

# Syllabus of the course

# «Critical Thinking and Fundamentals of Academic Writing»

D3 Management	
Business administration	
second (master)	
Compulsory	
English	
I <sup>st</sup> academic year, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester	
4	
Lectures – 16 hours. Laboratory – 24 hours.	
Grading	
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Lectures: due to timetable Practicals: due to timetable	
At the Department of Management, Business and Administration, off-line; due to timetable of consultations, personal, PNS chat	

**The purpose** of the discipline is to form knowledge system on theoretical and methodological foundations of critical thinking and scientific research, to form research skills and abilities of academic writing

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Prerequisites	Postrequsites	
Management of organizations	Complex training	
Statistics	Diploma thesis	
Econometrics		

### Content of the academic discipline

### Content module 1. Theoretical fundamentals of critical thinking and scientific activity

- Theme 1. Theoretical basis of scientific research
- **Theme 2.** Steps of the scientific method. Basic techniques to create ideas
- **Theme 3.** The technology of working with literature

## Content module 2. Technology of scientific research and academic writing

- **Theme 4.** Techniques of qualitative research
- Theme 5. Quantitative Research Design & Methods
- **Theme 6.** Writing a research paper and giving research presentations

# Material and technical (software) for discipline support

Multimedia Projector, PNS, Zoom

## Assessment system

Assessment of students' learning outcomes is carried out by the University according to the cumulative 100-point system.

The final grade for the academic discipline is calculated taking into account the points received for the current control, which is carried out during the semester during lectures, practical, seminar, laboratory classes and is estimated by the sum of the points scored, and the semester exam (maximum



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amount - 100 points; minimum amount that allows a student to successfully complete the study of the subject - 60 points).

Current control includes the following control measures: tasks on topics; tests; individual task.

More detailed information on assessment and grading system is given in the technological card of the course.

# **Course policies**

Teaching of the academic discipline is based on the principles of academic integrity.

Violation of academic integrity includes academic plagiarism, fabrication, falsification, cheating, deception, bribery, and biased assessment.

Students may be brought to the following academic responsibility for breach of academic integrity: repeated assessment of the corresponding type of learning activity.

More detailed information about competencies, learning outcomes, teaching methods, assessment forms, self-study is given in the Course program