

## UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI PALERMO

DEPARTMENT	Scienze Economiche, Aziendali e Statistiche
ACADEMIC YEAR	2017/2018
MASTER'S DEGREE (MSC)	BUSINESS ECONOMIC SCIENCES
SUBJECT	ENTREPRENEURSHIP
TYPE OF EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY	С
AMBIT	21021-Attività formative affini o integrative
CODE	18235
SCIENTIFIC SECTOR(S)	SECS-P/07
HEAD PROFESSOR(S)	RUISI MARCANTONIO Professore Ordinario Univ. di PALERMO
OTHER PROFESSOR(S)	
CREDITS	6
INDIVIDUAL STUDY (Hrs)	108
COURSE ACTIVITY (Hrs)	42
PROPAEDEUTICAL SUBJECTS	
MUTUALIZATION	
YEAR	1
TERM (SEMESTER)	2° semester
ATTENDANCE	Not mandatory
EVALUATION	Out of 30
TEACHER OFFICE HOURS	RUISI MARCANTONIO
	Tuesday 10:00 12:00 Ufficio 4.5 piano 4°

## **DOCENTE:** Prof. MARCANTONIO RUISI

PREREQUISITES	Basic Knowledge in Business Administration
LEARNING OUTCOMES	Knowledge and understanding Acquisition of knowledge and skills for understanding the startup processes; knowledge of the sources necessary to find the information for developing an effective business plan.  Applying knowledge and understanding The student must demonstrate the ability to prepare an effective business plan; he/she should understand and be aware about the principles and the right dynamics to manage and run a company in its early years of life.  Making judgments The student must demonstrate to right evaluate the opportunity to start a new business or to run an existent one. Communication skills The student must demonstrate that he/she knows how to communicate the results of a business analysis and a planning one starting from what it was learned during the course. Learning ability The student should demonstrate to have the skills to acquire, process and systematize those informations necessary for the development of a business plan, that should be considered as a dynamic plan (some results could be changed during the writing process if premises and data will change).
ASSESSMENT METHODS	Oral examination. Positive evaluation with marks from 18/30 to 30/30.  During the exam students should present - moreover - two project works: a "canvas" model and a business plan.  The assessment is carried out of thirty. Rejected: Not sufficient 18: Just sufficient 19-21: Fully sufficient / More than sufficent 22-24: Fairly good 25-27: Good 28-29: Very good 30: Excellent 30 e lode: Excellent cum laude
EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES	During the Course students should develop knowledge and skills to plan, start and develop a firm.
TEACHING METHODS	Interactive lessons
SUGGESTED BIBLIOGRAPHY	Articles and papers Teaching notes "Eventuali studenti non frequentati o lavoratori possono concordare con il docente un programma di studi alternativo". "For worker students or for who doesn't attend lessons it's possible to arrange a modified program".

## **SYLLABUS**

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Hrs	Frontal teaching		
2	1.Introduction: alternative theories of entrepreneurial action		
2	2. The entrepreneur and the start-up process		
4	3. From idea generation and opportunity recognition to product development: methods and tools for the business definition.		
2	4.Identifying and knowing the customers.		
4	5. Analysing the actual services (incubator, business plan competition, etc.) and the (ethical, cultural and economic) context and future scenarios.		
4	6. How to run the business. The CANVAS Model. The lean startup approach.		
4	8.Business Plan: a possible format by considering the main aims.		
2	9. Startup fundraising		
Hrs	Practice		
6	6.1. Business Modelling in practice.		
2	7. How to develop an elevator pitch		
10	8.1. How to write and evaluate a business plan.		