

# Nottingham Trent University

## Course Specification

### GLOBAL SUMMER SCHOOL

	Basic course information	
1	Course Title:	Becoming an Entrepreneurial Citizen: exploring competencies for life and business
2	Course Code:	GLB_001
3	Credit Points:	10 cps
4	Duration:	10 days
5	School:	Enterprise Centre
6	Campus:	City
7	Date this version first approved to run:	2022/23

#### 8 Pre, post and co-requisites:

You should have the required English language skills.

#### 9 Courses containing the course

Level	Core/Option	Mode	Code	Course Title
5	Option	FT		A constituent of the NTU Global Summer School.

#### 10 Overview and aims

We live in a fast-paced and changing world, where we need “entrepreneurial citizens” who can act upon opportunities and ideas, manage dynamic careers and shape the future for social, cultural and economic good.

Are you excited to master an entrepreneurial skill set that you can use in every aspect of your life? Do you want to benefit from skills that will increase your human capital, employability and personal development? Or are you interested in developing your ability to discover and create business opportunities? If you answered ‘yes’ to any of these questions, this course is for you.

By undertaking this course, you will develop and increase your “entrepreneurial citizen” abilities to explore ideas and opportunities, develop your self-efficacy, resilience and resourcefulness, and how to set goals/take action in uncertain circumstances. This course will be of benefit/value to your personal development, the communities you live in and the organisations you want to work within or run.

We will be utilising/aligning this course to the EntreComp: Entrepreneurship Competence Framework.

#### 11 Course content

Upon completion of this course, you will begin your “enterprising citizen” development by learning how to:

- Increase your self-awareness of your strengths and areas of development
- Describe the growth mindset and resilience strategies
- Use tools to generate ideas, creative problem-solving techniques and explore calculated risk-taking
- Create compelling narratives to increase your ability to inspire, influence and persuade others
- Reflect and learn from successes and failures for yourself and with peers

## 12 Indicative reading

**Complete a GET 2 Test** by [clicking here](#). Bring your results to day 1 of the course.

**Complete your Free Starter Strengths Profile** by [clicking here](#) Bring your profile report to the course. We will be talking about the results together and understanding what you can learn from your profile and what actions you can take.

*Optional: Listen to The Episode of The Octopus of Enterprise podcast Episode 44 on [Strengths](#) for more information on using your strengths.*

### Take a look at EntreComp

We don't expect you to go into depth, just familiarise yourself with what it is about with the [summary here](#) We'll be giving you materials and supporting your understanding of the framework throughout the programme.

*Optional if you would like to explore more: EntreComp has a [website with further recent resources](#)*

## 13 Learning outcomes

Knowledge and understanding. After studying this course, you should be able to:

K1. Increase your self-awareness of your strengths and areas of development

K2. Describe the growth mindset theory and personal resilience strategies

Skills, qualities, and attributes. After studying this course, you should be able to:

S1. Apply tools and techniques to generate ideas, creatively problem-solve and explore calculated risk-taking

S2. Develop teamwork abilities and learn techniques to resolve team conflict

S3. Create and communicate stories to increase your ability to inspire, influence and persuade others

## 14 Teaching and learning

*Range of modes of direct contact*

Lectures,  
seminars,  
workshops,  
case-studies,  
group discussions

Total contact hours: 50

*Range of other learning methods*

Total non-contact hours: 10

**15 Assessment methods**

This indicates the type and weighting of assessment elements in the course

<u>Element number</u>	<u>Weighting</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Description</u>
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1	100%	Presentation	A self-reflective individual presentation
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**Further information on the assessment**

There will be time during the course for informal feedback sessions with your tutor.

Final Assessment: You will receive a pass/fail mark for the course. Written feedback from your tutor will identify strengths evident in the body of work and include some pointers on what to focus on to improve your future work.