Informatics and empirical and social research' methods (compulsory)

Implemented in the "\_Administrative Management" Academic Program

Area of specialization \_073 "Management"

at the second (master's) level of higher education

| Module syllabus agreed at<br>the Cybernetics and | Minutes No _16 date                                  | Minutes No _16 dated June_6_ 2023 |                  |  |  |  |
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| Informatics Department meeting                   | Head of Cybernetics<br>and Informatics<br>Department | Theagree                          | (S. Ahadzhanova) |  |  |  |
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| Approved by:                                  | 11,                  |                      |
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| The   | The Academic   | Changes revised and approved                  |                    |  |
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# 1. MODULE OVERVIEW

| 1.  | Title   | Economic methods  | e Informatics  | and                 | empirica   | al and social research'   |
|-----|---|---|----------------|---------------------|------------|---|
| 2.  | Faculty/Department  | Economic  | es and Manage  | ement               |            |   |
| 3.  | Type (compulsory or optional)   | compulso  | ry             |                     |            |   |
| 4.  | Program(s) to which<br>module is attached (to be<br>filled in for compulsory<br>types)          | Administr   | rative manage  | ment/ 0°            | 73 Mana    | gement  |
| 5.  | Module can be suggested for (to be filled in for optional types)                                |   |                |                     |            |   |
| 6.  | Level of the National<br>Qualifications<br>Framework  | 7-th  |                |                     |            |   |
| 7.  | Semester and duration of module   | 1 semeste   | er, 1-15 weeks |                     |            |   |
| 8.  | ECTS credits number   | 5-th  |                |                     |            |   |
| 9.  | Total workload and time   | Directed study Self-directed study  |                |                     |            |   |
|     | allotment   | Lectures  | Practicals     | Labs                |            |   |
|     |   | 14  | 16             |                     |            | 120   |
| 10. | Language of instruction   | english   |                |                     |            |   |
| 11. | Module leader   | Svitlana A  | Ahadzhanova,   | Associa             | ated Pofe  | essor, Ph.D   |
| 12. | Module leader contact information   | svitlana.ah   | nadzhanova@sr  | ıau.edu.u           | ıa; room   | 307e.   |
| 13. | Module description  | The course "Economic Informatics" highlights the main principles and methods of applying modern information technologies in solving economic problems. The purpose of the course is to form in future professionals the necessary level of information and computer culture, the acquisition of practical skills in PC and the use of modern information technology to solve various problems in the process of learning and working in the specialty. The acquired skills of working on a personal computer with an operating system and major software packages such as MS Word, MS Power Point, MS Excel and online systems will enhance the performance of the tasks by future specialists. |                |                     |            |   |
| 14. | Module aim  | To get theoretical and practice knowledge of modern information technology, which will give the opportunity to work on a personal computer, rapidly and properly solve the problem for future profile specialty.  |                |                     |            |   |
| 15. | Module Dependencies (prerequisites, corequisites, incompatible modules)  The policy of academic | 1. The educational component is based on educational component Informatics and computer technologies, Mathematical Programming.  2. The educational component is the basis for the following educational component – Business Management.  The student must follow the rules of academic integrity during   |                |                     |            |   |
| 10. | integrity   | the perfo   | rming practic  | al work<br>s. If th | x, writing | g essays, attestation, test<br>of write-off or academic<br>done by the student is |

|    |                | canceled.  |
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| 17 | Link in Moodle | https://cdn.snau.edu.ua/moodle/course/view.php?id=3908 |

# 2. CORRELATION BETWEEN MODULE LEARNING OUTCOMES (MLOs) AND PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES (PLOs)

| MLOs:   |  | PLOs   | How assessed                              |
|---|--|--|---|
| On successful completion of the module the learner will be able to:   | PLO 1. Critically comprehend, select and use the necessary scientific, methodical and analytical tools for management in unpredictable conditions. | PLO 8 Apply specialized software and information systems for solving problems of organization management |   |
| MLOs 1.Ability to abstract thinking, analysis and synthesis.  | +  |  | Calculation tasks, multiple choice tests, |
| MLOs 2. Ability to apply conceptual and basic knowledge, understanding the subject area and the profession of manager.                        |  | +  | Calculation tasks, multiple choice tests, |
| MLOs 3. Skills in the use of information and communication technologies to search, process, analyze and use information from various sources. |  | +  | Calculation tasks, multiple choice tests, |
| MLOs 4. Ability to create and organize effective communications in the management process.  |  | +  | Calculation tasks, multiple choice tests, |

# 3. MODULE INDICATIVE CONTENT

#### Autumn semester

|       |    |         | I  | Distribution of hours |                |            | Learning resources         |    |                    |
|-------|----|---------|----|-----------------------|----------------|------------|----------------------------|----|--------------------|
|       |    | Topics  | 3  |                       | Directed study |            | Self-<br>directed<br>study |    |                    |
|       |    |         |    |                       | Lectures       | Practicals | Labs                       |    |                    |
| Topic | 1. | Concept | of | economic              | 2              | 2          |                            | 10 | Basic: 1(pp. 5-38) |

| 3.6.1.1.1                                   |    |    |     | 1 |
|---|----|----|-----|---|
| information. Multilevel structure of        |    |    |     | Additional: 1(pp. 17-                   |
| economic information, its types,            |    |    |     | 22)                                     |
| general characteristics, and                |    |    |     |   |
| regularities. Features of economic          |    |    |     |   |
| information transformation.                 |    |    |     |   |
| Information environment, information        |    |    |     |   |
| procedures, information process.            |    |    |     |   |
| Representation and encoding of              |    |    |     |   |
| information in computers. Data              |    |    |     |   |
| structure. Algorithm and its properties.    |    |    |     |   |
| Concept of information modeling.            |    |    |     |   |
| Principles of algorithm and program         |    |    |     |   |
| development for solving applied             |    |    |     |   |
|   |    |    |     |   |
| problems. Concept of artificial             |    |    |     |   |
| intelligence. Classification of             |    |    |     |   |
| information technologies by type of         |    |    |     |   |
| information. Information environment        |    |    |     |   |
| and information systems. Types of           |    |    |     |   |
| information systems.                        |    |    |     |   |
| <b>Topic 2</b> . Automation of data entry   | 2  | 2  | 10  | Basic: 1(pp. 40-48)                     |
| and processing, analysis. Tools for         |    |    |     | Additional: 1(pp. 27-                   |
| automation of data entry and                |    |    |     | 32)                                     |
| processing. Creating and using links in     |    |    |     |   |
| formulas and calculations. Use of add-      |    |    |     |   |
| in subprograms. Analysis of economic        |    |    |     |   |
| data. Data consolidation.                   |    |    |     |   |
| <b>Topic 3</b> . Automation of data entry   | 2  | 2  | 20  | Basic: 1(pp. 55-68)                     |
| and processing, their analysis. Tools       |    |    |     | Additional: 1(pp. 37-                   |
| for automation of data entry and            |    |    |     |   |
| processing. Creating and using links in     |    |    |     | 42)                                     |
| formulas and calculations. Use of add-      |    |    |     |   |
|   |    |    |     |   |
| in subprograms. Analysis of economic        |    |    |     |   |
| data. Pivot tables                          | 2  | 2  | 20  | D : 1/ 70.00                            |
| <b>Topic 4</b> . Regression and correlation | 2  | 2  | 20  | Basic: 1(pp. 70-88)                     |
| analysis of data. Using Analysis            |    |    |     | Additional: 1(pp. 47-                   |
| ToolPak to build regression functions       |    |    |     | 52)                                     |
| and assess model adequacy.                  |    |    |     | ,                                       |
| Correlation analysis of data.               |    |    |     |   |
| <b>Topic 5</b> . Solving linear programming | 2  | 2  | 20  | Basic: 1(pp. 82-88)                     |
| problems. Building linear models.           |    |    |     | Additional: 1(pp. 57-                   |
| Methods of calculation for linear           |    |    |     | 62)                                     |
| models. Analysis of calculation             |    |    |     | 02)                                     |
| results. Use of application software for    |    |    |     |   |
| solving linear programming problems.        |    |    |     |   |
| <b>Topic 6.</b> Simplex method. Solving     | 2  | 2  | 20  | Basic: 1(pp. 82-88)                     |
|   | _  | ~  | 20  |   |
| linear problems using the simplex           |    |    |     | Additional: 1(pp. 57-                   |
| method with the use of spreadsheet          |    |    |     | 62)                                     |
| tools.                                      |    | 4  | 20  | D : 1( 00.00)                           |
| <b>Topic 7.</b> Transportation problem.     | 2  | 4  | 20  | Basic: 1(pp. 88-98)                     |
| Solving linear problems using the           |    |    |     | Additional: 1(pp. 60-                   |
| simplex method with the use of              |    |    |     | 62)                                     |
| spreadsheet tools.                          |    |    |     |   |
| Total hours                                 | 14 | 16 | 120 |   |

## 4. TEACHING AND LEARNING METHODS

| MLOs | Teaching methods | Hours | Learning methods      | Hours |
|------|------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|
|      | (directed study) |       | (self-directed study) |       |

| MLOs 1.Ability to abstract thinking, analysis and synthesis.  | Lecture, practical lesson, discussion of topical issues | 6  | Elaboration of theoretical material, solution of calculation tasks | 20  |
|---|---|----|--|-----|
| MLOs 2. Ability to apply conceptual and basic knowledge, understanding the subject area and the profession of manager.                        | Lecture, practical lesson, discussion of topical issues | 10 | Elaboration of theoretical material, solution of calculation tasks | 40  |
| MLOs 3. Skills in the use of information and communication technologies to search, process, analyze and use information from various sources. | Lecture, practical lesson, discussion of topical issues | 10 | Elaboration of theoretical material, solution of calculation tasks | 40  |
| MLOs 4. Ability to create and organize effective communications in the management process.  | Lecture, practical lesson, discussion of topical issues | 14 | Elaboration of theoretical material, solution of calculation tasks | 20  |
| Total hours   |   | 30 |  | 120 |

## **5. ASSESSMENT**

- **5.1.** Diagnostic assessment
- **5.2. Summative assessment**

# **5.2.1. Intended learning outcomes methods:**

| No | Summative assessment methods | Grades           | Deadline        |  |  |  |  |
|----|------------------------------|------------------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
|    | Autumn semester              |                  |                 |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | Practical Work 1-4           | 40 points / 40 % | 7 week          |  |  |  |  |
| 2. | Practical Work 5-8           | 45points / 45 %  | 14 week         |  |  |  |  |
| 3. | Test                         | 15 points / 15 % | During semester |  |  |  |  |

# 5.2.2. Grading criteria

| Summative<br>assessment<br>method | Unsatisfactory   | Satisfactory  | Good  | Excellent                              |
|-----------------------------------|--|---|---|--|
| Practical Works 1-4.              | О балів  Task not completed (method and answers are incorrect) | The progress is correct, but there are significant errors, the answers are mostly wrong | The task is completed, but there are minor errors | Task completely done. Mistakes missing |
| Practical Works                   | 0 балів  | 1-10 балів  | 11-30 балів                                       | 31-45 балів                            |

| 5-8                  | Task not completed<br>(method and<br>answers are<br>incorrect)  | The progress is correct, but there are significant errors, the answers are mostly wrong | The task is completed, but there are minor errors               | Task<br>completely done.<br>Mistakes<br>missing      |
|----------------------|---|---|---|--|
| Multiple choice test | 0-3 балів  Depends on the number of correct answers to the test | 3-5 балів  Depends on the number of correct answers to the test                         | 5-9 балів  Depends on the number of correct answers to the test | Depends on the number of correct answers to the test |
|                      | Task not completed<br>(method and<br>answers are<br>incorrect)  | The progress is correct, but there are significant errors, the answers are mostly wrong | The task is completed, but there are minor errors               | Task<br>completely done.<br>Mistakes<br>Missing      |

#### 5.3. Formative assessment

Formative exercises are designed to enable students to develop particular aspects of their learning, prior to summative assessments. Formative exercises are designed to help students use feedback and self-reflection to manage and develop their learning so that they can see how to improve their work.

| No | Formative Assessment elements  | Date   |  |  |  |
|----|--|--|--|--|--|
|    | Autumn semester  |  |  |  |  |
| 1. | Oral interview after studying each topic   | After completing the study of the topic              |  |  |  |
| 2. | Passing the test on certification and modular control with feedback from the teacher   | According to the schedule of the educational process |  |  |  |
| 3. | Passing the test after the end of the study of each topic for independent control of knowledge and preparation for the test (exam) | Regulated by the student independently               |  |  |  |
| 4. | Protection of practical works  | One week after their delivery                        |  |  |  |
| 5. | Oral feedback from the teacher while working on practical work during classes  | Throughout the semester                              |  |  |  |

Self-assessment can be used both an element of formative and summative assessment.

#### 6. LEARNING RESOURCES

#### 6.1. Key resources

- 1. Agadzhanova, S., Barchenko, N., Lecture notes for English-speaking Students of Economics and Management Faculty, 1<sup>rd</sup> year study master's degree, specialty: 073 Management, EP "Administrative management". September, 2018. 96 p.
- 2. Kenneth C. Laudon and Jane Price Laudon. Management Information Systems: Organization and Technology, 6<sup>th</sup> edition, by Kenneth C. Laudon and Jane Price Laudon, produced by Prentice-Hall, a division of Pearson Education.
- 3. Rainer, R. Kelly and Cegielski, Casey G. (2019). "Introduction to Information Systems: Enabling and Transforming Business, 3rd Edition".

#### 6. 2 Methodical resourses

1. S.Ahadzhanova Economical Informatics(e-course in Moodle:Address – https://cdn.snau.edu.ua/moodle/course/view.php?id=3908

#### **6.3. Additional resources**

- 1. Lindsay, John (2016). Information Systems Fundamentals and Issues. Kingston University, School of Information Systems.
- 2. Dostal, J. School information systems (Skolni informacni systemy). In Infotech 2017 modern information and communication technology in education. Olomouc, EU: Votobia, 2017. p. 540 546. ISBN 978-80-7220-301-7.
- 3. O'Leary, Timothy and Linda. Computing Essentials Introductory 2018. McGraw-Hill on Computing 2018.com.

#### 6.2. Soft ware

- 1. R-prograbming. URL: https://www.r-project.org/ (дата звернення 25.05.2023р.)
- 2. MS Excel URL: https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-365/excel (дата звернення 25.05.2023р.)