Record Nr. UNINA9910966960303321 Autore MacIntosh Robert Titolo Introducing management in a global context / / Robert MacIntosh and Kevin O'Gorman Oxford, : Goodfellow Publishers, 2015 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 9781910158494 (ebook) 9781910158470 (hbk.) 9781910158487 (pbk.) Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (xviii, 222 p.) : ill The global management series Collana Altri autori (Persone) O'GormanKevin Disciplina 658 Soggetti International business enterprises - Management Management Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di bibliografia Ch 1 Introducing Management: Art or science? (O'Gorman, Farrington Nota di contenuto and Gregor); Ch 2 Strategic Management (MacIntosh); Ch 3 Marketing and Consumer Behaviour (Hogg, Gori and Hisbent); Ch 4 Operations and Performance Management (Bititci and Jwijati); Ch 5 Managing People: Practice and Theory (Marks and Maclean); Ch 6 Managing Change (MacIntosh, Andrews and McLeod); Ch 7 Entrepreneurship and Business Growth (Galloway and Stirzaker); Ch 8 Economics and Regional Development (Danson and Kerry); Ch 9 Managing Quality (Antony); Ch 10 Business Ethics in a Global Context (Jack, Glasgow, Farrington and O'Gorman); Ch 11 Running a Global Organization; (MacIntosh, Krebs and Jones); Ch 12 Becoming a Manager (Collinson and Queenan); Index. Managing a global business introduces particular challenges; managers Sommario/riassunto must decide whether to standardize and centralize or to devolve key decisions to local markets, how to handle performance management. talent management and a range of other concerns. In this core text a range of leading experts present an introduction to management in a global context. Covering the major management disciplines, 'Introducing Management in a Global Context' provides an introductory overview of key topic areas and to glimpse the latest research in

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