

## Syllabus

### Course description

<b>Course title</b>	Modern Agile - Underlying Principles and Good Practices to Achieve Organisational Agility
<b>Course code</b>	
<b>Scientific sector</b>	INF/01
<b>Semester</b>	1 <sup>st</sup>
<b>Academic Year</b>	2020-2021
<b>Credits</b>	3
<b>Day and time of the lectures</b>	Wednesdays, 18:00 - 20:00
<b>Total lecturing hours</b>	18
<b>Attendance</b>	Recommended
<b>Prerequisites</b>	none

<b>Specific educational objectives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- to provide a scientific understanding of the theory behind agility.</li> <li>- to provide a set of good practices that can be used in daily work to achieve organisational ability.</li> </ul>
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<b>Lecturer</b>	Xiaofeng Wang, POS3.15, xiaofeng.wang@unibz.it, +39 0471 016181, <a href="https://www.unibz.it/en/faculties/computer-science/academic-staff/person/31445-xiaofeng-wang">https://www.unibz.it/en/faculties/computer-science/academic-staff/person/31445-xiaofeng-wang</a>
<b>Scientific sector of the lecturer</b>	INF/01
<b>Teaching language</b>	English
<b>List of topics covered</b>	
<b>Teaching format</b>	interactive workshop online

<b>Learning outcomes</b>	<p>Knowledge and understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- be able to explain why certain practices could improve organisational agility.</li> </ul> <p>Applying knowledge and understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- be able to apply the learnt practices to become more agile in own working/studying context.</li> </ul>
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	<p>Making judgements - be able to distinguish “being agile” from “doing agile”.</p> <p>Communication skills - be able to communicate with others in a positive manner to reach common goals.</p> <p>Learning skills - be able to reflect on actions and decide how to improve professionally and personally.</p>
<p><b>Assessment</b></p>	<p>Written and oral: - The written part is an essay to analyse own experience using the acquired knowledge and identify what to do to become more agile. - The oral part will be review questions based on the written essay to evaluate the level of learning outcomes achieved.</p>
<p><b>Assessment language</b></p>	<p>English</p>
<p><b>Evaluation criteria and criteria for awarding marks</b></p>	<p>70% written essay and 30% oral exam.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evaluation criteria for written essay: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• - good understanding of the theory</li> <li>• - skills in critical thinking</li> <li>• - clarity of the structure and logical flow of the text</li> </ul> </li> <li>•</li> <li>• Evaluation criteria for oral exam: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• - soundness and clarity of answers</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Required readings</b></p>	<p><a href="http://modernagile.org/">http://modernagile.org/</a></p>
<p><b>Supplementary readings</b></p>	<p>Will be provided during the lectures</p>