

Course Syllabus

Classical Entrepreneurial Theories 7.5 Credits*, First Cycle

Learning Outcomes

After completing the course, the students will be able to:

Knowledge and understanding

- explain the theoretical classics of entrepreneurship (1)

Skills and abilities

- compare the main differences between some of the theoretical classics of entrepreneurship (2)

Evaluation ability and approach

- systematically reflect on how the contributions of some of the theoretical classics of entrepreneurship affect companies today (3)

Course Content

The course starts with a review of some of the most fundamental theories of entrepreneurship, such as Cantillon, Schumpeter and Kirzner. The focus is on comparing the various contributions of classical theories and on discussing their similarities and differences. The course also aims to enable students to reflect on what influence these classical theories currently have, their relevance and how they might affect the current view of entrepreneurship and enterprise.

Assessment

Written test, 2.5 credits (examines objective 1)

Individual written assignment and active participation in the seminar, 5 credits (examines objectives 2, 3)

Forms of Study

Lectures and seminars.

Grades

The Swedish grades U–VG.

Written test: U, G

To pass the course with distinction (VG), students must achieve a VG in the individual written assignment and active participation in the seminar.

Prerequisites

30 credits in Entrepreneurship and Innovation including the course Conditions for Entrepreneurial Companies 7,5 credits

Other Information

Replaces EU1031.

Students who have been admitted to and registered on the course are entitled to receive tuition and/or supervision only during the course to which they were accepted.

Make-up assignments and revised seminar assignments must be submitted no later than the dates specified in the study guide.

Subject:

Entrepreneurship and Innovation

Group of Subjects:

Business Administration

Disciplinary Domain:

Technology, 100%

Progression Indicator:

G1F

Approved:

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