



Strategies and Requirements for Sustainable Aviation

Course Outline 2025







Course Date	15.0628.06.2025							
Course Hours	84 contact hours							
Lecturer(s)	Prof. Yvonne Ziegler, International Aviation Management, Frankfurt University of Applied Sciences							
Course Description	The students will acquire an in-depth knowledge of the sustainable management of airports and the aeronautical sectors, beginning with Airports and continuing with Airlines, Air Law, Aeronautical Industry, as well as Air Navigation. Strategies of major international airports, system partners, airlines and air navigation services regarding a sustainable mobility culture will be presented in case studies. Development perspectives: Influence of society, legislation, customers, suppliers, competition and new business models.							
Learning Outcomes and Task	 Students can plan and develop strategies for major international airports, system partners, airlines and air transport. They understand the development perspectives of the companies and the significance of strategic cooperation regarding sustainable mobility. Students will be able to apply their knowledge and skills regarding operational requirements and business requirements as well as market conditions to correctly interpret strategic contexts for decisions on sustainability in the company. The case studies on sustainable aviation as well as the group work will deepen the methodological and social competences of the students. 							
Course Method	Seminar-based course with case studies and practical lectures							
Course Materials	Delfmann, W. / Baum, H. / Auerbach, S. / Albers, S. (eds.): Strategic Management in the Aviation Industry, Ashgate Flouris, T.G. / Oswald, S.L.: Designing and executing strategy in aviation management, Hampshire							
Credits	7,5 ECTS Points							
Assessment	Group project report (processing time 8 weeks) with presentation (minimum 15, maximum 20 minutes)							
Grading	20% attendance and participation, 40% project paper and 40% presentation							







GENERAL INFORMATION

Assessment and Credits

Upon successful completion of the summer course, students will be awarded ECTS points. A single ECTS point is defined as the equivalent of 25-30 hours of student workload, which includes class hours, readings, preparation for class activities, as well as an assessment measure. Learning will be assessed at the end of the summer course. Lecturers will inform students about the assessment measures at the beginning of the summer course. Students will receive a Transcript of Records showing their grades earned in the course. This document can be presented to their home institution for credit.

Grading

Grades will be awarded based on the German grading system:

German	Sehr gut	Sehr gut Gut		Befriedigend		Ausreichend		TN	LN Leistungs-	Nicht
	1,0-1,5	1,6-2,	,5	2,6-3,		3,6-4,0		Teilnahmeschein	nachweis	bestanden
										5,0/ 6,0
	very good	good	i	satisfactory		pass		Non exam paper	Exam/paper	not passed
Americas	Α			В		С	D	participated	passed	failed
	1,0-2,3			2,4-3,0		3,13,5				
European	Α	В		С		D E				FX/F
	1,0-1,5	1,6-2,0	2,1	2,1-3,0		3,1-3,5	3,6-4,0			4,1-5,0

Email and campUAS Online Learning Platform

Students are encouraged to use campUAS, our E-Learning Platform. Using campUAS enables students to access course materials and stay informed about extracurricular activities. We also expect students to check their emails on a regular basis.

Class Participation

Class participation is considered a requirement for successfully completing the program. Student questions, answers, comments, and insights over the course will not only benefit the whole class, but it will also ensure that students have a better understanding of the class material and contribute to their overall academic success.

Attendance

Students should attend each class. Students also need to inform their lecturer if they need to miss class. This can be done in person or via email.

Academic Honesty

Students caught cheating or plagiarizing will fail, at the discretion of their lecturer, either the assignment in question or the entire program.

