

# **Marketing Management Simulation**

Cesim Marketing develops the understanding and command of the whole marketing decision-making process.



#### **CASE SCENARIO**

The marketing simulation game consists of eight customer segments in two market areas and a maximum of six different smartphone products that can be offered to the markets simultaneously. In order to encourage unique strategy creation and execution, participants start their companies fresh without any operations history.

Participants are provided with a decision making tool that helps them to try and practice with different scenarios as well as analyze the outcomes of their decisions and projections. In addition, the simulation generates a range of reports that will help the teams to analyze and benchmark their own performance against their competitors.



### **PARTICIPANT TASKS**

A significant part of the decision making challenge is to actively manage the product portfolio by matching both qualitative and quantitative features of products with the selected target segments' preferences. Moreover, pricing, promotion and channel selection need to be set based on the segments' preferences. In addition, teams manage the after sales and research and development decisions.



## **KEY LEARNING AREAS**

The marketing game simulation covers marketing topics including product life cycle management, segmentation, positioning, distribution channel investments, advertising budget allocation, after sales services, pricing, sales forecasting, marketing research, competitor analysis, research and development, and profitability.



## **KEY SUCCESS FACTORS**

The essence of Cesim Marketing simulation is to mirror a fast developing smartphone market that is driven by short product life cycles and innovation; where constant attention to core competences, timely product development, segmentation, positioning, and marketing communications are the keys to success.



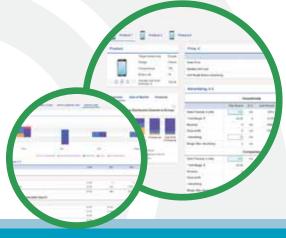
## **EXPECTED OUTCOME**

As an outcome of the marketing strategy simulation game, participants will fully comprehend the different parts of the marketing decision making process, their relationship with each other, and their impact on the company's overall results. In addition, participants will gain invaluable experience in teamwork and problem solving.



#### **AVAILABLE LANGUAGES**

English, French, German, Italian, Lithuanian, Mandarin Chinese, Portuguese, Romanian, Russian, Spanish, Turkish







# The most intuitive business simulations

All Cesim Business Simulations are built on an easy-to-use, scalable and highly automated online platform that allows instructors to run their courses on any web browser from anywhere, anytime.



**Cesim Global Challenge** has been designed to improve the understanding and knowledge of the complexity of global business operations in a dynamic, competitive environment.



**Cesim Service** is a service based business simulation that integrates the functional areas of HR management, capacity management, pricing and marketing.



**Cesim Project** has been designed to capture the essence of project management in a collaborative and competitive environment.



**Cesim Firm** is a product based business simulation that integrates the functional areas of production, marketing and logistics.



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**Cesim Hospitality** is an interactive and fun learning environment that improves the participants' business competencies and employability.



**Cesim Bank** facilitates the understanding of the front and back office operations of a bank, and their interaction in a competitive environment.



**Cesim Power** is a browser-based power utility management simulation that combines the dynamics of power markets, production, and risk management.



**Cesim Connect** is a telecom simulation where teams manage mobile, broadband, and entertainment services for residential and corporate clients.



**Cesim Retail** covers pricing strategy, promotions, procurement, inventory, store layout, staffing, and cash flow. Participants manage a single store or a multi-store franchise in a seasonal environment.



**Cesim Dealership** is a comprehensive simulation game that provides an immersive learning experience in dealership operations, including new and pre-owned products, and after-sales services.



**Cesim Invest** is a simulation focused on fund management, ESG integration, and strategic investment decisions in diversified portfolios.



**Cesim Stocks** is a simulation that teaches the fundamentals of investing through the management of stocks and bonds in a dynamic market.

## **Custom Business Simulations**

When you need a Business Simulation tailored specifically to the needs of your course or training. **Examples:** Steel, Packaging, Real Estate Management, Public Broadcasting, Contract Manufacturing.

