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CYQAA

SUBJECT: Response to the Final Decision regarding the programme of study «Master’s in Business Administration, MBA”, which is going to be offered by the Global College Nicosia, via the franchise method, in collaboration with the University of Roehampton London, UK

Please see below our response to the points addressed:

1. *Provide evidence of the implementation of the same curriculum (including the restructured programme and the new module developments), as the curriculum of the educational institute whose degree title will be awarded, according to the instructions of Article 11 of Laws 136(I)/2015 to 47(I)/2016.*

Response: The new Module Specifications have been sent to us and can be found in Annex A. As soon as the new version is approved by the CYQAA the College will post the updated version on its website. The structure can be found in Tables B,C and D.

2. *At least 70% of the teaching staff should be hired as Full-Time staff and should be qualified with a Doctorate degree at the least, in accordance with the CYQAA Council’s decision, during its 96th Summit (July 10 2023).*

Response: The College recruited Professor Georgios Markatos on a full-time basis and his CV can be found in Annex B. The new composition of our Teaching Staff includes 75% Full-Time tutors (see Table A).

3. *Hire at least one person among the teaching staff at the rank of Professor or Associate Professor.*

Response: The College recruited Mr. Georgios Markatos in compliance with the agency’s requirements. His CV can be found in Annex B and the list of our Teaching Staff can be seen

4. *The institute should provide to the Agency, the nominal list of the academic in Table A./teaching staff that will be hired by Global College Nicosia, and the relevant documentation of their ERGANI payments.*

Response: The College recruited Professor Georgios Markatos in compliance with the agency’s requirements. Prof. Markatos’ contract starts in September 2024 and can be found in Annex C.

Yours sincerely



Evangelia Philippou
Head of Franchise Programmes

TABLES

TABLE A: TEACHING STAFF

A/A	Name and Surname	Academic qualifications/ credentials	Rank *	FT/PT **	Program(s) of study and institution(s)	Teaching periods per week for each program of study and institution	Total periods per week
1.	George Yiapanas	Ph.D. in Business Administration MA in Management AAT Accounting Certificate in Security Management Certificate in Football Management	SL	FT	MBA (University of Roehampton) MBA (Global College)	3 3	6
2.	Leandros Savvides	Ph.D. in Business MA in Social and Political Thought Diploma in Decolonial Theory BA International Politics/Sociology	SL	FT	MBA (University of Roehampton) MBA (Global College)	3 3	6
3.	Georgios Markatos	Ph.D. Business Management L.L.M. International Business MSc International Hospitality & Tourism Management BSc Hospitality Management HND Culinary Arts & Food and Beverage Management	P	FT	MBA (University of Roehampton)	3	3
4.	Anthi Philippou	MSc Corporate Finance BSc Economics	STP	PT	MBA (University of Roehampton)	3	3

TABLE B: STRUCTURE OF THE PROGRAM OF STUDY

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS	ECTS
Compulsory courses	70
Elective courses	
(a) Courses of specialization	
(b) General Education courses / Free Electives	10
Undergraduate / Postgraduate Assignment	10
Practical training	-
Total ECTS	90

TABLE C: COURSE DISTRIBUTION PER YEAR / PER SEMESTER

A/A	Course Type*	Course Name	Course Code	Periods per week	Period duration	Number of weeks/semester	Total periods/semester	ECTS
YEAR 1 : Semester A								
1.	CORE	Strategic Marketing Communications	RBPO20L047	3	55'	10	30	10
2.	CORE	Financial Management and Decision-Making	RBPO20L049	3	55'	10	30	10
3.	CORE	Advanced Project Management	RBPO20L055	3	55'	10	30	10
4.	CORE	Problem Solving and Research Methods for Managers	RBPO20L086	3	55'	10	30	10
YEAR 1 : Semester B								
1.	CORE	Consultancy Practice	RBPO20L010	3	55'	10	30	10
2.	CORE	Applied Research or Consultancy Project	RBPO20L087	3	55'	10	30	10
3.	CORE	Strategic Leadership and Change	RBPO20L048	3	55'	10	30	10
4.	CORE	Strategy in Practice	RPB020L056	3	55'	10	30	10
5.	ELECTIVE	Principles of Human Resource Management	RBPO20L080	3	55'	10	30	10
	ELECTIVE	Global Brand Management (GBM)	RBPO20L071	3	55'	10	30	10
	ELECTIVE	Strategic Investment Appraisal	RBPO20L069	3	55'	10	30	10
	ELECTIVE	Beyond Profit: Responsibility and Sustainability in Business	RBPO20L060	3	55'	10	30	10

TABLE D: WEEKLY TIMETABLE PER YEAR / PER SEMESTER

A/A	Course Type*	Course Name	Course Code*	Periods per week	Day/Hours	Number of weeks/ semester	ECTS	Name of the responsible teaching staff
YEAR 1 : Semester A								
1.	CORE	Strategic Marketing Communications	RBPO20L047	3	1/3	10	10	Georgios Markatos
2.	CORE	Financial Management and Decision-Making	RBPO20L049	3	1/3	10	10	Anthi Philippou
3.	CORE	Advanced Project Management	RBPO20L055	3	1/3	10	10	George Yiapanas
4.	CORE	Problem Solving and Research Methods for Managers	RBPO20L086	3	1/3	10	10	Leandros Savvides
YEAR 1 : Semester B								
1.	CORE	Consultancy Practice	RBPO20L010	3	1/3	10	10	Anthi Philippou
2.	CORE	Applied Research or Consultancy Project	RBPO20L087	3	1/3	10	10	George Yiapanas
3.	CORE	Strategic Leadership and Change	RBPO20L048	3	1/3	10	10	Georgios Markatos
4.	CORE	Strategy in Practice	RPB020L056	3	1/3	10	10	Leandros Savvides
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*The module codes might end in QP, QM, A, S or N depending on the semester they are offered.