





# MANAGEMENT CONSULTING IN THE DIGITAL AGE

BUDS Intensive Training Programme - 2022 Edition































## About the programme

The programme aims to provide participants with hints and a direct engagement on how management consulting companies are driving digital transformation processes



Opening of the self-paced training on the fundamentals of digital transformation - accessible on Open edX



Practice-based lectures on how management consulting companies are structuring digital transformation projects



Group work on a consulting project assigned and supervised by a consulting company



- Online group works presentation to the consulting company
- Individual essay on the summer school learning & experience



#### **OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Introductory workshop on SAS Visual Analytics + self-paced activity



Introductory workshop on Salesforce CRM + self-paced activity

### **WEEKLY PLANNING: 11th to 15th July**

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9:00-13:00 Accenture and Salesforce: Digital platforms

14:30-17:30

Groupwork activities (with the support in presence of Accenture mentors)

9:00-13:00 Deloitte: Customer Journey and cybersecurity

14:30-17:30

Groupwork activities (with the support in presence of Deloitte mentors)

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9:00-13:00 NTT Data: Agility for successful digital transformation

14:30-17:30

Groupwork activities (with the support in presence of NTT Data mentors)

**9:00-13:00** SAS: Analytics and Artificial Intelligence

14:30-17:30

Groupwork activities

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9:00-13:00 SAP: Intelligent Enterprise and sustainability

14:30-16:00

Debriefing session

# The lectures

Monday July 11	Accenture and Salesforce	
Title	Digital Platforms	
Learning goal	To analyse how the relevance and role of platforms in digital transformation with a focus on Salesforce CRM application	
Topics	<ul> <li>Digital platforms and the "adopt vs. adapt" issue</li> <li>Salesforce key functionalities and strategic impact</li> </ul>	
Interactions on	<ul> <li>Software vendor and consultants joining efforts</li> <li>Business cases challenges in redesigning marketing &amp; sales processes</li> </ul>	
Tuesday July 12	Deloitte	
Title	Cybersecurity and customer journey	
Learning goal	To analyse how cybersecurity and customer focus are key for a sound and effective digital transformation	
Topics	<ul> <li>Design and implementation of a cybersecurity strategy</li> <li>Approach and tools for the analysis and redesign of a customer journey</li> </ul>	
Interactions on	<ul> <li>Cybersecurity hidden weak points</li> <li>Business cases challenges in redesigning marketing and sales processes</li> </ul>	
Wednesday July 13	NTT Data	
Title	Agility in digital transformation	
Learning goal	To analyse how new agile organizational rules and agile leadership models are both required to achieve a successful digital transformation journey	
Topics	Organizational agility     Behavioural agility	
Interactions on	<ul><li>Agile roles</li><li>Emotional intelligence</li></ul>	

Thursday July 14	SAS
Title	Analytics and Artificial Intelligence
Learning goal	To analyse how analytics are fostering an evidence-based management and how AI can boost it
Topics	<ul><li>Big Data Monetization</li><li>Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence</li></ul>
Interactions on	<ul> <li>AI: Explainability, Ethics and Trust</li> <li>Analytics and Susytainability</li> </ul>
Friday July 15	SAP*
Title	Intelligent Enterprise and Sustainability*
Learning goal	To analyse how Enterprise IT Systems can support a more sustainable management
Topics	<ul> <li>The role of IT systems towards an Intelligent Enteprise</li> <li>The role of IT systems towards a Sustainable Management</li> </ul>
Interactions on	<ul> <li>Strategic and Organisational implications of Enterprise IT Systems</li> <li>Sustainability goals and enterprise KPIs</li> </ul>

#### \* to be confirmed

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Management Consulting in the Digital Age is developed as a training activity within the BUDS (Building Up Digital Strategists) project, the strategic partnership co-funded by the European Commission, which involves five partner universities and three associate partners.

The main project objectives are:

- explore innovative ways to use digital teaching technologies
- transfer consulting skills as required for supporting digital transformation processes

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