



# Principles of Marketing

MKT 325, Spring 2025

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Course Meeting Days and Time	Tuesday & Thursday, 2:30 – 3:45 pm
Required Experiential Learning Dates	None
Office Hours	By Appointment. Make appointments via email or in class.
Course Mode	In person

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## Catalog Description:

Introduction to basic marketing principles from the perspective of a marketing manager. Topics covered include the marketing concept, product analysis, consumer behavior, channels of distribution, pricing, promotion, international marketing and marketing's role in society.

## Credit Hour Policy Statement:

### Standard lecture:

"This class meets the federal credit hour policy of 1 hour of class with an expected 2 hours of additional student work outside of class each week for approximately 15 weeks for each hour of credit, or a total of 45-75 total hours for each credit."

## Course Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, students should be able to use the marketing lexicon, describe marketing concepts and the factors that influence marketing decisions, appreciate the vital role of marketing in today's global economy, and apply marketing concepts to market themselves as employees.

## Methods of Instructions:

Lectures, discussions, activities, case studies, presentations, and mini-projects.

## Textbooks and Required Reading:

Solomon, M.R., Marshall, G.W., & Stuart, E.W. (2022.) *Marketing: Real People, Real Choices*. 11<sup>th</sup> Edition, Pearson Education: Hoboken, NJ.

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**Course Schedule:**

**[ COURSE SCHEDULE**

<b>Week</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Assignment</b>
Week 1, 1/14	World of Marketing	Read Chapter 1
Week 2, 1/21	Global, Ethical, Sustainable Marketing	Chapter 2
Week 3, 1/28	Market Planning	Chapter 3
Week 4, 2/4	Market Research	Chapter 4
Week 5, 2/11		Exam 1
Week 6, 2/18	Marketing Analytics	Chapter 5
Week 7, 2/25	Consumer & Business Markets	Chapter 6
Week 8, 3/4	Midterm Break	No classes
Week 9, 3/11	Marketing Segmentation	Chapter 7
Week 10, 3/18	Innovation & Development	Chapter 8 Exam 2
Week 11, 3/25	Product Strategy, Branding & Management	Chapter 9
Week 12, 4/1	Price	Chapter 10
Week 13, 4/8	Distribution	Chapter 11
	Customer Experience	Chapter 12
Week 14, 4/15	Promotion	Chapter 13
Week 15, 4/22		Final Exam



**Grading Criteria:**

	<u>Percentage</u>
In-Class Exercises/Activities	20%
Miniprojects	30%
Exam 1	15%
Exam 2	15%
Final Exam	20%

**GRADING SCALE**

A	100 – 93%	B+	89.99--87%	C+	79.99 – 77%	D+	69.99% - 67%	F	59.99% - 0
A-	92.99 – 90%	B	86.99 – 83%	C	76.99% -73%	D	66.99% - 63%		
		B-	82.99 – 80%	C-	72.99% -70%	D-	62.99% - 60%		

**Withdrawal and Attendance policies:**

Harlaxton College expects regular class attendance by all students. Students are considered sufficiently mature to appreciate the necessity of regular and punctual attendance, to accept this personal responsibility and to accept the consequences of failure to attend. When absences occur due to emergency or medical reasons, students are expected to notify their instructors of the absence prior to class or to seek the assistance of the College nurse or a member of the Student Experience Team for help in notifying instructors.

Instructors have the authority to grant excused absences for medical, psychological, or personal reasons upon review of appropriate documentation and professional recommendation supporting such a request. In the event of long-term illness, reasonable accommodations will be made to allow a student to complete a course. In these cases, the Dean will need to approve the long-term nature of the accommodation.

The Dean of Harlaxton College has the authority to grant excused absences for medical, psychological, or personal reasons.

Each instructor is expected to maintain an attendance policy in keeping with the nature of the Harlaxton program and may consider it in evaluating performance in their courses.

**Policy Governing Unexcused Absences:**

Harlaxton College operates an attendance policy that is binding on all faculty and students. The number of unexcused absences that are allowed before incurring a penalty is related to the number of times a class meets each week. For courses which meet three times a week, students are allowed a maximum of three unexcused absences during the semester without attracting penalty points. For courses meeting twice a week two such absences are permitted, and for courses meeting once a week a single absence is allowed. Additional unexcused absences will attract a grade penalty of one-third letter grade (A- to B+.)



### **Policy Governing Excused Absences.**

- Excused absences are not given to facilitate student travel independent of College-sponsored travel.
- Students may be permitted to miss class because of participation in academic field trips.
- Instructors must co-ordinate and confirm academic fieldtrips with the Dean, prior to the commencement of the Semester to ensure their inclusion in the Semester timetable.
- Where authorization for an academic fieldtrip is requested after the commencement of the semester, the request must be submitted to the Dean.

The following information is required:

- Purpose and brief description of the official Harlaxton event or academic fieldtrip.
- Dates, location, and times (as applicable).
- Alphabetical list of students involved [Last Name/First Name] along with their student identification number.

If approval is granted:

- Instructors affected will be notified at least one week prior to the class period during which absence is anticipated, or as soon as possible.
- Missed class time due to student participation is to be considered an excused absence.
- The grade of a student may not be lowered in any class due to excused absences.
- It is the student's responsibility - to take the initiative by consulting with their instructors before the absence occurs, and - to do what is required by the instructor to make up all missed assignments and/or examinations.
- Instructors are required to assist students in these occasional situations of excused absences.

### **Honor Code:**

All students at the University of Evansville agree to the University honor code: *I will neither give nor receive unauthorized aid, nor will I tolerate an environment that condones the use of unauthorized aid.*

### **AI may be used only with prior permission or direction by the instructor.**

- All work submitted in this course must be your own.
- The use of generative AI composition tools, such as those offered by ChatGPT, Google Bard etc. is prohibited in this course except for specific assignments and subject to the instructor's guidelines.
- Work generated by such tools without proper attribution is plagiarism and, thereby, a breach of the University's Plagiarism and Academic Honesty policy.

## **University Policy Statements**

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### **Disability Policy:**

It is the policy and practice of the University of Evansville to make reasonable accommodations for students with properly documented disabilities. Students should contact Disability Services within the Office of Counseling Services by calling 812-488-2663 to seek services or accommodations for disabilities. Written notification to faculty from Disability Services is required for academic accommodations.

The University of Evansville Disability Services office will share the request for academic accommodations with the Academic Support team at Harlaxton College. Staff members at Harlaxton will meet individually with students to discuss needs and provide additional information related to examinations or other assessments.

Students from partner institutions should provide the appropriate letter of accommodation from their institution to the Academic Support team at Harlaxton College.



### **Institutional Equity and Title IX**

UE is committed to fostering an atmosphere free from harassment and creating an inclusive campus for all members of the University community regardless of their sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, race, religion, ethnicity, country of origin, ability, or veteran status. All Faculty members are considered Responsible Employees and required to report instances of discrimination, harassment, or sexual violence to the Office of Institutional Equity

You may also choose to speak to a Confidential Resource about your experience. Confidential Resources at the University include:

Counseling Services: 812-488-2663, [counselingservices@evansville.edu](mailto:counselingservices@evansville.edu)

Crayton E. and Ellen Mann Health Center: 812-488-2033, [healthcenter@evansville.edu](mailto:healthcenter@evansville.edu)

Spiritual Formation Coordinator: 812- 488-5265, [spiritualformation@evansville.edu](mailto:spiritualformation@evansville.edu)

If you or someone you know has been harassed, assaulted, or discriminated against you can find the appropriate resources by contacting the Assistant Director of Institutional Equity and Title IX Coordinator: email [titleix@evansville.edu](mailto:titleix@evansville.edu) ; phone (812) 488-5261. For more information visit <https://www.evansville.edu/offices/titleix/policy.cfm> .

### **Non-discrimination Statement**

The University of Evansville expects all members of its community to treat each other with respect and civility. Harassing behaviors directed towards any member of our community will not be tolerated. As part of its commitment to non-discrimination, the University specifically prohibits harassment based on any other characteristics set forth in its nondiscrimination statement as follows: including race, color, gender, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, creed or religion, national origin, age, disability, veteran status and all federally protected groups/classes. Any form of harassment undermines the mission of the University and negatively impacts the University community as a whole. For more information contact the [Center for Inclusive Excellence](#).

### **Campus Safety**

All members of the UE community are automatically enrolled in the Ace Alerts Emergency Alert System. When the system is activated, emergency notification information is sent in the following manner: calls to campus IP phones, text messages, emails, campus housing speaker system, active threat sirens (non-weather related), digital signage, and AlertUS desktop on campus-owned computers.

**To contact the Office of Public Safety:**

**Emergencies:** 812-488-6911

**Non-emergencies:** 812-488-2051

### **Complaints, Grievances, and Appeals**

The University of Evansville seeks to resolve all student concerns in a timely and effective manner through policies and processes documented in the University [Course Catalog](#) and [Student Handbook](#).

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### **Student Resources**

Access the links below to connect with departments and resources that are here to support all UE students.

**Academic Services:** Contact the Center for Academic Advising to connect with academic support services including supplemental instruction, tutoring, and time management and study skills help.



**[Blackboard Guides:](#)** Blackboard is the University of Evansville’s course management system for online courses. Guides on using Blackboard can be found within [MyUE](#).

**[Writing Center:](#)** The Writing Center provides access to writing resources, appointments for one-on-one writing help, and assistance with any stage of the writing process.

**[Counseling Services:](#)** Counseling Services provides general, short-term counseling that assists students in identifying barriers and setting goals while improving coping strategies to achieve personal and academic goals.

**[University Libraries:](#)** Conduct research, access resources, and contact librarians for any research related help.

**[Harlaxton College](#)**

College Nurse: Lesley Selby, RGN, +44 01476 403027, [lseyby@harlaxton.ac.uk](mailto:lseyby@harlaxton.ac.uk)

Counselling Services: [counselling@harlaxton.ac.uk](mailto:counselling@harlaxton.ac.uk)