MODULE 2 REFLECTION: COMPETENCY DEVELOPMENT

- ☐ Complete Part A in class as prompted by your professor in class
- ☐ Complete Part B after the class discussion and activities
- ☐ Submit in SLATE Assignments by the due date

INTENTIONAL COMPETENCY DEVELOPMENT

☐ The following competencies are being intentionally developed in this assignment

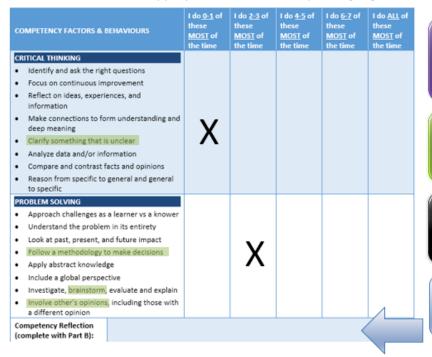
Critical Thinking & Problem Solving	Х	Collaboration & Communication	X	Initiative & Leadership	Х
Research & Innovation	Х	Social Responsibility & Ethics	Χ	Reflective Practice	Х

PART A: COMPETENCY SELF-ASSESSMENT (TO BE COMPLETED IN-CLASS)

☐ Complete tables below when prompted by your professor, one competency at a time

Example

- ☐ Be completely honest regarding your ACTIONS **and BEHAVIOURS** related to the competency.
- Be mindful about the alignment (or not) of actions/behaviour (EXTERNAL) with your intentions, values, and beliefs. (INTERNAL).
 - 1. Think about how you ACT/INTERACT/BEHAVE MOST of the time.
 - 2. Highlight the ACTIONS/BEHAVIOURS you exhibit MOST of the time
 - 3. Put an **X** in the appropriate box based on your highlighted behaviours (one X for each competency category)



- 1. Think about how you actually <u>BEHAVE</u> MOST of the time (not ability or intent)
- 2. Highlight behaviours you do MOST of the time
- Put an X in the appropriate box based on your behaviours
- Reflect on your behaviour related to this competency

Critical Thinking & Problem Solving

- ☐ Share your reflections on your **TYPICAL ACTIONS/ BEHAVIOURS** related to the competency.
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CRITICAL THINKING					
Identify and asks "good" questions					
Focus on continuous improvement					
Reflect on ideas, experiences, and concepts					
Make connections to personal learning experiences					
 Make connections between the concepts or ideas within the topic or area of study 					
Clarify something that is unclear					
Analyze data and/or information					
Compare and contrast facts and opinions					
PROBLEM SOLVING					
Approach challenges as opportunities					
 Identify and articulate the problem/issue/dilemma as clearly as possible 					
 Look at past, present, and future influences and impacts 					
 Select and apply appropriate methodologies and/or frameworks in decision making processes 					
 Integrate local, global, and community-based perspectives 					
 Engage in an iterative process that involves ideation, exploration, evaluation, and explanation 					
 Include other's ideas and opinions, including those with different and/or opposing perspectives 					

Collaboration & Communication

- ☐ Share your reflections regarding your **ACTIONS** related to the competency.
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COLLABORATIONSeek to understand others with respect for a					
 diversity of ideas Communicate effectively with others by listening and sharing 					
Combine different viewpoints through group consensus					
Exercise flexibility, helpfulness, and compromise					
Discuss decisions with the group					
 Assume shared responsibility for collaborative work 					
Share a common goal					
COMMUNICATION					
 Recognize that how an idea is expressed (the language we use through verbal, visual, written forms and/or non-verbal signals) is just as important as the content of our message 					
 Translate and mobilize knowledge for a variety of audiences and purposes 					
Interact with courage and confidence					
Effectively convey ideas in and across diverse scenarios, contexts, and events					
Operate with professionalism both in tone and tact					
Oral Communication					
 Present naturally by communicating ideas rather than reading a script 					
Speak with passion, energy, and persuasion					

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Know how and when to use different types of communication, including non-verbal					
 Practice effective listening and two-way communication 					
Ask questions					
Provide honest and constructive feedback					
 Written Communication Write with an authentic personal voice Write clearly and concisely Prepare professional documents such as essays, projects, reports Create effective presentation materials Explain diagrams and visuals clearly in reports and presentation materials Use appropriate grammar, spelling, and vocabulary without slang, technology abbreviations, etc. 					
Competency Reflection		I	I		

(complete with Part B):

Social Responsibility & Ethics

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 Identify the importance of responsible and ethical decision making in alignment with the welfare/best interests of stakeholders and society at large Recognize the broader social and environmental impacts of decision making Apply sustainable business models and strategies to support positive outcomes for individuals, communities, and corporations Build and foster positive relationships with stakeholders by addressing and valuing their needs and concerns Lead with a desire to enhance social well-being at individual and collective levels, both locally and globally 					
 Recognizes and adheres to core values and beliefs in life and business Develop an awareness of the ethical dimensions of dilemmas, simulations, and cases likely to arise in the business world Develops a sense of moral principle by exploring and considering the implications of both decisions and actions Acts with honesty, respect, and integrity Considers the influence and impact of decision making for multiple stakeholders, employees, and society at large 					

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Research & Innovation

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RESEARCH					
 Follow a systematic process when finding information and/or data 					
 Search for information and/or data from a wide variety of sources 					
Develop questions to guide research					
Research and identify relevant pieces of data					
 Use information properly (e.g. avoid plagiarism) 					
Select the most current and trustworthy data and sources					
 Gather enough information to be fully informed on a topic 					
 Verify information from multiple sources for relevance and reliability (CRAAP test) 					
INNOVATION					
Stay curious and ask questions, including "What If?"					
Tinker and play with new ideas and concepts					
View failure as an opportunity to learn and try new things					
 Disrupt the status quo by rejecting notions of "we've always done it this way" or "that's the way it's supposed to happen" 					
 Take time and space to value both the process and the product 					
Take strategic risks					
 Engage in (co)created iterative acts of idea generation, experimentation, and evaluation 					
 Accept small successes and frequent mistakes 					

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Initiative & Leadership

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INITIATIVE					
Don't be afraid to try, fail, and take risks					
Proactive, self-starter					
 Start things on your own rather than waiting to be asked 					
Complete tasks early					
Create your own answers and solutions					
 Actively look for ways to improve yourself or things around you 					
Have stretch goals and act on them					
Finish what you begin					
LEADERSHIP					
Incorporate growth mindset					
 Maintain focus with short- and long-term goals 					
Seek guidance and mentorship when needed					
 Seeks to understand new and different perspectives with empathy and active listening 					
 Engages in difficult and challenging conversations when necessary 					
 Willingness to take ownership for decision making and actions 					

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 Motivates others through a strengths-based approach 					
Competency Reflection (complete with Part B):	·				

PART B: REFLECTION After reflecting on the information from the class and exploring the results of your self-assessment, respond to the following questions. Use the prompts to guide you in your answer. Use the ICE (Ideas, Connections, Extensions) Model to frame your reflection. 1. Review your Competency Self-Assessment Complete the Competency Reflection in Part A a) Write 1-2 sentences that describe how you feel about your summary for each competency and what you learned after completing the self-assessment. IDEAS: What, if anything, surprised you when reflecting on your experience of the various competencies? **CONNECTIONS:** Why are the competencies important to you as a learner? As an aspiring business professional? **EXTENSIONS:** How does/how might your competency "baseline" inform your learning goals/areas of focus for UCD? 2. Strengths and Opportunities Strengths IDEAS: What competency areas do you exhibit the greatest **Competency #1 and Supporting Examples:** strengths? How do you know they are strengths—what examples do you have to support **Competency #2 and Supporting Examples:** your claim(s)? **CONNECTIONS:** In what competency areas do you foresee/envision the most **Competency #3 and Supporting Examples:** potential growth and development? And why? **Opportunities** EXTENSIONS: How do you plan to apply and/or transfer your competency strengths and skills Competency #1 and Supporting Examples: to other contexts (other courses, CCR, work placements, personal life etc.)? Competency #2 and Supporting Examples: Explain with specific examples

Competency #3 and Supporting Examples:

Competencies to develop this semester Based on your responses to the above, identify and list 3 specific competencies 1. that you'd plan to focus on developing 2. this term. 3. COMPETENCY # 1 4. Competency 1 Competency Area: (e.g. collaboration) Select the first competency you want to intentionally develop this semester. Why develop? Explain why you want to develop the competency Questions to deepen understanding: Craft 1-2 questions that will help you more deeply understand that SMART Goal to develop this competency: competency (One sentence) Write a SMART Goal for your development of the goal for this semester a) Remember, a SMART goal should be a single sentence. b) See Module PPT for format and guidance. **Competency 2** COMPETENCY # 2 Select the second competency you want **Competency Area:** to intentionally develop this semester. Explain why you want to develop Why develop? the competency Craft 1-2 questions that will help Questions to deepen understanding: you more deeply understand that competency SMART Goal to develop this competency: Write a SMART Goal for your development of the goal for this (One sentence) semester a) Remember, a SMART goal should be a single sentence. b) See Module information for format and guidance. **COMPETENCY #3 Competency 3** Select the third competency you want to **Competency Area:** intentionally develop this semester. Explain why you want to develop Why develop? the competency

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competency

you more deeply understand that

Questions to deepen understanding:

- Write a SMART Goal for your development of the goal for this semester
- SMART Goal to develop this competency: (One sentence)
- should be a single sentence.b) See Module information for format and guidance.

a) Remember, a SMART goal

- 5. Find or create an artifact that represents how you feel and what you think about developing these competencies
- Take time to search for an artifact that has deep meaning to you and provide a source for the artifact (APA formatting)
- Explain why you selected this artifact with some detail
 - a) IDEAS: What does this image mean to you? What is significant or striking about it?
 - b) **CONNECTIONS:** In what ways does the image connect to the competencies? From your perspective, what qualities and characteristics of the visual image connect with the competencies?
- c) EXTENSIONS: Why is this image significant and/or meaningful to you as a learner? How might/how does this image resonate/align with your PSB learning journey so far? Include the artifact here by using copy/paste for an image and resize to fit the box.
- See the Reflection resources in SLATE for guidance