

Courses in English Course Description

Department 14 Tourism

Course title Destination Marketing

Course number

Hours per week (SWS) 2

Number of ECTS credits 3

Course objective To evaluate the role, management and scope of Destination Marketing Organisations (DMOs) and to

analyse the effectiveness of selected cities marketing.

Prerequisites

Recommended reading Book chapters and academic journal articles will be available on Moodle

Teaching methods Lectures, student presentations, case studies

Assessment methods Presentation

Language of instruction English

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Course content The multi-dimensional nature of destination competitiveness • Rationale for the establishment of DMOs

and structure, roles, goals and functions of DMOs • Key opportunities, challenges and constraints facing DMOs • Complexities of marketing multi-attributed destinations as tourism brands • Philosophy of integrated marketing communications • Design, implementation and monitoring of effective destinationmarketing communication strategies • The potential for visitor relationship management •

Necessity of disaster response planning • Destination marketing performance metrics

Remarks