# Course Schedule and Homework

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# **Course Schedule**

#	Class Content	Deliverables
01	Introduction	-
02	The software industry	-
03	Strategic product management	-
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05	Case 2016-03: Hard software marketing choices at ownCloud	Case analysis
06	Case 2012-01: Ensuring innovation at Method Park	Case analysis
07	Case 2017-01: The case of SUSE Manager	Case analysis
08	Case 2016-04: Pricing at Everest SARL	Case analysis
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  - Submit this week's deliverables
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#### Other people

- Other people may be other students in the course
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#### Citing sources

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# **Handling Plagiarism**

- Detecting plagiarism
  - We review homework and will detect plagiarism
  - Students are required to report any plagiarism they see
- Handling plagiarism
  - Any plagiarizing student will receive 0 points for their work
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- Review components
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# **CW #01 Homework Due**

# **CW #02 Homework Due**

# CW #03 Homework Due

# CW #04 Homework Due

- Analyze case 2013-02 (Netdosis, Market Size)
  - Case question: Is the Netdosis business model viable?
  - Hint: Utilize the instructions at https://goo.gl/6Mti3G
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- Analyze case 2016-03 (ownCloud, Marketing)
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  - Hint: None
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#### CW #06 Homework Due

- Analyze case 2012-01 (Method Park, Innovation)
  - Case question: Should Method Park disrupt its customers? If so, how?
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# CW #07 Homework Due

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#### CW #10 Homework Due

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#### CW #14 Homework Due

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# **CW #15 Homework Due**

# Thank you! Questions?

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