

Module Title:	Management in Action
Credits:	5
NFQ Level:	6
Module Delivered In	1 programme(s)
Teaching & Learning Strategies:	<p>Lectures - communication of knowledge and ideas from the lecturer to the student. Problem Solving Exercises - student will work as part of a team and will work together to resolve various business scenarios. Class Discussion/Debate - Students will be encouraged to actively participate in the class sessions which will develop their analytical and communication skills. E-Learning - It is envisaged that the module will be supported with on-line learning materials. Self-Direct Independent Learning - the emphasis on independent learning will develop a strong and autonomous work and learning practices.</p>
Module Aim:	The aim of this module is to introduce to learners the key management functions and how they relate to business. Learners will also analyse the business environment in which a business operates.
Learning Outcomes	
<i>On successful completion of this module the learner should be able to:</i>	
LO1	Analyse the forces in the business environment and apply to business scenarios
LO2	Demonstrate a knowledge and application of the key functions of management
LO3	Apply key management tools and techniques used in the management process
Pre-requisite learning	
Module Recommendations	
<i>This is prior learning (or a practical skill) that is recommended before enrolment in this module.</i>	
No recommendations listed	
Incompatible Modules	
<i>These are modules which have learning outcomes that are too similar to the learning outcomes of this module.</i>	
No incompatible modules listed	
Co-requisite Modules	
No Co-requisite modules listed	
Requirements	
<i>This is prior learning (or a practical skill) that is mandatory before enrolment in this module is allowed.</i>	
No requirements listed	

Module Content & Assessment

Indicative Content

The Business Environment

Definition of the Business Environment; Globalisation; Macro-environment; Micro-environment; Porters five forces model of competitive analysis

Planning and Decision Making

Definition of Planning; Types of plans; The planning process; Business-level planning and strategies; Corporate-level planning and strategies; The decision-making process; Approaches to decision-making

Organising for Management

Approaches to organising staff and resources; Organisational structure and design

Managing Human Resource

Managing human resources; Activity areas of HRM

Controlling

Definition of Control; The Control Process Model; Characteristics of effective control; Methods of control

Assessment Breakdown

%

Continuous Assessment

100.00%

Continuous Assessment

Assessment Type	Assessment Description	Outcome addressed	% of total	Assessment Date
Other	Learners will be required to demonstrate the achievement of the learning outcomes through continuous assessment work. This work may take the form of an essay, exam, project, MCQ test, but is not limited to these formats.	1	50.00	Week 4
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No Project

No Practical

No End of Module Formal Examination

SETU Carlow Campus reserves the right to alter the nature and timings of assessment

Module Workload

Workload: Full Time		
<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>
Lecture	Every Week	3.00
Independent Learning Time	Every Week	6.00
Total Hours		9.00

Workload: Part Time		
<i>Workload Type</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Average Weekly Learner Workload</i>
Lecture	Every Week	1.50
Independent Learning Time	Every Week	7.50
Total Hours		9.00

Module Delivered In

Programme Code	Programme	Semester	Delivery
CW_BBAA_C	Higher Certificate in Accounting	2	Mandatory