Course	Selected Problems International Business
Course Number	2580
Exam Number	2580
Course Frequency	Winter Semester and Summer Semester
Duration	1 Semester
Contact Hours per Week	2 (block seminar: 2 blocks of 6 hours and 2 blocks of 8 hours)
Teaching and Learning Forms	Project Work / Case Studies
ECTS Credit Points	2,5
Workload	62,5 hours - Attendance time in courses: 28 hours - Self-study: 34,5 hours
Language	English
Course Responsibility	Jutta Sendzik
Prerequisites for Participation	B2 according to Common European Framework of Reference for Languages
Content	The business simulation "Global Strategy" is a practical, integrative and interactive language course that requires students to operate a simulated business and, at the same time, apply their knowledge of accounting and use their English communicative skills from previous courses. Acting as a management team, students set the direction for their company to implement their strategy by making decisions related to finance, production planning, product innovation and marketing using appropriate vocabulary. "Global Strategy" is a physical board game containing digital components. Students are formed into company teams of three or four members. They will each take on different management roles (decided by the group itself) to manage their team through six simulated years.
Target Competencies	The purpose of the simulation is to provide an experiential learning environment where the integration of previously gained knowledge of business-related content and the application of English language skills is made explicit. On the completion of this course, the students will be able to - apply ESP-vocabulary in speaking and writing (team discussions/outline strategic plan/final review) - express themselves appropriately in tone and style

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	 demonstrate their communicative skills by actively influencing decision-making processes write a progress report using appropriate vocabulary, tone, and style
	This course thus imparts competencies at level 1 of the Qualifications Framework for German Higher Education Qualifications (HQF) at Bachelor level. This applies in particular to the following areas:
	 Knowledge and understanding Use, application and creation of knowledge Communication and cooperation
Examination and Course Achievement	The primary form of examination is the project work.
Basic Literature	BTI Tools for Success GmbH: Global Strategy – General Management Simulation (Manual)