Subject Title	Current Issues in Marketing			
Lecturer	Dipendra L. Shrestha	Remarks		
Period	3rd (13:40 ~ 15:30)	Field	Business	
	This course links marketing theory with practice, locating marketing ideas and applications within wider global, social and economic contexts. The course fills a gap in a growing market interested in these contemporary issues. The course will provide systematic framework for understanding contemporary issues in marketing, providing core capacity building for marketing students.			
Course Summary Synopsis & Purpose				
	To keep pace with the latest developments, exploring fresh new themes in brand cultures, postmodernism, gender and ethics in a <i>global mindset</i> .			
Required Textbooks	Marketing 4.0: Moving from Traditional to Digital - Kotler, Kartajaya & Setiawan			
	The lecture resources (slides and other handouts) will be provided beforehand and all the students are expected to come prepared, and actively participate in discussions, to meet the objective of <i>self-directed learning capability</i> .			
A manner of Lecturing	Case analyses throughout the semester will help you gain experience with marketing decision making, and develop creative thinking capabilities and generate linkages between the theoretical concepts and the existing problems to overcome the challenges and manage the crises for <i>creativity and innovation</i> .			

Evaluation (100%)					
Mid	Final	Attendance	Report	ETC	
25	25	10	20	20	
Further Information					

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1	LW01-CD00: Course Orientation & Introduction to Current Issues in Marketing
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5	LW05-CH04: Marketing 4.0 in the Digital Economy
6	LW06-CH05: The New Customer Path
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10	LW10-CH08: Human-Centric Marketing for Brand Attraction
11	LW11-CH09: Content Marketing for Brand Curiosity
12	LW12-CH10: Omni-channel Marketing for Brand Commitment
13	LW13-CH11: Engagement Marketing for Brand Affinity
14	LW14-CD02: Final Presentation
15	LW13-CD03: Course Review and End-Term Preparation / Final Presentation
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