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Internal communication and communication of change

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Language :	English				
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve				
Main themes	This course shows the main issues of internal communication, using a series of analytical categories provided by the communication and information sciences. It presents the relations between internal communication, culture and identity of organizations. It also presents the relationship between internal communication and human resource management (HRM), and the contribution of internal communication to change management.				
Aims	At the end of this course, the student will be able to master in a reflexive and critical way a series of elements that relate to the internal communication of the organizations: distinguishing phenomena and practices of internal communication; identify the main tools and techniques of internal communication and understand their logic; distinguish the different methods of analysis of internal communication; develop a communication strategy for change; understand the relationship between internal communication and human resources management (HRM); grasp certain normative aspects and the ethical dimension related to internal communication, in a context of multiculturalism. 				
Evaluation methods	Individual written exam (open questions) on the complete content of the course: 12 points. Mandatory working group on a specific theme with oral presentation during a plenary session and written report: 8 points. Second session: individual written exam (open questions) on the complete content of the course (12 points). The initial rating of the working group will be maintained if it is at least 4/8; otherwise, the student must present a complementary work to be fixed with the teacher (8/20).				
Teaching methods	All courses are supported by written material. At least 50% of the course is interactiveand learned through exercises. When relevant, internal communication professionals are invited to illustrate cases. Different communication formats are used.				
Content	 Role, history, trends of Internal Communication Internal Communication Types, Contents & Channels Internal Communication target populations Employee experience and engagement Change Management & Change Communication Internal communication Measurements, Organization & Planning Ethics & normative aspects 				
Faculty or entity in charge	СОМИ				

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)					
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Aims	
Master [120] in Communication	CORP2M	5		٩	
Master [120] in Journalism	EJL2M	5		٩	
Master [60] in Information and Communication	COMU2M1	5		٩	
Master [120] in Communication	COMM2M	5		٩	
Master [120] in Multilingual Communication	MULT2M	5		٩	
Master [120] in Human Resources Management	GRH2M	5		٩	
Master [120] in Information and Communication	COMU2M	5		٩	