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eCommerce manager or brand account manager (EU) -- 4. Fashion transition -- Fashion buying; The buying cycle and range planning; Merchandising with mathematics; Global sourcing, importing fashion and the supply chain process; Retail design and visual merchandising; Distribution and retailing; Case study: Application of knowledge and checklist; Exercise: Develop a range plan; Interview: Fashion buyer (US) -- 5. Fashion marketing and communication -- Understanding marketing; Marketing fashion products; Fashion communication; Fashion advertising; The internet and social media as a tool for brands; Case study: Application of knowledge and checklist; Exercise: Social media site; Interview: Digital marketing manager (US) -- 6. The fashion machine -- The fashion calendar; The fashion press; Fashion editorial; Fashion curating; Case study: Application of knowledge and checklist; Exercise: Press pack; Interview: Fashion journalist (EU) -- 7. Fashion Entrepreneurship and management -- Entrepreneurial practice; Developing new fashion concepts to commercialization; Identifying market (business) opportunities in the 21st century global fashion industry; New business models; Planning and management of the creative enterprise; Raising finance for creative projects; Understanding IP and protecting design work; Case study: Innovative emerging designers; Exercise: Crowd fund pitch; Interview: Nabil El Nayal, Fashion Entrepreneur (EU).

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