

Supply Chain Network Design using Mixed Integer Linear Programming

Lecture by Prof. Dr. Mujtaba Hassan Agha

Supply Chains have to address an inherent trade-off between costs and customer service. The course will make use of Mixed Integer Linear Programming to solve and understand topics related to Network Design. The course will start with simple formulations (transportation and transshipment models) and subsequently more complex Network Design Problems (such as robust optimization, multi-commodity flows and multiple time period models) will be discussed. All models will be implemented by the students in hands-on computer exercises.

Target group of the lecture are Master students and doctoral candidates in Engineering and Management with an interest in Supply Chain Modeling and Optimization. The course is offered in cooperation with Prof. Dr. T. Becker of the *Production Systems and Logistic Systems* work group



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12th July, 09:00-16:30: *Value of Network Design*

13th July, 09:00-16:30: *Using MS Excel to solve Network Design*

14th July, 09:00-16:30: *Facility Location Problem*

18th July, 09:00-16:30: *Advanced Network Design Problem*

19th July, 09:00-16:30: *Advanced Network Design Problem*

21st July, 09:00-16:30: *Presentation/Examination*

See the course website at <http://www.psls.uni-bremen.de/education.html> for details.

Organisational Hints

The course is open for all students of University of Bremen. Please, register for the course via Stud.IP or by sending an email to courses@IGS.LogDynamics.de

Depending on your study program, 3 CP may be offered for participation in the course including an examination. The course is also open for IGS and Erasmus Mundus fellows as well as for any doctoral candidate of LogDynamics.

Ongoing Courses of the IGS:

'Academic Writing', course with classes once or twice a month. Training in small groups tailored to the individual needs of the participants.

'Voice Development', course with monthly training in very small groups on improving the pronunciation in English.

Prof. Dr. Mujtaba Hassan Agha is an Associate Professor at Mohammad Capital University of Science and Technology, Pakistan. He has more than eleven years of industrial and teaching experience. His teaching and research areas of interest are Production Engineering, Supply Chain Management, Quality Improvement and Energy Management. He received his PhD in Industrial Systems Engineering from ENSIACET - Institut National Polytechnique Toulouse, France. He is also a Certified Supply Chain Professional (CSCP) and a member of American Productivity and Inventory Control Society (APICS).

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Comments from previous participants



"The mix out of a workshop and seminar. I guess for this topic it was really helpful to also get some input. However, the main focus was still on the workshop character, which was adequate. To work with our own abstract or exposé helped. The coach did an excellent job. The workshop was really well structured. Her competence in this field as well as in other fields, her tips and insights were really valuable."