



**ACADEMIC MENTORING
BUSINESS MANAGEMENT**

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Degree Earning: ___ Master ___ Doctorate ___ Post-Doctorate: Course No. _____

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Research Topic

Recommended Primary Areas to Research

Style of Leaders: ___ Level 5 ___ Transformational ___ Visionary ___ Other: _____

Key Terms: ___ Hard skills: _____ Soft skills: _____

- ___ Buyer/supplier (bids) ___ Communication strategies ___ Consultants ___ Customer care
- ___ Decision-making ___ EOE ___ Going green ___ Massive layoffs ___ Mentor ___ Mobilization
- ___ Negotiation ___ Outsource ___ Recycle ___ Relationship (trust) ___ Salaries (bonus, incentive)
- ___ Shipping ___ Solicitation ___ Telesale ___ Training ___ Translation ___ Underrepresentation
- Management Process Focus: ___ Anger ___ Asset ___ Fiscal ___ Knowledge ___ Project ___ Risk
- Marketing Focus: ___ Contest ___ Focus Group ___ Games ___ Internet ___ Rebate ___ Vehicle
- Industry Focus: ___ Automotive ___ Construction ___ Education ___ Financial ___ Hotel ___ HR
- ___ Insurance ___ Publisher ___ Retail (Clothing) ___ Retail (Food) ___ Technology ___ Telecom

Recommended publication/author/database: _____

Research method and design: Critical thinking ___ Mixed-methods: ___ concurrent ___ sequential

___ Qualitative: _____

___ Quantitative: _____

Recommended research publication/search engine: _____

Check the blanks if discussed

University Academic Guidelines: ___ Mentor's version ___ Learner's version

Research and Documentation Submission Process

___ Population and sample [sampling % and method: _____]

___ Type of qualitative analysis: ___ *a priori* ___ emergent ___ other: _____

___ Type of quantitative analysis: ___ *a priori* ___ content ___ other: _____

___ Possible cost of traveling to interview and contracting a data analyst or statistician

___ Edited prior to final submission ___ Unedited prior to final submission

___ Name and version of editing publication: _____

___ Rules on plagiarism ___ Possible cost of editorial, transcription, and translation services

___ Approval of mentor prior to forwarding to committee members

Other: _____

Scholastic Preparation

___ Writing/publishing while learning ___ Importance of networking/netweaving ___ Fellowships

Mentor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Learner Signature: _____ Date: _____

