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## 1. SLOVAK REPUBLIC

**Date of the establishment of the republic:** 1 January 1993

**Capital:** Bratislava

**Area:** 49,035 km<sup>2</sup>

**Population:** 5.4 million inhabitants

**Official language:** Slovak

**State organisation:** republic

**Political system:** parliamentary democracy

**Neighbouring countries:** Czech Republic, Poland, Ukraine, Hungary, Austria

**Currency:** Slovak crown, 1 Skk = 100 hellers  
From January 1<sup>st</sup> 2009 – EURO €  
1 € = 30.126 Skk

**Membership in international organisations:** EU, NATO, UN, UNESCO, OECD, OBSE, CERN, WHO, INTERPOL etc.

## 2. BANSKÁ BYSTRICA

### Location

Banská Bystrica is located in the Zvolen Valley on the banks of the Hron River. It lies near three mountain ranges: the Low Tatras, the Great Fatra and the Slovak Ore Mountains not far from the geographical centre of Slovakia – Ľubietovský Vepor.

Distances from Banská Bystrica to some airports:

Banská Bystrica – Bratislava 206 km

Banská Bystrica – Vienna 271 km

Banská Bystrica – Budapest 226 km

Banská Bystrica – Warsaw 520 km

Banská Bystrica – Prague 465 km

### Transport from Vienna to Banská Bystrica

From Vienna – Schwechat International Airport to Bratislava:

- You can travel to Bratislava by bus. The buses run every 2 hours during daytime.

- Or you can travel to the Wien – Südbahnhof Railway Station by bus and then continue to Bratislava -Petržalka train station or Main Railway Station Bratislava by train.

Transport from Bratislava to Banská Bystrica:

- You could take a direct bus to Banská Bystrica from the bus station Bratislava – Mlynské Nivy. The buses run approx. every 2 hours during the day.
- You can take a direct train or you can travel from Bratislava to Zvolen by train, then change for Banská Bystrica. The trains run approx. 6 times a day.

## History

The town of Banská Bystrica dates back to ancient periods of human history. As early as 2000 B. C. people were digging and processing copper ore in this area. Archeological findings document that the present area of Banská Bystrica was inhabited in the Stone, Bronze and Iron Ages.

King Belo IV granted municipal privileges to the inhabitants of Banská Bystrica in 1255.

The golden age of Banská Bystrica was in the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> centuries. The Thurzo-Fugger copper company (1494-1546) was one of the most progressive mining organizations in Europe with innovative mining technology. It exported copper and silver to metal markets in Antwerp, Nuremberg, Venice and the rest of the world.

In 1620 Gabriel Bethlen was elected in a Hungarian congress to become “ a king” in Banská Bystrica.

Banská Bystrica became the third most important guild and craft centre in Slovakia in the 18<sup>th</sup> century.

Banská Bystrica was also an important centre of anti-fascist movement. On 29<sup>th</sup> August 1944 the local radio announced the beginning of the Slovak National Uprising.

## Present day

Since the "velvet" revolution in 1989 Banská Bystrica has dramatically changed its character and the square has regained its old charm. Many fine historic houses have been renovated and the main square is now a beautiful spacious pedestrian area.

Today Banská Bystrica is a major centre for business, tourism, culture and education.

## Places of interest in Banská Bystrica

- **Libraries:**

### Štátna vedecká knižnica (The State Scientific Library)

Address: Lazovná 9, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.svkbb.sk](http://www.svkbb.sk)

### **Verejná knižnica Mikuláša Kováča (Mikuláš Kováč public library)**

Address: Lazovná 28, Banská Bystrica

- **Museums:**

**Literárne a hudobné múzeum (Literary and Musical Museum)**

Address: Lazovná 9, Banská Bystrica, **web:** [www.svkbb.sk](http://www.svkbb.sk)

**Múzeum SNP (Museum of the Slovak National Uprising)**

Address: Kapitulská 23, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.muzeumsnp.sk](http://www.muzeumsnp.sk)

**Poštové múzeum (Postal Museum)**

Address: Partizánska cesta 9, Banská Bystrica

**Stredoslovenské múzeum (The Museum of Central Slovakia)**

Thurzo's House

Address: Námestie SNP 4, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.stredoslovenskemuzeum.sk](http://www.stredoslovenskemuzeum.sk)

Tihányi's Manor House

Permanent natural-scientific exhibition „Nature in Central Slovakia“

Address: Radvanská 27, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.stredoslovenskemuzeum.sk](http://www.stredoslovenskemuzeum.sk)

**Veteran klub (Veteran club)**

Permanent exhibition of 80 historical motorcycles of domestic and foreign production

Address: Partizánska 97, Banská Bystrica

- **Cinemas and Theatres and Culture Centres:**

**Europa Cinemas – Europa Shopping Center**

Address: Na Troskách 25, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.europacinemas.sk](http://www.europacinemas.sk)

**Filmový Klub Europa (Europa Film Club)**

Address: Na Troskách 25, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.europacinemas.sk](http://www.europacinemas.sk)

**Štátna opera (State Opera Banská Bystrica)**

Address: Národná 11, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.stateopera.sk](http://www.stateopera.sk)

**Bábkové divadlo na rázcestí (Puppet Theatre)**

Address: Skuteckého 14, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.bdnr.sk](http://www.bdnr.sk)

**Divadlo z pasáže (Theatre from the Passage)**

Address: Horná strieborná 25, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.divadlozpasaze.sk](http://www.divadlozpasaze.sk)

**Štúdio tanca (Professional Dance Theatre)**

Address: Námestie slobody 3, Banská Bystrica **web:** [www.studiotanca.sk](http://www.studiotanca.sk)

**Bis Audio Jazz Klub (Jazz Club)**

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Address: OC Europa (Europa Shopping Center), Na troskách 25, Banská Bystrica  
web: [www.bisaudiojazzklub.sk](http://www.bisaudiojazzklub.sk)

- **Galleries**

**Stredoslovenská galéria (Central Slovak Gallery)**

Permanent exhibition of Slovak graphic art of 20th century and permanent exhibition of Dominik Skutecký's paintings

Address: Dolná 8, Banská Bystrica    web: [www.ssgbb.sk](http://www.ssgbb.sk)

**Galéria v podkroví (The Attic Gallery)**

Address: Lazovná. 9, Banská Bystrica

- **Churches:**

The Church of St. Xavier, the Church of the Ascension of Virgin Mary, the Evangelical Church, the Church of the Holy Cross, the Church of St. Elizabeth, the Roman Catholic Church at Sásová

**Places of interest in the Banská Bystrica area:**

- **Caves:**

The Harmanec Cave  
The Dead Bats Cave,  
The Bystrianska Cave  
web: [www.ssj.sk](http://www.ssj.sk)

- **Forests:** Badin Forest, Dobroč Forest

- **Spas:** Brusno Spa, Sliach Spa, Kováčová Spa, Korytnica Spa

- **Castles:** Slovenská Lupča Castle, Zvolen Castle

- **Churches:** The wooden articular church in Hronsek, the Roman-Catholic church in Staré Hory

- The Native House of Jozef Gregor Tajovský and Jozef Murgaš at Tajov

- The Historic Mining Village of Špania Dolina

web: [www.spaniadolina.sk](http://www.spaniadolina.sk)

## **Sports and holiday resorts in Banská Bystrica and its surroundings**

- Skiing and tourism centres: Panský diel Šachtička, Suchý vrch, Králiky, Kordíky, Malachov, Tajov, Staré Hory – Turecká, Harmanec, Moštenica, Osrbliie, Poniky, Hrochoť, Donovaly, Krpáčovo, Tále, Chopok, Bystrá dolina, Čertovica
- Ice-hockey stadium – public skating
- Sport hall and football stadium, swimming pool – Štiavničky
- A popular rafting route – the Hron river, running through the town, joins the Danube river after 298 km
- Tennis courts – the municipal park
- Golf club – Tále **web:** [www.tale.sk](http://www.tale.sk)



### 3. GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT MATEJ BEL UNIVERSITY IN BANSKÁ BYSTRICA



ERUDITIO  
MORES  
FUTURUM

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<http://www.umb.sk>

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**Vice-Rector for Development and Informatization:**

Prof. RNDr. Stanislav Holec, PhD.

**Vice-Rector for Science and Research:**

doc.RNDr. Roman Nedela, DrSc.

**Bursar:**

Ing. Ružena Fraňová

#### MATEJ BEL UNIVERSITY – GENERAL INFORMATION

Matej Bel University was established on 1 July 1992 after the integration of the Faculty of Education and the Faculty of Economics. Banská Bystrica has a long tradition in schooling and culture. In the 13th century there had already existed a parish school, later a town school. In the 17th century a Jesuit as well as an Evangelistic grammar school were founded. Matej Bel, after whom the University is named, studied and later worked as a rector at the latter school.

**Matej Bel** (1684 - 1749) was the author of many scientific, pedagogical, historical, geographical, philosophical and religious works. His ideas of equality, national rights, religious tolerance, integration of people and nations and of love of one's native country and his belief in the power of education and culture are still relevant.

In the 1850s and 1860s the Catholic grammar school with Slovak as a tuition language became an important centre of education in Slovakia. In the school year 1856 - 57 the first Teacher's Preparation Study was founded in Banská Bystrica, where Slovak language was taught together with German and Latin, thanks to the bishop Štefan Moyses.

In the school year 1949 – 50 the branch of the Faculty of Education, Slovak University of Bratislava, was established in Banská Bystrica. The first higher school appeared in Banská Bystrica in 1954. It was called the Higher School of Pedagogy. On 1 September 1964 the Faculty of Education was founded.

In 1973 the branch of the Faculty of Commerce, Economic University, Bratislava, was established and in 1977 transformed into the Faculty of Economics of Services and Tourism. On 1 July 1992 the Faculty adopted a new name – the Faculty of Economics, which better characterized its focus.

### **THE MISSION OF MATEJ BEL UNIVERSITY IN BANSKÁ BYSTRICA**

Matej Bel University is making important contributions in the European area of education and research (for which it is a part of), providing both high-quality university education as well as a wide spectrum of further education adequate to the needs of practical life. The University is developing new knowledge through productive scientific and artistic research in order to form intelligent, moral, authentic, well rounded individuals and in this way creating a society of learning.

### **THE VISION OF THE FUTURE**

Matej Bel University, which has proved to be a leader in the sphere of education in Central Slovak region,

**will be perceived as  
a strong national university of international importance  
in the year of 2013**

due to its high quality of education, successful implementation of its graduates on labour market, excellent international co-operation in particular areas of research and co-operation with practices, and specialized, sports, artistic presentations to the public.

### **INTERNATIONAL DIMENSION OF EDUCATION**

Matej Bel University implements development of the international relations in accordance with the Declaration of Bologna and supports the international mobility of students and teachers.

Partnership takes place in compliance with the valid agreements with the following universities:

- University of J. E. Purkyně, Ústí nad Labem, Czech Republic,
- University of Hradec Králové, Czech Republic,
- Silesian University, Opava, Czech Republic,
- University of Ostrava, Czech Republic,
- J. A. Komenský University, Prague, Czech Republic,
- Silesian University, Katowice, Poland,
- University of Poitiers, France,
- Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines, France,
- University of Champagne Ardenne in Reims, France,
- Waseda University, Japan,
- Asia University Junior College, Japan,
- University of Miskolcz, Hungary,
- Tessedik Samuel Föiskola, Hungary,
- University of Education, Eger, Hungary,
- University of Pécs, Hungary,
- University of Marie Curie-Sklodowska, Lublin, Poland,
- University of Opole, Poland,
- Technical University, Radom, Poland,
- University of Łódź, Poland,
- Jan Kochanowski University, Poland,
- Moscow State University of Services, Russia,
- State University, Sankt Peterburg, Russia,
- Moscow State University of M. V. Lomonosov, Russia,
- University of Novi Sad, Serbia,
- Belarussian Institute of Law, Belarus,
- State Islamic University, Jakarta, Indonesia,
- University of National and World Economy, Sofia, Bulgaria,
- Virginia Commonwealth University, USA,
- Università per Stranieri di Perugia, Italy,
- Fatih University, Turkey,
- Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe, Germany.
- Masaryk University, Czech Republic

Beside these agreements the individual faculties also have signed agreements on cooperation based on the specific needs of their own, or their departments, as well as agreements covered by the international projects (e.g. the bilateral agreements under the Erasmus programme). The partners of Matej Bel University in organization of information seminars and lectures for students and teachers are as follows:

- embassies,
- national agencies for European programmes (Erasmus, Leonardo da Vinci),
- Slovak Academic Information Agency – SAIA,
- Fulbright Commission,
- DAAD,
- Alliance Francaise,
- British Council etc.

Matej Bel University is currently composed of six faculties:

Faculty of Education	<a href="http://www.pdf.umb.sk">http://www.pdf.umb.sk</a>
Faculty of Economics	<a href="http://www.ef.umb.sk">http://www.ef.umb.sk</a>
Faculty of Humanities	<a href="http://www.fhv.umb.sk">http://www.fhv.umb.sk</a>
Faculty of Natural Sciences	<a href="http://www.fpv.umb.sk">http://www.fpv.umb.sk</a>
Faculty of Law	<a href="http://www.prf.umb.sk">http://www.prf.umb.sk</a>
Faculty of Political Sciences and International Relations	<a href="http://www.fpvmv.umb.sk">http://www.fpvmv.umb.sk</a>

The university can be characterized as a young, dynamic university with international orientation. The aim of the co-operation with foreign partners is to reach compatibility of the structure and forms of study with similar schools abroad and solve joint projects. One of the strategic plans of the university is the participation in international programs in order to adapt the study programs to those of the EU countries.

### Contact persons – international relation offices

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**FHV** Faculty of Humanities

**FPVaMV** Faculty of Political Sciences and International Relations

**FPV** Faculty of Natural Sciences

**PrF** Faculty of Law

**EF** Faculty of Economics

**PF** Faculty of Education

## **WHY TO STUDY AT MATEJ BEL UNIVERSITY?**

Matej Bel University offers you interesting lectures provided by well-qualified and experienced teachers from Slovakia and from abroad. You can make comparative independent study or course work between Slovakia and the country (ies) of your choice. In addition and in collaboration with other faculties we can assist you in the preparation of your independent study programme (for example for SOCRATES/ERASMUS students). At Matej Bel University, foreign students will experience a pleasant atmosphere and receive special attention.

## **HOW LONG DO YOU WANT TO STUDY AT MATEJ BEL UNIVERSITY?**

You can study:

- as a SOCRATES / ERASMUS student a maximum of one academic year,
- as a student through other programmes or projects – duration of study depends on the project,
- as a student within the framework of international agreements of cooperation on the state level (mostly with scholarship – duration depends on agreement),
- as a student within the framework of international agreements of cooperation signed at the university,
- as a student with self payment for full-time study or special courses.

Some lectures at Matej Bel University could be part of student's excursions around Slovakia or summer school for a short time or some lectures can be provided during your stay in Slovakia on the basis of arrangement with the university or faculty.

## **ERASMUS STUDENT ADMISSION**

If you are interested in studying at Matej Bel University please contact [maria.grigerova@umb.sk](mailto:maria.grigerova@umb.sk) or office for ERASMUS at rector's office.

If you send us application after the deadlines we cannot guarantee accommodation in our student hostel for you.

It is necessary to confirm the application form before application deadline. After that we will discuss and prepare your study plan. As you can see in our ECTS book of courses for foreign students, you can study in English, German, French, Spanish or Russian languages.

Please, send your application form to an international relations office. You can either use your university application form or you can obtain one at our offices. If your information is insufficient (from your university application form), we will ask you to send detailed information by e-mail. Therefore it is really necessary to send us your e-mail address.

## GENERAL PRACTICAL INFORMATION

To help to realize your mobility successfully:

### BEFORE ARRIVAL

- Inform the International Relations Office, Foreign Students Education Centre or Methodological Centre for Slovaks Living Abroad about your interest in studying at Matej Bel University
- Ask for a letter of acceptance for study from Matej Bel University
- Arrange accommodation in Banská Bystrica, duration of your study stay, financial sources. Inform the office for student affairs at your home institution of your intention to study abroad. Arrange subject of study at host institution, travel tickets, insurance etc.
- Finally, prepare all documents needed for your stay in Slovakia (passport, visa – for some countries, permission for a long stay in Slovakia). Detailed information can be obtained at international relations office or at the nearest Slovak Republic Embassy.

### FIRST DAYS

- Arrival in Slovakia and Banská Bystrica
- Information meeting with international relations officer
- Accommodation arrangement of a student
- Personal visit to foreign police, registration, completing materials for stay in Slovakia (an international relations officer will accompany you on this first visit)
- Meeting with a representative of university or faculty
- Obtaining information material about Matej Bel University, as well as material about Banská Bystrica
- Obtaining information about services provided by international relations office to foreign students
- Obtaining detailed information about study and time schedule of lectures
- Obtaining information about conditions for accommodation, getting list of contact persons
- Foreign students may also ask for an e-mail address at the faculty, can possibly use the Internet and information about the courses in Slovak language.

### DURING YOUR STAY

- Foreign students can visit International Relations Offices during opening hours or can contact them by e-mail.
- Foreign students can visit university library.
- Foreign students usually have a coordinator or teacher who can help them with academic issues.

### ACCOMMODATION

Most students prefer to live in student dormitories. Please, contact our university about dormitory space before your arrival. Apply for accommodation before the end of July because after July, a vacant room may not be guaranteed. If you would like to rent a room off campus, you may discuss it by e-mail with the International Relations Office or with co-ordinators in departments, but you must arrange it individually. The accommodation in the dormitory is cheaper than the one rented in town.

## **FOOD**

Each UMB student has an opportunity of using catering facilities in any of the three UMB canteens. University canteens provide lunch. Lunch tickets are available at reasonable “student” prices.

In the town there are many other places serving food (restaurants, fast food stands, sandwich bars etc).

## **STUDY INSTITUTIONS**

### Internet

There are several computer rooms with free access to the Internet at the faculties.

### Library, Study room

There is one university library with the branches in all faculties (specialized literature).

### **UMB University Library**

University Library has a function of an academic library for UMB. It provides services to the academics and partially also to the public. It allows free access to any information and thus supports lifelong learning. University Library UMB fulfils its tasks by providing librarian-information services not only from its own library resources, but also by allowing access to the external information resources.

Contact: UMB University Library  
Tajovského 40,  
974 01 Banská Bystrica

For more details about the up-to-date events, services and opening hours of the individual branches of the UMB University Library see **[www.library.umb.sk](http://www.library.umb.sk)**

## **STUDENT LIFE**

### **WAYS OF SPENDING YOUR FREE TIME**

Students have a lot of possibilities of spending their free time. You can have coffee in one of the numerous cafés in Banská Bystrica, meet friends somewhere on the square, visit the university or town library, or take some language courses. You may visit the British Council, the Alliance Francais, the opera or the cinema. Some students use the Internet and e-mail facilities, while others join student organisations at the university.

### **STUDENT ORGANISATIONS**

Students are encouraged to enrich their lives by joining groups. Some are folk culture groups: (dancing) like a folk group Mladost'. There are singing groups like the Academic mixed choir of Ján Cikker, the Mixed Choir “Mladost”.

There are also student parliaments at some faculties (Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Political Sciences and International Relations and Faculty of Law).



## Student Organizations

**ŠTUDENTSKÉ UNIVERZITNÉ KULTÚRNE ZDRUŽENIE (Student University Cultural Association)** is a voluntary, non-profit, apolitical, interest association of citizens. It is a **non-profit** organization of students and its mission is organizing of student cultural, social and sports events for the UMB BB students.

Contact: [www.sukz.sk](http://www.sukz.sk),

**AIIESEC** is a global apolitical non-profit organization operating in more than 95 countries and territories of the world and more than 800 universities. AIIESEC Banská Bystrica is one of the 7 local AIIESEC boards in Slovakia and has two basic goals typical to the whole organization: young people's education and global co-operation. The branch office is at the Faculty of Economics, UMB.

Contact: [www.aiesec.sk/bb](http://www.aiesec.sk/bb)

**EAC** – Euroatlantic Centre, is an independent non-governmental organization of students and young academics. It was established in 1999 with an aim to increase public information about the international relations and security and to support open discussion and well-qualified research. For planning of its activities EAC uses support and active input from NATO and the Faculty of Political Science and International Relations. For more details see: [www.eac.sk](http://www.eac.sk)

**EFPOLIT**, an association of the francophone students, is an independent, non-profit student organization, founded in 1998 at the Faculty of Political Sciences and International Relations, Matej Bel University, Banská Bystrica. Its original mission was drawing attention to the initiatives of the present and former university students focused mainly at support of student activities in the field of international relations. The unifying element has been the members' interest in the French language and countries united by this language, i.e. the Francophonia.

Contact: [www.efpolit.org](http://www.efpolit.org)

**PANTA REI** – is a civil association of students, which was founded with an aim to support the activities of the creative, talented students and young people that are beneficial for their education and personality formation. The Association tries to inform not only about the course of events at the Faculty, but it also wants to map the all-society interesting events, which is backed up by the PANTA REI students magazine and the website too.

Contact: [www.pantarei.sk](http://www.pantarei.sk)

**UNION OF POLITICAL SCIENCE STUDENTS** Czecho-Slovak Union of Political Sciences Students (in Slovak abbreviated as CPSSU) is a voluntary, non-political association of the political science students and people interested in political science and local and global political goings on.

Contact: [www.cpssu.org](http://www.cpssu.org)

**POLITICAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION** – its mission is helping the development of social-scientific thinking and improvement of civic political culture in the society. The main core of its activities is made by discussions of experts and students about the current and essential issues of political life. The organization aims to make conditions for intellectual growth and self-fulfilment of the Political Science Association members, as well as for the other members of the academic community or the general public.

Contact: [www.polis.szm.sk](http://www.polis.szm.sk)

**FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION** - Foreign Policy Association was established in August 1993 as an open, non-party discussion forum on the international issues and foreign policy of the Slovak Republic. Its main objective is to provide space for open exchanging of opinions on foreign policy. Web: [www.sfpa.sk](http://www.sfpa.sk)

**ELSA** is an abbreviation standing for the European Law Students Association, founded in Vienna in 1981. It is an independent, non-political, non-profit, professional organization uniting more than 12 thousand students and young lawyers in 39 European countries. ELSA operates mostly at the level of local groups, for example ELSA at the Faculty of Law, UMB, established in 1997. ELSA aims to support education in law, social responsibility of the law students and young lawyers through offering them chances to get to know other systems of law and cultures, to help them to be mentally international, professional and to encourage them in acting “pro bono“ of the society.

Contact: [www.bb.elsa.sk](http://www.bb.elsa.sk)

Other organizations functioning at UMB: Forum for International Cooperation FOMES, Active German Speaking Students Club, Max van der Stoela Association

Student organisations help in many ways; they make student life more interesting and help his/her future career development. Students work there on their first projects and prepare different activities themselves. Some of them travel abroad for student meetings or work with foreign students. To be an active member in a student organisation requires time and certain skills, but there are many current and future benefits.

## **SPORTS ACTIVITIES**

Students can participate in sport, art and other activities provided by UMB. You can play volleyball or basketball, enjoy aerobics or exercise in the fitness centre, use the swimming pool, play tennis or do karate in the Club of University Sport for All at ŠK Matej Bel University.

### **Sports clubs:**

**UMB Sports Club** covers these sections: Athletics, Karate, Triathlon, Sport Gymnastics, Biathlon, Judo, Hiking and Rock-climbing, Sports for All.

Contact: UMB Sports Club,  
Tajovského 40,  
974 01 Banská Bystrica  
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Top Sport Clubs at UMB:

- **UMB Basketball Club** (contact: [basketumb@slovanet.sk](mailto:basketumb@slovanet.sk))
- **Ekonom Sports Club** at EF UMB (contact: EF UMB Physical Culture Office, [www.ef.umb.sk](http://www.ef.umb.sk));

The sports club “Slávia Ekonom” provides top-performance sports activities for students and the general public. Cross-country skiing, orienteering, and handball are the most popular. More sports activities are available in the town and in the surrounding area.

UMB students also have other possibilities of spending their free time in UMB sports facilities: 3 gyms, 3 fitness centres, a football pitch, 2 volleyball courts, 4 tennis courts, athletics track, a swimming-pool, a sports hall, a multi-purpose playground, 2 gymnastics gyms and kinetic studio.

UMB students can also use sports facilities in the town of Banská Bystrica: a tennis court in the park, the NA ŠTIAVNIČKÁCH sports hall, an ice-rink.

For more details about sport and culture events and opportunities in the town, see the Banská Bystrica website: [www.banskabystrica.sk](http://www.banskabystrica.sk).

## 4. FACULTY OF ECONOMICS



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<b>Vice-dean for International Relations:</b>	Ing. Peter Krištofik, PhD.
<b>Vice-dean for Development:</b>	Ing. Ladislav Klement, PhD.
<b>Vice-dean for Study:</b>	Ing. Vladimír Hiadlovský

## ECTS Courses for Foreign Students

### FACULTY OF ECONOMICS

#### A1 Courses of standard study programs (business economics and management)

##### **Course:** ACADEMIC WRITING

**Annotation:** Introduction to writing in English. Various kinds of writing. Writing in business. Business letter writing. Writing of abstracts and summaries. Comparing bad and good writing. Writing economically. Writing needs. Presenting ideas and arguments in written style. Writing skills for academic purposes.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Mária Spišiaková

##### **Course:** ACCOUNTING

**Annotation:** Accounting as an information system. Branches of accounting. Accounting principles. Principles of accounting and financial statements. Recording business transactions. Completion of the accounting tide - adjusting and closing entries. Preparation of the financial statements (balance sheet, profit and loss account). Processes in accounting. Controlling and control. Budgeting and different methods of budgeting. International accounting.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 5  
**Semester:** Winter  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Miroslav Škoda, PhD.

**Course:** BUSINESS ECONOMICS 1

**Annotation:** Main principles of business, goals and functions of it. Life cycle, creation and abolishment of the enterprise. Short term and long term actives of the enterprise. Costs, their nature, classification, functions. Calculations, cost calculations, methods of costs calculations. Pricing. Structure of prices, pricing processes. Revenues, estimation and measurement. Profit/loss as the outcome of business activities. Profit calculations.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 5  
**Semester:** Summer  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Ladislav Klement, PhD., Ing. Vladimíra Klementová

**Course:** BUSINESS ECONOMICS 2

**Annotation:** Investments, investing, investment processes. Classification of investments. Effectiveness of invested sources. Organisation of supplies. Planning, supply and storage management. Types of production activities, production capacity. Selling management and organisation. Selling policy, product structure. Employees – structure and classification. Human resources management. Work, workload management. Remuneration. Net and gross salaries/incomes from employment.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 5  
**Semester:** Winter  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Ladislav Klement, PhD., Ing. Vladimíra Klementová

**Course:** BUSINESS FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

**Annotation:** Methodology of business financial analysis. Partial and complex business financial analysis. Analysing financial statements of a firm. Assets and debt analysis. Revenues and costs analysis. Cash flow analysis. Evaluating financial performance of a firm. The levers and basic indicators of business financial performance. Liquidity analysis. Debt analysis. Activity analysis. Profitability analysis. Market value analysis. Assessing and predicting the financial performance of a firm.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 5  
**Semester:** Winter  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Ľuboš Elexa, PhD.

**Course:** BUSINESS INFORMATION SYSTEMS

**Annotation:** Definition of business processes (BP), categories of BP; business area; BP modelling and simulation. Definition of the enterprise information system; types of information systems (IS). Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) systems; hardware and software platform; IS architecture; functionality overview of ERP modules. IS life cycle. IS implementation and operation; outsourcing and closely related models; practical examples.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** RNDr. Miroslav Hužvár, PhD.

**Course:** BUSINESS LAW

**Annotation:** This subject is intended to develop an understanding of legal rules that the students will meet in their business practice. It covers the principles of Commercial Law, including free movement of goods, persons, services and capital pursuant to European Community Law, Labour Law, Trade Law and Civil Procedure.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** JUDr. Jaroslav Svitana

**Course:** BUSINESS NEGOTIATIONS

**Annotation:** Basic principles of negotiation. Common negotiating mistakes. Cultural aspects of negotiation. Negotiating styles and tactics. Preparing the ground for negotiation. Setting the agenda. Establishing positions. Clarifying positions. Managing conflict. Conflict management styles. Making and responding to proposals. Bargaining. Making concessions. Body language in negotiation. Breaking deadlocks. Conclusion and agreement.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. PhDr. Ján Chorvát, PhD.

**Course:** BUSINESS PLANNING

**Annotation:** The business planning process. Organisation of planning process. Methods and techniques of business planning. The time frame for business planning. The content and structure of business plan. Developing and writing the business plan. Building functional plans in a firm (marketing plan, production plan, personal plan, financial plan). Presentation of the final paper on business plan.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. Ing. Ľubica Lesáková, PhD.

**Course:** CASE STUDIES IN BUSINESS 1

**Annotation:** Case studies in: a) Managerial functions: Planning, controlling, organizing, decision making. b) Small business management. Franchising. Specific communicative skills.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Dagmar Kokavcová, PhD., Ing. Lena Theodoulides, MBA

**Course:** CASE STUDIES IN BUSINESS 2

**Annotation:** Leadership. Motivation. Corporate culture. Business ethics. International management. Intercultural management. Crisis management. Specific communication in international business. Managerial functions, skills and qualities.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 6

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Dagmar Kokavcová, PhD., Ing. Lena Theodoulides, MBA

**Course:** CASE STUDIES IN MARKETING

**Annotation:** To learn how to creatively use and apply obtained theoretical knowledge from marketing subject by means of case studies solved in the business practice. Within this subject students are supposed to practice and develop their analytical skills, critical thinking abilities and they should be able to propose and formulate solutions regarding marketing issues.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Janka Petrovičová, PhD.

**Course:** CORPORATE FINANCE

**Annotation:** Key principles of corporate finance. Financing decisions – equity financing, debt financing, capital structure. Investment decisions – capital budgeting, risk and return of investment. Working capital management – accounts receivable and accounts payable management, inventory management, cash management. Valuation. Financial planning and budgeting. Financial analysis.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Peter Krištofik, PhD., Ing. Miroslava Vinczeová

**Course:** ECONOMIC POLICY

**Annotation:** General basics of economic policy. The role of government in the process of supporting and market economy, income distribution, taxes and transfers, competition policy and regulation. Contemporary economic policy. The comparison of the problems solutions in Slovakia and some EU countries.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Jana Kútniková, Ing. Barbora Babiaková

**Course:** EFFECTIVE PRESENTATIONS

**Annotation:** Introduction. Effective presentations. Technical equipment and visual aids supporting an effective presentation. Basic presentation skills. Handling difficult questions. Language of presentations. Presentations at seminars and conferences. Topics for presentations. Trial presentations of students. Video presentations.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Anna Zelenková

**Course:** ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

**Annotation:** The Environmental Management Course will provide students with foundation knowledge in two basic parts. In the first part students will learn terminology and the relationship of environmental issues in the global, European and national contexts. The second part of the course will be aimed at environmental aspects of business management, development strategies and instruments of environmental policy as they are applied to entrepreneurial enterprises, e.g. EMAS, ecolabelling and green marketing.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Dana Švihlová, PhD.

**Course:** EUROPEAN UNION

**Annotation:** Foundation of the EU. Single European market. Intergovernmental conferences and treaties (Maastricht, Amsterdam, Nice). European Monetary Union. European institutions. European policies. Economy of the EU and its place in global economy. Eastern enlargement (Wider Europe).

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Žaneta Lacová

**Course:** FINANCIAL SYSTEMS AND MARKETS

**Annotation:** Classification of financial systems across the euro area. Banks and other deposit-taking institutions. Non-deposit taking institutions - insurance companies and pension funds, mutual funds. Markets. Money markets: instruments, characteristics and use, official interventions, risk of money market. Bond markets, the term structure of interest rates. Equity markets: company shares, equity pricing, share price movement. Foreign exchange markets. Regulation of financial markets.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Václav Dufala, PhD., Ing. Peter Krištofik, PhD.

**Course:** HISTORY OF ECONOMIC THEORIES

**Annotation:** Development of basic theories of economic thought since ancient and medieval economic thought, especially since the beginning of classical economy. The Neoclassical economy. Neokeynesian economy. Neoconservative theories. Important socio-economic theories.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Mária Horehájová, PhD.



**Course:** HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

**Annotation:** The philosophy of human resources management and the personal role in the organization. Human resources policy and strategy, planning of human resources. Personal activities – labour markets, forms of employment, job analysis, recruitment and selection methods, development and motivation of human resources, learning principles and training skills, performance assessment, negotiation agreement. Social policy and personal information system.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Katarína Liptáková, PhD., Ing. Tomáš Makovník, PhD., Ing. Gabriela Elexová

**Course:** INFORMATICS 1

**Annotation:** Introduction to informatics. Information systems and information technologies, their business applications. Automatic data processing. Computer hardware. Major types of computer software. Operating systems. End user applications. Word processing in Microsoft Word. Creating multimedia presentations in Microsoft PowerPoint. Software development and distribution. Telecommunication networks. Internet, principles and services. World Wide Web. Security of electronically processed data, main security problems and solutions. Major trends in business informatics.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Peter Laco, PhD., Ing. Jolana Gubalová

**Course:** INFORMATICS 2

**Annotation:** Work with electronic spreadsheets in Microsoft Excel. Inserting and formatting data in cells. Creating and formatting charts. Using calculations and built-in functions to create and analyze economic models. Databases. Pivot tables and pivot chart reports.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Zuzana Rigová

**Course:** INSURANCE

**Annotation:** The content of the subject includes: relationship between insurance and risks, briefly about theory of insurance, insurance market, insurance classification, life insurance, premium calculation in life and property insurance, insurance company finance and reinsurance.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. M.Eng Oto Košík, PhD.

**Course:** SERVICES AND BUSINESS APPLICATIONS

**Annotation:** Internet. World Wide Web. Effective ways of searching for specified information. Designing and publishing web pages and websites. Creating web pages with standard Microsoft Office programs. Creating web pages and websites with Microsoft

Frontpage. Publishing of created websites to (free) web servers. Electronic commerce, electronic banking, internet security. Business to consumer, business to business. Cooperation with employees. Virtual firms, distance working, distance learning. Web marketing.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Peter Laco, PhD.

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO CULTURE STUDIES

**Annotation:** Culture. Culture values. Problems of a multicultural society. Emigration and immigration. Cultural stereotypes. Ethnic, cultural and religious identity.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Anna Zelenková

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO FINANCE

**Annotation:** Basic terms of finance and currency. The role of currency and various instruments treated in the market economy. Currency schools. Financial systems. Financial markets. International finance. European Monetary Fond.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Václav Dufala, CSc.

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO LAW

**Annotation:** The objective of this subject is to develop awareness of the role of law in the society. Students will make the acquaintance of basic legal principles, legal systems and sources of law. They will acquire information on the division of law and on the basics of principal branches of law, including Constitutional Law, Civil Law, Penal Law, as well as European Law. Students shall get the aptitude to apprehend and analyse legal text.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** JUDr. Jaroslav Svitana

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

**Annotation:** Invitation to Sociology. Culture and Society. Social Groups. Social Interaction and Everyday Life. Deviance and Social Control. Stratification and Social Mobility. Government, Politics and the Problems of Democracy. The Family. Education, Communication and Media. Religion. Understanding Social Change.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. PhDr. Ján Chorvát, PhD.

**Course:** MACROECONOMICS

**Annotation:** Introduction to Macroeconomics. Measuring National Output and Income. Aggregate Demand and Aggregate Supply. Consumption, Savings and Investments. Economic Growth. Money and Money Market. Opened Economy. The Business Cycles.

Unemployment. Inflation. Monetary, Fiscal, International Trade and Income Policy.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Mária Horehárová, Ing. Žaneta Lacová

**Course:** MANAGEMENT

**Annotation:** History of the management. Schools of management. Basic function of management. Planning. Different types of plans into organisation according time, contents, aims, goals and purposes in planning. Control (checking) – relations between control and planning. Organising – basics of organising. different kinds of organisational structures – pros and cons. Decision making. Techniques of decision-making. Leadership. Elements of leadership. Motivation – motivation theories.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Dagmar Kokavcová, PhD., Ing. Lena Theodoulides, MBA

**Course:** MARKETING

**Annotation:** Role of marketing in the global economy. What is marketing? What does the marketing concept mean? Finding target market opportunities with market segmentation. Marketing environment. Marketing analyse. Marketing information system and marketing research. Consumer behaviour and customer satisfaction. Elements of product planning, product mix, new-product development. Distribution channels and distribution policy.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. Ing. Jaroslav Ďaďo, PhD., Ing. Janka Petrovičová, PhD.

**Course:** MATHEMATICS 1

**Annotation:** Limit calculus, applications of one variable functions. Differential calculus, applications of differential calculus. More variable function, applications of more variable functions.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. RNDr. Rudolf Zimka, PhD.

**Course:** MATHEMATICS 2

**Annotation:** Integral calculus, applications of integral calculus. Infinite series, applications of infinite series. Linear algebra, applications of linear algebra.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. RNDr. Rudolf Zimka, PhD.

**Course:** MICROECONOMICS

**Annotation:** Introduction to economics. Basic problems of the economic organization. Market and market mechanism. Demand and supply in individual markets. Demand, utility and consumer behaviour. Business organization. Supply theory and marginal product.

Economic analysis of costs, revenues and profit. Competition. Perfect competition. Imperfect competition. Pricing of factors of production. Labour market and wages. Land market and rent. Capital market.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Mária Horehárová, Ing. Žaneta Lacová

**Course:** PROJECT MANAGEMENT

**Annotation:** Introduction. Definition of project objectives/success. Total Project Planning – activities, relationships, budget etc. (pricing and estimating). Organizing of the project team. Managing the project. Leadership. Mapping the project processes. Progress reporting. Controlling the project. Cost control. Conflicts and project changes. Solving common project problems. Completion of the project.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Ján Šebo, PhD., Ing. Hussam Musa, PhD.

**Course:** REGIONAL MANAGEMENT

**Annotation:** Main theories of the regional policy and territorial development. Regional development tendencies and policies in European countries. Territorial development as the field of state intervention. Territorial organization of the state and regional policy. Basic instruments of regional management. Strategic territorial planning. Local and regional economic development. Planning of territorial economic development. Local and regional economic development tools.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Soňa Čapková, PhD.

**Course:** STATISTICS 1

**Annotation:** Fundamentals, subject and historical development of the statistics. Organization of information collecting. Multi-criteria sorting. Measuring of central tendency and variability. Measuring of a dynamics – indices. Time series and their analysis. Probability, random variable, probability distributions of discrete random variable. Sample search, probability distribution of sample characteristics. Interval estimations of the basic file characteristics.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. RNDr. Ladislav Kulčár, CSc., Mgr. Pavol Král', PhD.

**Course:** STATISTICS 2

**Annotation:** Probability, random variable of probability distribution of discrete and continuous variable. Sample examination, probability distributions of sample characteristics. Interval estimators of the basic file characteristics. Tests of statistical hypotheses concerning the basic file characteristics. Goodness of fit. Regression and correlation analysis of two and more variables. Test of independency of qualitative measures and analysis of dependency of qualitative measures.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. RNDr. Ladislav Kulčár, CSc., Mgr. Pavol Král', PhD.

**Course:** WORLD ECONOMY

**Annotation:** The characteristics of basic international economic relationships and their development especially after the World War II. and their perspectives in the 21st century under the condition of globalization. The characteristics of main regions of world economy – developed, transitional and developing countries.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. PhDr. Jozef Horeháj, PhD., Ing. Mária Považanová, PhD.

## **A2 Matière de la Filière partiellement francophone**

**Course:** CIVILISATION FRANCAISE

**Annotation:** Le but de ce cours est de se familiariser avec la civilisation des Français pour pouvoir la comparer avec celle des Slovaques. L'accent est mis sur les différences politiques, économiques, culturelles ainsi que sur les aspects les plus attrayants du point de vue du tourisme, de la société en général (démographie, gastronomie, us et coutumes, etc.).

Thèmes : la notion de culture, les étapes historiques et culturelles les plus importantes en France et en Slovaquie, la situation économique et sociale des pays concernés, leurs systèmes d'éducation, la santé publique, le rôle des médias et leur influence sur la société, l'identité ethnique, culturelle et religieuse des deux pays, les problèmes d'émigration et d'immigration, le patrimoine culturel et historique.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** 7

**Lecturer:** Christophe Lips

**Course:** COMMUNICATION INTERCULTURELLE

**Annotation:** Acquisition d'une compétence communicative afin de développer la coopération internationale. Relations interculturelles et interpersonnelles entre des Français et les Slovaques. Connaître les mentalités, la façon de réfléchir et le comportement des Slovaques et des étrangers. Communication verbale et non verbale. Management interculturel. Tourisme du point de vue interculturel. Gastronomie - particularités.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. RNDr. Ľudmila Mešková, PhD.

**Course:** GESTION D'ENTREPRISE

**Annotation:** Créer une entreprise : projet, moyen, créateur, décideur, gestionnaire. Entreprise - objet d'analyse complémentaire. Classification des entreprises. Décisions dans l'entreprise,

typologie et caractéristiques des décisions. Systèmes d'information, gestion de l'information par l'entreprise. Organisation de la circulation de l'information. Analyse de l'environnement concurrentiel. Stratégie et choix stratégique. Mercatique et connaissance du marché. Segmentation et positionnement. Politique du produit, politique des prix. Politique commerciale : distribution et communication, organisation commerciale, force de vente. Activité productive, types de production, sa flexibilité, impératifs modernes.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Jana Marasová, PhD.

**Course:** INFORMATIQUE

**Annotation:** L'introduction en l'informatique pour les économistes. Les systèmes d'informations et de technologies, le traitement automatique de données. Les ordinateurs personnels et les logiciels. Les systèmes opérationnels, leur application. Le traitement de texte en Microsoft Word. L'évolution et la distribution du logiciel. La création des présentations électroniques en Microsoft Power Point. La sauvegarde des données traitées. Les réseaux de communication. L'architecture client-serveur. Les caractéristiques de l'Internet, ses services principaux, World Wide Web. De nouvelles tendances en informatique. L'informatisation de la société – apports et risques.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** RNDr. Miroslav Hužvár, PhD.

**Course:** MACROECONOMIE

**Annotation:** Le cours permet à l'étudiant de s'approprier les notions macroéconomiques, de comprendre et de justifier les interactions des processus et des phénomènes économiques au niveau national et d'apprendre à les analyser. Thèmes : les objectifs et les instruments de la politique macroéconomique, les indicateurs de la performance économique, la consommation, l'épargne et l'investissement, l'inflation et le chômage, la croissance économique, le cycle économique, les relations commerciales internationales.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Jana Marasová, PhD.

**Course:** MICROECONOMIE

**Annotation:** Le cours permet de se familiariser avec les catégories économiques principales et de les appliquer aux conditions de l'économie de marché. Les étudiants apprennent à comprendre les interactions des phénomènes microéconomiques, le comportement et les décisions des agents économiques. Thèmes : l'introduction en Economie – lois et grandes questions, le marché, l'analyse de la demande et de l'offre, le comportement du consommateur, la fonction de production, l'analyse des coûts et des recettes, l'entreprise en concurrence parfaite et imparfaite, le marché des facteurs de production, la distribution des revenus.

**Language:** Français  
**Number of Credits:** 5  
**Semester:** Winter  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Jana Marasová, PhD.

**Course:** NEGOCIATIONS COMMERCIALES

**Annotation:** Profil du négociateur. Spécificités nationales. Motivation et typologie des partenaires. Culture de négociation: stratégies et procédés. Étapes de la négociation. Préparation de la négociation: s'informer sur le partenaire, analyser la concurrence, fixer les objectifs, préparer le scénario de négociation. Entrée en négociation: accueil et présentations. Déroulement des négociations: présenter ses opinions, faire les concessions. Clôture des débats: bilan de la négociation, signature du contrat.

**Language:** Français  
**Number of Credits:** 3  
**Semester:** Winter  
**Lecturer:** Mgr. Lucia Franková, Doc. RNDr. Ludmila Mešková, PhD.

**Course:** POLITIQUE ECONOMIQUE APPROFONDIE

**Annotation:** Le cours enrichit les connaissances des étudiants sur les instruments et la stratégie de la politique économique des économies de marché modernes, en abordant certains problèmes actuels concernant la mise en question du rôle de l'Etat. L'attention est prêtée à la comparaison de la politique économique de la Slovaquie avec celle des certains pays de l'Union Européenne, en visant notamment l'efficacité socio-économique des instruments de l'Etat.

**Language:** Français  
**Number of Credits:** 3  
**Semester:** Summer  
**Lecturer:** Prof. Ing. Mária Uramová, PhD.

**Course:** POLITIQUE MONETAIRE EURPEENE

**Annotation:** Le cours est consacré à l'analyse de l'impact de la politique monétaire européenne sur l'environnement macro et micro économiques des pays non membres. On évalue les conséquences des décisions de la Banque centrale européenne sur le milieu concurrentiel des entreprises ainsi que l'influence directe de ces décisions sur les choix opérationnels et stratégiques des managers. Quelques questions concernant la préparation des pays en transformation à l'entrée dans l'union monétaire sont également abordées.

**Language:** Français  
**Number of Credits:** 3  
**Semester:** Summer  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Žaneta Lacová

**Course:** TERMINOLOGIE ECONOMIQUE 1

**Annotation:** Maîtrise de la terminologie économique sur la base des textes sélectionnés en fonction des matières économiques données en français. L'accent est mis sur les expressions techniques, expressions figées stylistiquement neutres, expressions idiomatiques "professionnelles".  
Thèmes: 1/ entreprise – rôle, objectif, organisation de l'entreprise, organigramme, production, politique commerciale – produit, lancement du produit sur le marché, prix, instruments, marketing, étude de marché, financement de l'entreprise, relation

entreprise-banque, politique de crédit, créances, engagements.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. RNDr. Ludmila Mešková, PhD.

**Course:** TERMINOLOGIE ECONOMIQUE 2

**Annotation:** Le but du cours est d'acquérir et de maîtriser la terminologie économique sur la base des textes sélectionnés en fonction des matières économiques données en français dans le cadre de la Filière partiellement francophone.

Thèmes: Logistique, ressources humaines, répartition du temps de travail, recrutement, rémunération, formation, vocabulaire de l'informatique de base, Internet dans la vie professionnelle.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. RNDr. Ludmila Mešková, PhD.

**Course:** UNION EUROPEENE

**Annotation:** Le contenu du cours vise un enrichissement des connaissances concernant l'économie mondiale, il attire l'attention des étudiants sur quelques problèmes particuliers de l'intégration européenne et son élargissement.

Thèmes: la naissance et l'évolution de l'intégration en Europe, la formation de l'union douanière et du marché commun, le Traité de Maastricht et les étapes de la formation de l'union monétaire, le milieu économique et social de l'UE, l'adhésion des PECO à l'UE.

**Language:** Français

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Žaneta Lacová

**B. Optional courses offered by Department of languages / Matières facultatives du Département des Langues Etrangères / Wahlfächer des Lehrstuhls für fachsprachliche Kommunikation**

**Course:** BASIC PROBLEMS OF MARKET ECONOMY

**Annotation:** This course covers the problems of a market economy. It explores the different types of economic models including what was relevant in the past and what are the different models in use today. We cover the effects of supply and demand, unemployment, inflation, globalization, and fiscal policies and how they affect the economy. We will explore the power of unintended consequences and the externalities of economic decisions. We try to answer the questions about what is the role of government in deciding what is to be produced with our resources and how should government ensure stable prices, full employment, and ensure a rising standard of living for ourselves and future generations?

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter, Summer

**Lecturer:** David Cole, MFA



**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN BUSINESS (BUSINESS COMMUNICATION)

**Annotation:** The course combines the development of language skills and the subject knowledge of economy. It is designed for advanced students who intend to improve their communication skills in English through case studies in international business. Students will develop their overall language skills, such as discussion, extensive reading, use of vocabulary, and writing letters and proposals. Business skills, e.g. strategies for negotiations, making decisions and business meetings will also be practised.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Anna Zelenková

**Course:** INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquire cross-cultural communication competence in business, to be aware of the values of students' own culture and differences among cultures and to develop critical attitude to stereotypes and biases. The course gives brief overview of the cultural barriers and their solutions, discusses the cultural clashes in the context of cultural dimensions and shows ways to cultural learning and cultural awareness.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter, Summer

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Dana Benčíková, PhD., Mgr. Marta Teremová

**Course:** SLOVAK LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS 1

**Annotation:** Meeting people, introducing each other, family relations, telephoning, time, making arrangements, daily regime, shopping, visiting people, invitations, suggestions, simple vocabulary of periodicals – newspapers and magazines.

**Language:** English, German

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Martin Hakulin, Mgr. Andreja Vidová

**Course:** SLOVAK LANGUAGE FOR FOREIGNERS 2

**Annotation:** School and work schedule, hobbies, free time activities (sport, reading books, going to theatre or cinema etc.), likes and dislikes, in the restaurant, at the café, vocabulary of periodicals – newspapers and magazines.

**Language:** English, German

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Martin Hakulin, Mgr. Andreja Vidová

**C. Special Courses for Erasmus Students / Matières Spécifiques pour les Etudiants Erasmus /  
Spezialfächer für Erasmus Studenten**

**Course: DESTINATION TOURISM**

**Annotation:** Introduction to tourism. Tourism supply. Tourism demand. Assessing impacts of tourism in destinations. Tourism information system in destinations.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** doc. Ing. Lubomír Kmeco, PhD.

**Course: DIRECT MARKETING**

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquire principle and importance of DM for company and to learn to draw up successful advertising campaign in DM.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter, summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Janka Petrovičová, PhD.

**Course: CASE STUDIES IN FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT**

**Annotation:** 1. CS "SIP, s.r.o." – application of budgeting, controlling and cost management.  
2. CS "Global Communications" – dividend policy and its evaluation  
3. CS "Welton Comp." – optimization of capital structure and cost of capital.  
4. CS "SAP, AG" – optimization of capital structure  
5. Complex CS "WOODSTOCK, a.s." – application of financial analysis and selected aspects of controlling.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Peter Krištofík, PhD., Ing. Hussam Musa, PhD.

**Course: FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT**

**Annotation:** The scope of financial management; Valuation (DCF and other methods, valuation of bonds and stocks); Capital budgeting (techniques, cash flow in capital budgeting, risk and capital budgeting); Capital structure and dividend policy (long term financing, capital structure and market efficiency, capital structure – theory and taxes, non-tax determinants of capital structure theories, dividend policy); Short term financial decisions (working capital management).

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Peter Krištofík, PhD., Ing. Hussam Musa, PhD.

**Course: FINANCIAL MARKETS**

**Annotation:** Financial markets – basic issues (money vs. capital markets); Money markets, instruments and trading; Capital markets, instruments and trading; Bond markets and valuation of bonds; Stock markets and valuation of stocks; Derivatives markets – instruments and valuation of financial derivatives; Analysis of financial markets – fundamental and technical analysis.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 4  
**Semester:** winter  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Peter Krištofik, PhD.

**Course:** FUZZY SETS THEORY

**Annotation:** Simple introduction to fuzzy sets theory. Fuzzy sets theory can be used to describe vague terms.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 3  
**Semester:** Winter, Summer  
**Lecturer:** Mgr. Pavol Kráľ, PhD.

**Course:** INSURANCE MATHEMATICS

**Annotation:** Life insurance, lump sum premium, special type of annuities, general formula on a calculate of lump sum premium, net current premium, gross premium, premium reserve, risk and saving part of premium, surrender of a policy, the profit a insurance company.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 3  
**Semester:** Winter, Summer  
**Lecturer:** RNDr. Jana Špírková

**Course:** INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

**Annotation:** The course is oriented to the objectives and issues of the international business development, specifically to strategic alliances, international corporations, mergers and acquisitions, franchising, licensing, networking e-business, e-commerce and other progressive forms of the strategic partnership for international expansion.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 3  
**Semester:** Winter  
**Lecturer:** Ing. Dagmar Kokavcová, PhD., Ing. Lena Theodoulides, MBA

**Course:** INTERNATIONAL MARKETING AND MANAGEMENT

**Annotation:** Theory of international business and economy development, world business environment, international business, operations in the international environment and contracts, payment system, information, forms of the international business, globalization and international entrepreneurship, integration processes, international forms of economics business cooperation at the enterprise level, Slovakia in the international business, intercultural management.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 4  
**Semester:** Winter, summer  
**Lecturer:** Prof. Ing. Jaroslav Ďaďo, PhD.

**Course:** INTERNATIONALER TOURISMUS

**Annotation:** Definition und Erfassung des Tourismus. Internationaler Tourismus als Erscheinungsform des Tourismus. Der historische Aspekt des Internationalen Tourismus.

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**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

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**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Winter, summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. Ing. Jaroslav Ďaďo, PhD.

**Course:** INTERNATIONALER TOURISMUS

**Annotation:** Definition und Erfassung des Tourismus. Internationaler Tourismus als Erscheinungsform des Tourismus. Der historische Aspekt des Internationalen Tourismus. Entwicklungen im Welttourismus. Die Entwicklungen auf dem europäischen Tourismusmarkt. Die internationalen Tourismusorganisationen.

Thema der Seminar Arbeit für den Studenten: Die Stellung des Landes der Studenten im internationalen Tourismus.

**Language:** German

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** prof. Ing. Marian Gúčik, PhD.

**Course:** LOBBYING

**Annotation:** Subject focuses at clarification and importance of lobbying in practice of public sector and interest organizations. It clarifies the core of lobbying, organizational and institutional foundations of lobbying and lobbying organizations. Students will deal with strategies and tactics of lobbying campaigns as well as lobbying forms.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Ján Šebo, PhD.; Mgr. Štefan Maceják

**Course:** MONETARY POLICY OF THE ECB

**Annotation:** Information on the European System of Central Banks (Eurosystem, decision-making bodies of ECB, transmission mechanism of monetary policy strategy, operational framework: open market operations, standing facilities, minimum reserves); Identification of assets and liabilities of non-financial and financial sectors; Overview of financial intermediaries (Monetary financial institutions, Other financial intermediaries, Insurance corporations and Pension funds).

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Emília Zimková, PhD.

**Course:** SUSTAINABLE TOURISM

**Annotation:** The definition, characteristic of sustainable development and sustainable tourism. Agenda 21 – program of sustainable development, Agenda 21 and sustainable tourism development. The objectives and limits of sustainable tourism in contemporary tourism praxis. The tourism policy in 21st century. Tourism planning – methodology of planning process. The role of public, private sector and NGO in sustainable tourism development.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** doc. Ing. Jana Kučerová, PhD.

**Course:** THEORY OF SERVICES

**Annotation:** The subject deals with the position and characteristics of services in economic system of modern society. Undergraduates explore the essence of services, common and specific features of services. Subject uncovers development tendencies in services and creates foundations for future study of services in higher classes.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Ján Šebo, PhD.

**Course:** TOURISM MARKETING

**Annotation:** Introduction: Marketing for Hospitality and Tourism. The Marketing Environment. Marketing Information Systems and Marketing Research. Consumer Buying Behaviour. Market Segmentation, Targeting and Positioning. Designing and Managing Products. Pricing Consideration, Approaches and Strategy. Distribution Channels. Promoting Products: Communication and Promotion Policy and Advertising, Public Relations, Sales Promotion. Electronic marketing. Destination Marketing.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Vanda Maráková, PhD.

**Course:** MANAGEMENT IN DER HOTELLERIE UND GASTRONOMIE

**Annotation:** Der Standort des Betriebes. Das Marktkonzept von Hotelbetrieben. Betriebsarten und Betriebstypen des Gastgewerbes. Zusammenarbeit in der Hotellerie. Die Aufbauorganisation von Hotelbetrieben. Die gastgewerbliche Leistung als Dienstleistung. Der Beherbergungsbereich. Der Gastronomiebereich. Thema der Seminar Arbeit für den Studenten: Der Einfluß der Globalisierung auf die Hotellerie in (Land der Studenten).

**Language:** German

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter, summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. Ing. Peter Patúš, PhD.

## 5. FACULTY OF EDUCATION



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## ECTS Courses for Foreign Students

### FACULTY OF EDUCATION Department of Evangelical Theology and Mission

#### **Course:** DOGMATICS 2

**Annotation:** To acquire coherent knowledge of actual dogmatic issues.

Introductory lectures in: Anthropology (biblical), Man as Imago Dei in status integritatis et corruptionis Christology, Pneumatology, Ecclesiology, Soteriology and Eschatology.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. J. Liguš, PhD.

#### **Course:** FUNDAMENTALS OF CATECHETIC

**Annotation:** To acquire basic knowledge of catechetic as a scientific discipline, of didactics, of methodology and matter in religious education and upbringing. To acquire a survey of catechetic education and upbringing in different times of history. To internalise catechetic skills and abilities to use compulsive forms, methods and tools.

Main biblical concepts of catechetic in the NT. A brief historical survey of teaching methods and education; catechetic as practical theology and its relation to pedagogical communication and psychological sciences; catechetical subject and theoretical, biblical and catechetical aspects of Evangelical churches.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. J. Liguš, PhD.

**Course:** ECUMENICAL THEOLOGY

**Annotation:** To gain knowledge for a qualified assessment of possibilities for ecumenical cooperation and to be able to reflect his/her own denomination. He/she will be able to understand historical development and today's ecumenical fellowship of churches as well as to assess opportunities for its future development.

: Bible – Its Authority and Interpretation in Ecumenical Movement. Ecumenism – meaning. World Council of Churches. Conference of European Churches. Evangelical Alliance. Confessional Councils. Christian Denominations in Slovakia. Possibilities for Ecumenical Cooperation in Slovakia. Denominational Preconditions for Ecumenism in Slovakia.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. P. Procházka, PhD.

**Course:** NEW TESTAMENT EXEGESIS 4

**Annotation:** To become acquainted with the accents of Paul's letter to the Ephesians (the significance of Church of Christ). To acquire skills to expound the letter. Ephesians: Church as the Body of Christ fulfils its mission, when it becomes community of (1) life, (2) unity, (3) purity, (4) relationships.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** A. Masarik, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** OLD TESTAMENT EXEGESIS 2

**Annotation:** Ancient legal codes. Ancient international treaties and OT covenant. The historical and environmental background of the Mosaic Law. Prologue and the commandments of the Decalogue.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 4

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** P. Hanes, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** HEBREW 4

**Annotation:** Readings and text analysis in Genesis 37–41 (Joseph narratives).

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** P. Hanes, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** CHAPEL SERVICE PRACTICUM 7-10

**Annotation:** Students' practical exegesis and ministering of God's Word to teachers and other students of 1<sup>st</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> year with various content and methodical orientation on: Christian holidays, various church and out-of-church occasions, education of children, teens, youth and whole church /parish/, literary artistic and musical programs, pantomimes, dramas and personal testimonies of students /and teachers/, including church music and poetry.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 4x2

**Semesters:** both winter and summer

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Matúš Moyzes

**Course:** VOCATIONAL PRACTICUM 1-3

**Annotation:** Subject matters and Course outlines: Continual vocational practicum is performed by a student himself/herself in churches or their central offices, church or para-church organisations and institutions, summer camps with humanitarian activities etc. There he/she performs various kinds of services according to his/her position and vocational skills.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3x1(continual) plus internship (2 weeks)

**Semester:** both summer and winter

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Matúš Moyzes

**Course:** PASTORAL THEOLOGY 2

**Annotation:** Pastoral care according to age categories: Young adults. Middle age. Senior citizens. Interpersonal relations. Sexual questions: Marital and extramarital sexual relations. Homosexuality. Sexual deviations. Pastoral care and quality of life: Body disorders and death. Life without a partner. Alcoholism. Drugs. Special pastoral care: Mental disorders, suicide intentions.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. P. Procházka, PhD.

**Course:** ETHICS 2

**Annotation:** Subject matters and Course outlines: Institutions and human communities of today: marriage /as a fellowship of sacrifice, eros, sex, submission and parting/, family /children and parents/, church /Christian and his church, life in the world etc./, state /theological, social, national and other issues/.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** J. Henžel, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** OLD TESTAMENT THEOLOGY

**Annotation:** Authority of the OT. Problems and methods of the OT Theology. Its relationship to the NT. Theological development in the history of Israel: before patriarchs, patriarchal era, Mosaism, kingship, wisdom Text, post-exilic era. Themes of systematic OT biblical theology: God's names, man and woman, creation and the world, sin, covenant, the Law, religious rites.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 4



**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** P. Hanes, M.A., PhD.

**Name of course:** New Testament Theology

**Annotation:** Synoptic circle (Synoptics and Acts), Paul's first letters (1-2 Thessalonians, 1-2 Corinthians, Galatians and Romans), Letters from Prison (Philippians, Philemon, Colossians, Ephesians), Pastoral Letters (1-2 Timothy, Titus, Appendix: Hebrews), Catholic Letters (James, 1-2 Peter), Johannine Writings (John, 1-3 John), Revelation.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 4

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** A. Masarik, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** RESEARCH METHODOLOGY AND THESES WRITING

**Annotation:** Research methodology. Theses' project: Topic selection. Contests. Language. Formal issues. Model theses' presentation. Critical dialogues in class.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. P. Procházka, PhD

**Course:** APOLOGETICS

**Annotation:** Christian Apologetics, the notion, goals, method, relations with the Philosophy of Religion, examples of its application. Relationship of the Christian faith to the facts of history. Biblical prophecies and mathematical probability. Arguments for the existence of God – philosophical, empirical. Science and faith. Reason and faith, types of cognitive process, the process of acquiring wisdom. Religious experience and scientific proof. Modern science and Christianity.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** RNDr. D. Krupa, PhD.

**Course:** HERMENEUTICS

**Annotation:** Hermeneutics as science; origin, division, its relative disciplines. A brief historical preview of hermeneutic conceptions (from 1<sup>st</sup> century AD to 1970). Basic principles of Biblical Hermeneutics. General and Biblical Hermeneutics (what they have common and different). Brief preview of hermeneutic methods. Introduction to Philosophical Hermeneutics. Main Philosophical hermeneutic systems (18<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> centuries: Diltthey, Gadamer, Heidegger, Husserl). Historic-Biblical method of interpretation of Scripture and theologia regeneritorum. Linguistic types: Allegory, parabola, metaphor, poetry, mythology, etc.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. J. Liguš, PhD.

**Course:** THE CHURCH AND THE LAW

**Annotation:** The Church and the law as a subject of study. Selected problems from the Civil law. Legal positions of the churches in the Slovak Republic. Other legal standards referring to registered churches and religious societies. Documents of the basic rights and discretions.

Registration of the churches and religious societies. Functioning of the registered churches 34 and religious societies in accordance with the Act No. 308/1991 on churches and religious societies. Statute book of the employment. Law about the family. Preparation of the legislative modification of the relationships between state and churches in the Slovak Republic, comparison with some developed countries. Implementation of the state policy in churches.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. Pavel Procházka, PhD.

**Course:** CHURCH MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP

**Annotation:** Church in the world. Congregation and church in mission. Discipline. Denominational books of discipline. Church policies. Leadership. Administration. Conferences. Commissions. Church board. Public relations. Church and money.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. P. Procházka, PhD.

**Course:** HISTORY OF DOGMAS

**Annotation:** Understanding of dogma and its development in theology. Development of dogmas about: Trinity, the Person of Jesus Christ, the Church, Man, Salvation of men, Sacraments, Authority and The Last Things.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. J. Maďar, M.A.

**Course:** THEOLOGICAL SYSTEMS

**Annotation:** Theological inquiry into theological systems of the Protestant Reformation, Orthodoxy, Pietism and Theology of 20<sup>th</sup> century (i.e. Dialectic, Liberal, Feminist theologies and Black theology including Theology of Revolution). Mainstreams of Evangelical theological systems (The Spiritual Awakening, American Revivalism and European Spiritual streams, etc. adapted to Evangelical theological systems).

*Text:* McGrath A.E (ed.) The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Modern Christian Thought. Blackwell Publishers 1993

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. J. Liguš, PhD.

**Course:** SEMINAR IN HOMILETICS 1

**Annotation:** Listening and analysis of the recorded sermons of various pastors/preachers and also listening to one's own recorded sermons.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** A. Masarik, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** PRACTICAL EXEGESIS

**Annotation:** 1. The term and the aims of practical exegesis. 2. Levels of practical exegesis. 3. Basic guidelines. 4. Practical work of the students.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** A. Masarik, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** LITURGICAL SEMINAR

**Annotation:** The notion of “liturgy” – New Testament references. Liturgy and historical Christianity. Varieties of today's understanding of liturgy. Survey: Various worship services of church year. Holidays. Specific expressions of worship. Youth and young adults in worship. Liturgy and ecumenical family of churches.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. P. Procházka, PhD.

**Course:** OLD TESTAMENT EXEGESIS 3

**Annotation:** Psalms. Introduction to the literary form. Praise: Ps 149; Ps 8; Lament: Ps 51; Ps 109; Thanksgiving Ps 32; Trust: Ps 16; Historical Narrative Ps 114; Wisdom Ps 1; Royal psalms: Ps 110; Ps 2.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** P. Hanes, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** A HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHICAL SYSTEMS

**Annotation:** Origins of philosophical thinking. Greek philosophy to Socrates. Plato, Aristotle. Classical Greek philosophy after Aristotle. Rationalism, Spinoza and Pantheism. Leibniz, Locke, Berkeley, Hume, Empirism. Rousseau. Kant, Hegel, Comte's Positivism. Schopenhauer, Voluntarism, Kierkegaard, Existentialism, Nietzsche. Marx, Bergson and Whitehead, Metaphysics. James, Dewey. Husserl, phenomenology. Wittgenstein, Russell, Moore, Logical atomism and positivism. Sartre, Jaspers, Heidegger and existentialism. Ayer, Derrida deconstruction. Postmodernism.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** P. Hanes, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** NEW TESTAMENT SEMINAR

**Annotation:** Jesus acts in the Synoptic Gospels (Healings, The works at the sea, The works of physical help).

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** A. Masarik, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** PASTORAL THEOLOGY 3

**Annotation:** Specific pastoral cases: Regimen. Social ills. Addictions. Joy. Sorrow. Work. Leisure. Sport. Church-based pastoral care: Baptism. The Holy Communion. Premarital counselling. Newly-weds care. Families with children. Empty nest situation. Senior couples. Widowed. Pastoral letters. Discourses under seal. Reconciliation. Exhortation. Special pastoral environment: City. Town. Diaspora.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. ThDr. P. Procházka, PhD.

**Course:** OLD TESTAMENT SEMINAR

**Annotation:** Critical evaluation of exegetical methods used in scientific and popular text available for lay teachers.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 4

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** P. Hanes, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** DENOMINATIONAL TRAINING 1-3

**Annotation:** Subject of special studies: the basics of denominational identity, principles and specific doctrinal emphases of churches and denominations, their history, contemporary life and future, church liturgy and ceremonies, missions and ministry, apologetics, administration of material and spiritual resources in ministry, ecumenical co-operation.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3x1

**Semester:** both winter and summer

**Lecturer:** Assoc. Prof. D. Hanesová, M.A., PhD.

**Course:** SEMINAR IN HOMILETICS 2

**Annotation:** Funeral sermons: Church funeral and its aims. Collecting ideas. Selection of Bible text. Psychological components of a funeral sermon: pain and hope; Spiritual components of funeral sermons. Negatives; taking death lightly. Wedding sermons: homiletic specifics of a Christian wedding.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Lecturer:** A. Masarik, M.A., PhD.

**Semester:** winter

**Course:** OLD TESTAMENT EXEGESIS 4

**Annotation:** Prophets. Introduction to OT prophetic Text. Isaiah 6, Hosea 1. student's choice of New Testament study and commentaries according to chosen topic.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** P. Hanes, M.A., PhD.

**Name of course:** MARTIAL ARTS WITH BLIND CHILDREN – 5CR

**Annotation:**

- basic techniques at martial arts
- special techniques of martial arts with blind children

- karate with blind children (kata exercises)
- judo and wrestling with blind children
- theory and didactics of martial arts
- using of martial arts with blind children

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

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## ECTS Courses for Foreign Students

### FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

#### Department of European Cultural Studies

**Course:** RUSSIAN CULTURAL STUDIES

**Language:** Russian

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** PaedDr. Katarína Jackulíková

**Course:** RUSSIAN CULTURAL STUDIES

**Language:** Russian

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** PaedDr. Katarína Jackulíková

**Course:** RUSSIAN CULTURAL STUDIES

**Language:** Russian

**Number of Credits:** depends on each semester (see our Study Beadeker)

**Semester:** winter, summer

**Lecturer:** Doc.PhDr.Eva Kollárová,PhD.

**Course:** RUSSIAN CULTURAL STUDIES FOR 1<sup>st</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> SEMESTER

**Language:** Russian

**Number of Credits:** depends on each semester (see our Study Beadeker)

**Semester:** winter, summer

**Lecturer:** Doc.PhDr.Eva Kollárová,PhD.

**Course:** BRITISH CULTURAL STUDIES

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Roman Licko, PhD.,

**Course:** BRITISH CULTURAL STUDIES

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Roman Licko, PhD.

**Course:** GERMAN CULTURAL STUDIES I.

**Language:** German

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** PaedDr.H.Bálintová, PhD.

**Course:** GERMAN CULTURAL STUDIES

**Language:** German

**Number of Credits:** depends on each semester (see our Study Beadeker)

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Ivica Lenčová, PhD., Christoph Rosenbaum, M.A.

**Course:** FRENCH CULTURAL STUDIES

**Language:** French

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Milan Štulrajter, PhD.

**Course:** EUROPEAN AND WORLD INSTITUTIONS

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** depends on each semester (see our Study Beadeker)

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Alexandra Bitušíková, CSc.

**Course:** CULTURAL HERITAGE OF SLOVAKIA IN THE EUROPEAN CONTEXT (P)

**Language:** Slovak, basic terminology in English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. P. Martuliak, Mgr. O.Tomeček, Mgr. H. Chorvátová, PhDr. H.Lisková, Mgr. R.Kožiak, Mgr., Imrich Nagy

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY OF CULTURE

**Language:** Slovak, English, Russian

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** doc.PhDr. Eva Kollárová, PhD.  
doc. PhDr. Etela Farkašová, CSc.

**Course:** MINORITIES AND MULTICULTURAL COMMUNICATION (V)

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** depends on each semester (see our Study Beadeker)

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Alexandra Bitušíková, CSc.

**Course:** MANAGEMENT OF CULTURE

**Language:** Slovak, key concepts in English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Jana Nová

**Course:** ENGLISH, FRENCH AND GERMAN CULTURAL STUDIES. THE FOREIGN LANGUAGE AS A MEANS OF INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION.

**Language:** German (G), French (F), English (E )

**Number of Credits:** depends on each semester (see our Study Beadeker)

**Semester:** 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> semesters

**Lecturer:** N - Mgr. Zuzana Tuhárska, Mgr. Edita Jurčáková, PhD.  
A – Mgr. P. Jesenská  
F – Mgr. Z. Čertíková, Mgr. M. Zázrivcová

**Course:** PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

**Language:** Slovak, English, German (selected problems)

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Lecturer:** doc. Ing. Ľubica Švantnerová, PhD.  
Ing. E. Sekerešová, Ing. J. Blahútová



## 7. FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES



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## ECTS

### Courses for Foreign Students

#### FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES

##### Course: DYNAMICAL SYSTEMS

**Annotation:** The notion of a discrete dynamical system given by a space and its continuous self-mapping. Examples of dynamical systems on the interval. Periodic orbits and Swarovski's Theorem. Dynamical systems on the circle. Symbolic dynamics. Topological conjugacy. Topological dynamics in metric spaces: omega-limit sets, recurrence, transitivity, minimality, various forms of chaos, topological entropy. (Depending on an agreement with the students, the contents of the course can slightly vary).

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** prof. RNDr. Ľubomír Snoha, DSc., DrSc.

##### Course: ECONOMETRICS

**Annotation:** Econometrics of cross-sectional data. Gaussian linear regression model (GLRM). Estimation and inference in GLRM. Misspecification of model: diagnostic tools. Linear regression model: properties of Least Squares method; inference. Applications. (Depending on an agreement with the students, the contents of the course can slightly vary).

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** doc. Mgr. Marian Grendár, PhD.

**Course:** PHYSICS PROBLEM SOLVING I

**Annotation:** The course aims to introduce applications of mechanics using simple mathematics and to develop students' problem solving abilities. The themes of the course cover methodology of problem solving in physics; vectors in physics; simple types of motion; Newton's laws; work, energy and conservation laws; rotational kinematics and dynamics; projectile motions; simple harmonic motion; mechanical waves.

**Language:** English, German

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester (winter/summer):** winter

**Lecturer:** M.S. Evgeni Kolomeitsev, PhD.

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO MEASUREMENT

**Annotation:** Introduction to methods of performing experiments and analysis of experimental data is given. Particular attention is paid to error analysis and to discussion of statistical and systematical uncertainties. System of units SI is introduced. Graphical presentation of data and procedures are discussed: tables, plots, protocol. Introduction to computer supported experiments is given.

**Language:** English, German

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester(winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** M.S. Evgeni Kolomeitsev, PhD.

**Course:** ELEMENTARY PARTICLES

**Annotation:** This course will give an introduction to high energy physics on the level of (selected chapters from) the book by Perkins. We shall discuss basic kinematic variables and relations used in high energy physics. Symmetries and conservation laws for various types of interactions shall be reviewed. Some part shall be devoted to hadronic cross sections and to the structure of hadrons. A short look at the experimental facilities used in high-energy physics shall be given.

**Language:** English, German

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester(winter/summer):** winter

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Boris Tomášik, PhD.

**Course:** MECHANICS

**Annotation:** Goal of the theme is to acquaint the students with basics of mechanics, to teach them systematically to work with primer idea and literature, and give them basis of methodology solving physical tasks. This discipline introduces a lot of ideas and phenomenological description actions, which are the ground for further understanding of other physical sectors. Discourses offer students to have integrated look at given problems from classic physics as well as from views of constraints mathematical resources at the beginning of their academic study.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 6

**Semester(winter/summer):** winter

**Lecturer:** doc. Ing. Ján Klima, PhD.

**Course:** THEORY OF ELECTROMAGNETIC FIELD

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to extend and generalize the knowledge of electricity and magnetism with reciprocal condition system of electric and magnetic fields into the electromagnetic field as independent demonstration of material and substances. The theme makes it possible to illustrate concrete patterns combining theory with practice and apply received knowledge in other disciplines. It also presents effects of strong electromagnetic fields on physiology of human beings, interaction of electromagnetic fields with stuff and ecological consequences of such effects.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** doc. Ing. Ján Klima, PhD.

**Course:** SOLID STATE PHYSICS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to provide basic theoretical knowledge about structural and physical properties of solid materials. It comprises crystal structure and symmetry, diffraction methods for determining crystalline structures, defects in crystal lattice, band theory, vibrations and thermal properties, electronic properties of metals and semiconductors, electric and transport phenomena, magnetic and optical properties.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester (winter/summer):** winter

**Lecturer:** RNDr. Milan Grendel, PhD.

**Course:** PRACTICUM OF SCHOOL EXPERIMENTS 1, 2, 3

**Annotation:** The practising of experimental skills of future physics teachers, performing/conducting of large number of incentive/motivational physical school experiments, demonstrational experiments. Hands-on experiments, enhancing of exhibited interactive experiments, projectional experiments. Supplementary teaching tools – educational posters, overhead projector slides, power-points as useful/indispensable instructions for preparation, setting up, conducting, commenting, analysing, evaluating, revision of teaching issues, and so on. Emphasis on the relationship between mathematics and ph-experiments, experiments and our daily life, physical experiments and road-traffics, questions of safety on our roads, etc.

**Language:** English, German

**Number of Credits:** 1 - 2, 2 - 2, 3 - 2

**Semester (winter/summer):** 1 - summer, 2 - winter, 3 - summer

**Lecturer:** doc. RNDr. Rastislav Baník, PhD.

**Course:** MULTIMEDIA

**Annotation:** The module includes the basic knowledge of developing multimedia applications and video editing. Different multimedia software tools and video technique equipment are introduced. Students will create their own multimedia application. A good equipped multimedia classroom and studio is available for an individual work.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Dana Horváthová, PhD.

**Course:** GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (GIS)

**Annotation:** Students are acquainted with the philosophy of GIS and they learn the manner of work with a digital map. Basic principles of cartography, creation of digital maps and methods of analysis exploiting GIS are included. This knowledge is applied to the solution of real-life problems using software on Windows operating system platform. The module has two depended parts: work with software IDRISI (a basic of analysis) and work with GeoMedia Professional (create simply GIS project). A GIS laboratory is available for an individual work.

Support: projector, GIS laboratory, maps, paper and copying apparatus

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** PaedDr. Miloslava Sudolská, PhD.

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO CRYPTOLOGY

**Annotation:** This module introduces the basic concepts of cryptography. Various ciphering systems are presented including transposition and substitution systems, rotor machines, and polyalphabetic systems. Block ciphers are discussed, too with emphasis on the Data Encryption Standard (DES) and AES. The RSA and Knapsack ciphers are presented as examples of public key systems. Various case studies of the use of cryptographic systems in communication systems are discussed including some of the issues involved with privacy.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** RNDr., PaedDr. Ladislav Huraj, PhD.

**Course:** PROGRAMMING IN DELPHI

**Annotation:** The goal of this module is to achieve good programming skill in the programming language DELPHI. An accent is given on syntax of the language. More complex algorithmic problems are included and programmed in DELPHI according to the interest of students.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** RNDr., PaedDr. Ladislav Huraj, PhD.

**Course:** PROGRAMMING IN C/C++

**Annotation:** The module introduces a basic knowledge of programming in language C or C++, for programming exercises the C++ Borland Builder is used. An attention is paid to the object-oriented programming. According to the students' skills and knowledge of the programming and algorithms the more complicated algorithmic and programming problems are included into the module.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** PaedDr. Mgr. Vladimír Siládi, PhD.

**Course:** COMPUTER GRAPHICS

**Annotation:** The module introduces the definition of computer picture and methods of its creation, processing, storing and transmission, both in 2D and 3D graphics. The work with

graphic processors is a part of the exercises and the use of computer graphics in different technical and social areas are demonstrated.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** doc. Ing. Jan Klimeš, CSc.

**Course:** OPERATION RESEARCH AND OPTIMISATION

**Annotation:** The decision is an important part of human activity in all social and technical areas. Operation research is a scientific branch, dealing with the search of optimal solution and with the decision computer support. In the module basic ideas of these methods are introduced and demonstrated.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** doc. Ing. Jan Klimeš, CSc.

**Course:** LEGO DACTA

**Annotation:** LEGO Dacta is a building kit enabling various experiments inspired by the informatics problems. It is a very nice toy for children. However, there are wide possibilities of using it for education in a computer science. Students learn how to build and program simple machines made from a LEGO kit.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** RNDr., PaedDr. Ladislav Huraj, PhD.

**Course:** OPERATING SYSTEMS I.

**Annotation:** The module introduces a theoretical knowledge of principles and multitasking algorithms of operating systems. An attention is paid to the introduction, Operating System Concepts, Processes and Threads, Process Scheduling I, Process Scheduling II, Process/Thread Synchronization, Java Threads, Deadlocks Memory Management, Memory Management II: Paging and Segmentation, File Systems, Input/Output Management.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Jarmila Škrinárová, PhD.

**Course:** INTRODUCTION TO JAVA

**Annotation:** The module introduces Java language and some related technologies. Students will develop simple web application.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Michal Vagač

**Course:** ENGLISH FOR APPLIED INFORMATICS

**Annotation:** This module gives students opportunity of improving their language skills using various activities which include reading with understanding, listening, presentation of various informatics themes and creative activities.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 2  
**Semester (winter/summer):** summer  
**Lecturer:** PaedDr. Ivan Brodenec

**Course:** INTERNET 2

**Annotation:** This module shows practical use of technologies used to create WebPages (PHP, CSS, MySQL...). Students will be acquainted with PHP scripting language and its use together with database server, they will learn basics of web-design using style sheets and will create their own dynamical home page.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 4  
**Semester (winter/summer):** summer  
**Lecturer:** PaedDr. Ivan Brodenec

**Course:** DEVELOPING MULTIMEDIA APPLICATION - FLASH

**Annotation:** This module shows practical use of authoring tool Adobe Flash in developing multimedia applications.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 4  
**Semester (winter/summer):** summer  
**Lecturer:** Mgr. Jozef Siláči

**Course:** CHEMICAL BOND THEORY

**Annotation:** The course is devoted specifically to the concepts of chemical structure and bonding. The course covers various topics such as the essentials of quantum mechanics, atomic and molecular structures, valence bond theory, molecular orbital theory and also description of chemical bonding in complexes and solids. Some specific aspects, such as intermolecular interactions and relativistic effects are also included.

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 3  
**Semester (winter/summer):** summer  
**Lecturer:** RNDr. Miroslav Medved', PhD.

**Course:** ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT OF HUMAN SETTLEMENTS

**Annotation:** The understanding of biological fundamentals of human territoriality and principles of prosocial behaviour for the construction of models environmentally suitable for human settlements. Biological basis of territoriality, social roots of territoriality, spatial distances, privacy and aloneness, density and crowding; prosocial behaviour and altruistic motives, empathy, cost – reward analysis, equity, egoism, equality and needs, the just-world hypothesis, community and prosocial behaviour

**Language:** English  
**Number of Credits:** 2  
**Semester (winter/summer):** winter  
**Lecturer:** PhDr. Marta Halašová

**Course:** ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

**Annotation:** To get basic information on environmental health. To inform about effective tools of health promotion and environmental diseases prevention. To learn to identify

environmental health risks and to predict future development and trend of health status of people.

**Subject annotation:** Environmental Health and Public Health. Man and environment (influences and effects). Diseases prevention – actual state and perspectives, infectious diseases prevention, nutrition and diseases prevention – cardiovascular, respiratory and oncology diseases. Methods of population health study, Health statistics, Health Risk Assessment, Environmental compartments and their influence on health – chemical, physical and biological hazards.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester (winter/summer):** winter

**Lecturer:** Ing. Marek Drimal, PhD.

**Course:** HUMAN ETHOLOGY

**Annotation:** Lectures on human ethology for nonbiologists (museologists, ecologists, environmentalists, etc.) are composed of selected themes of comparative study of human behaviour, mainly the adaptation, accommodation, communication of human species. The last lectures include analysis of communication methods – Laban- Knust transcription of kinethography, semiotic analysis in ATLAS.ti. The precondition for getting credits is a terrain research in locality Dolinka (Klenovec, Central Slovakia, Gypsies community) - international research project with Charles University (Prague).

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester (winter/summer):** winter

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Ivan Murin, PhD.

**Course:** SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY

**Annotation:** A short summary of weighty culture anthropological paradigms – evolution views, archetypes in psychoanalysis, British functionalism, structural analysis, cognitive anthropology, semiotic and bio semiotic. The lectures include anthropological interpretation of terms supporting concrete paradigm. For evolution anthropology they involve mainly – *nonlinear* and *multilinear evolution of man*, functionalism – theory of *functions* in society, psychoanalysis – *archetypes, collective consciousness and unconsciousness*, structural analysis and semiotic theory – *structural elements, variant, invariant, permutation* and cognitive theory – *mental representations*.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester (winter/summer):** winter

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Ivan Murin, PhD.

**Name of course:** MODEL MAKING

**Annotation:** The acquirement of the specific knowledge and skills in connection with the base model making vocations for its utilization within the frame of alternative learning matter in the subject of Technical education in spare-time activity area.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 2

**Semester (winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** PaedDr. Ján Stebila

**Name of course:** COMPUTER SUPPORT TEACHING

**Annotation:** Teaching and training is based on real experiments with the System  $\mu$ LAB supported by the PC. High technology, system of electronic protection and high accuracy of all system modules assures perfect harmony between theoretical calculations and experimental results. Through experiments the student acquires a sense for electronics in an easier way which is the best way of supporting his further professional life.

**Language:** English

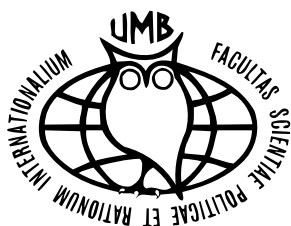
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**Semester(winter/summer):** summer

**Lecturer:** Ing. Ján Pavlovkin, PhD.



## 8. FACULTY OF POLITICAL SCIENCES AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS



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## ECTS Courses for Foreign Students

### FACULTY OF POLITICAL SCIENCES AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

**Course:** COMPARATIVE GOVERNMENT OF THE U.S. AND GREAT BRITAIN

**Annotation:** The aim of provided course is to give students an analysis of government and politics in the United States and Great Britain. The students will obtain important facts, concepts and theories pertaining to the U.S. government and politics. They could learn more about typical patterns of political processes behavior and their consequences, they will be able to analyze and interpret basic data related to the U.S. and Great Britain politics and government.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Branislav Kováčik, PhD.

**Course:** POLITICAL SYSTEM OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to provide an introduction to the political system and political development of the Slovak Republic.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Peter Ondria, PhD., PhDr. Branislav Kováčik, PhD.

**Course:** MODERN POLITICAL SYSTEM

**Annotation:** The course consists of three basic parts: forms and ways of modern political system establishment and development, the structure and operating of its separated elements.

**Language:** Russian

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Prof. PhDr. Ján Koper, PhD.

**Course:** CURRENT CONFLICTS AND CRISES OF THE WORLD

**Annotation:** The course is aimed at foreign students of the Faculty. It is primarily focused on study of conflicts in international relations. The course offers foreign students the possibility of studying issues closely connected with national and international security, because the study of various types of conflicts is an inevitable part of security studies.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Michal Dobřík, PhD.

**Course:** SECURITY IN THE 21<sup>st</sup> CENTURY

**Annotation:** The course is aimed at foreign students of the Faculty. It is primarily focused on study of national and international security issues of the 21<sup>st</sup> century /definition of security and security environment, security risks – new and old ones, problems of international security etc./. The primary goal is to provide students the substantive knowledge and analytic skills they will need to understand security policies in the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. PhDr. Jana Lasicová, PhD., PhDr. Michal Dobřík, PhD.

**Course:** INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

**Annotation:** International relations are focused on international affairs that are of natural political (economic, social, cultural, ecological etc.) character.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. PhDr. Jana Lasicová, PhD., PhDr. Michal Dobřík, PhD.

**Course:** GLOBALIZATION STUDIES I.

**Annotation:** It is impossible to understand current situation without understanding globalization. The world that was reduced to Europe in the 19<sup>th</sup> century and to the Euroatlantic world in the 20<sup>th</sup> century has been recently conceived in its complexity. Political, economic and cultural processes, that occur in particular countries, have generated an increasing international feedback over time and are often causing a chain reaction. The aim of the subject is to throw light on the processes related to the planetary self-organization as a new quality caused by the globalization.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Lubomír Tokár, PhD.

**Course:** GLOBALIZATION STUDIES II.

**Annotation:** A deeper understanding of the current situation is impossible without understanding of globalization. The world that was reduced to Europe in the 19<sup>th</sup> century and to the Euroatlantic world in the 20<sup>th</sup> century has been recently conceived in its complexity. Political, economic and cultural processes, that occur in particular countries, have generated an increasing international feedback over time and are often causing a chain reaction. The aim of the subject is to throw light on the processes related to the planetary self-organization as a new quality caused by the globalization.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Lubomír Tokár, PhD.

**Course:** PROGNOSTICS

**Annotation:** The course of “Prognostics” reflects present societal demand. The present requires developing nontraditional tools and methods of forecasting which adequately answer the calls from the sphere of political practice. New approaches of prognosing future development - modern, state-of-the-art, interdisciplinary, metatheoretical, methodological and paradigmatic approach of the world, international coalitions, states and institutions – are gaining ground. Taking stock of these modern approaches is realized via prognosis, scenario creation, visions and strategies of future development all over the world. The goal of the course is to mediate new paradigmatic knowledge, cognition and practice that are becoming the most important conditions of understanding trends of development and finding the priorities.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Igor Kosír, CSc.

**Course:** INTEGRATION PROCESSES

**Annotation:** The course starts with a general introduction into the matter of economic and political integration as a striking feature of today’s world. On that basis, attention is attributed to the history of European integration and the Slovak Republic’s approach to Central Europe’s integration ambitions. The main focus of the second half is the evolution and institutional structure of the European Union. The analysis of the European Communities’ past with both its more and less successful chapters results into an analysis of the EU’s present structure and its individual policies, procedural and legal peculiarities of the block and present topics of its evolution.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Igor Kosír, CSc.

**Course:** THEORIES OF INTERNATIONALS RELATIONS

**Annotation:** The course deals with major theoretical schools of international relations and their present interpretations. The theories include wide range from geopolitics, through

realism and neo-realism, the theory of interdependence, idealism to functionalism and neo-functional theories. The course pays a special attention to the methodological contribution of the respective schools to international relationist thought (behavioralism, the theory of decision-making and the game theory). The course also analyses the present state and perspective of global politics in terms of different theoretical schools.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Mgr. Lubomír Tokár, PhD.

**Course:** GEOPOLITICS OF THE SLOVAK REPUBLIC

**Annotation:** The course analyses the position of Slovakia in the common geopolitical context of geography and power shifts in the history of Europe and, more specifically, Central Europe. As a framework, the course deals with the most important ideological interpretations of regional geopolitical realities as they appeared in the last two centuries: Pan-Germanism, Pan-Slavism and supranational federalism. As the region appears to be most inclined to national statehood, the Czechoslovak state in various stages of its existence is an important matter, as well as the evolution of today's Slovak Republic, its borders, its relations with neighbours and its statehood. The course also deals with future prospects for the Central European region in the context of current political change.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Daniel Iždinský, Mgr. Lubomír Tokár, PhD.

**Course:** INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

**Annotation:** The course deals specifically with the matter of international organizations, more specifically the inter-governmental ones. The introduction into this subject includes the legal, political and organizational features of these bodies, the way their decisions are proposed, adopted, executed and problems specific of some classes of the organizations. After the general introduction, the course focuses on the United Nations as a major example, its structure and associated agencies, as well as current issues of reform. Another in-depth analyzed example is NATO. The course also deals with other regional and global organizations of different purpose, membership and structure, completing the panorama of the subject.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Peter Rosputinský, PhD.

**Course:** MACROREGIONS OF THE WORLD

**Annotation:** The attention is focused on the gradual forming of the world's macroregions in the context of globalization and the rise of information as economic factor. The course is based on the forming and interaction of three principal regions, the American, the European and the Asian, as well as their mutual dependence and their relations to other regions. The matter includes economic, political, and security aspects and its dynamics makes us face many questions, such as the future role of some not yet fully present players (Russia, India, Brazil), the future of the trans-Atlantic liaison, as well as the prospects of global co-operation in the 21st century.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Igor Kosír, CSc.

**Course:** TRANSFORMATION PROCESSES IN THE VISEGRAD COUNTRIES

**Annotation:** Since 1989, the Visegrad Group nations, Poland, Slovakia, Hungary and the Czech Republic, have experienced a social, economic and political transformation hardly paralleled in their history. The unique combination of likeness and differences between the countries make the process both into a challenge in comparative political science and the basis for understanding the dynamics of Central Europe's present and future. The processes are not to be understood outside the context of European integration and a common vision of the region's future.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Doc. PhDr. Peter Terem, PhD, Doc. PhDr. Peter Čajka, PhD., PhDr. Daniel Iždinský

**Course:** EU POLITICAL PROCESSES AND PRACTICE

**Annotation:** The aim of this course is to provide students with a basic overview of the most important political institutions of the European Union, their internal composition and workings, as well as with a detailed discussion of the EU's decision-making and legislative processes. Attention will be paid to both theoretical aspects and practical insights into the internal functioning of the main EU bodies. Having passed the course, students should be able to critically analyse structures, processes and outputs of the EU institutions.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Ivan Pešout

**Course:** MIGRATION POLICY

**Annotation:** The human migration is an important global issue and an area with considerable political importance. The course covers all fundamental fields related to migration, especially management of migration, giving attention not only to the topics of political relevance, but analysing migration movements from interdisciplinary point of view. The course examines all regions of the world, particularly the territory of the European Union, focusing on the free movement of persons within the EU and the creation of common European migration policy.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Martina Bolečková, PhD., PhDr. Daniela Drobná

**Course:** EXTERNAL RELATIONS OF THE EU

**Annotation:** External policies are formulated and implemented by two of the three EU pillars, the European Community or "the first" pillar and the Common Foreign and Security Policy or "the second" pillar. This course describes the institutions and procedures for external policy making within each of these pillars, and then explores the EU's external relations objectives.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. Ing. Igor Kosír, CSc.

**Course:** BALKANS STUDIES

**Annotation:** Course is aimed at offering insights into Balkan modern history, patterns of current Balkan economies, institutional development in contemporary Balkans and the EU integrations in the Balkans. The outcomes of the course should include:

- Insight into relevant historical processes in the Balkans in the last two centuries
- Knowledge of Balkan transitions and processes of European integrations in the Balkans

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 5

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Dr. Slobodan G. Markovich

**Course:** THE BALKANS AND EU INTEGRATION: POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC ASPECTS

**Annotation:** The principal aim of the course is to offer insights into political and economic patterns that have characterised the countries of the Western Balkans since 1989. Special effort is given to up-to-date analysis. For this reason the special attention is given to political events after 2000.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** Dr. Slobodan G. Markovich

**Course:** POLITICAL SYSTEMS OF THE COUNTRIES OF VISEGRÁD THREE

**Annotation:** The course deals with the issues related to the political systems of the Czech Republic, Hungary and Poland. The analysed political systems have been selected purposively and their choice is influenced by several factors. One of the factors is represented by geopolitical closeness: all three countries can be included into Central Europe geopolitical area. This fact logically educes another factor: economic and political closeness.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 4

**Semester:** Winter

**Lecturer:** PhDr. Peter Ondria, PhD., PhDr. Branislav Kováčik, PhD.

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND DIPLOMACY I,II

**Annotation:** The course has an inter-disciplinary character combining language learning and the area of studies of International Relations. It is aimed at vocabulary learning, discussion on international relations topics and listening – comprehension.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter/Summer

**Lecturer:** Doc. PhDr. Drahomíra Ondrová, CSc.

**Course:** COUNTRY STUDIES I., II

**Annotation:** . To introduce students to various aspects concerning the UK, including modern British life, its state institutions and their functioning as well as occasional social issues and characteristics of the nation.

**Language:** English

**Number of Credits:** 3

**Semester:** Winter/Summer

**Lecturer:** Conrad James Riepl, MSc.

**Course:**COMMUNICATION IN THE MEDIA

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with the journalistic style in the media of English-speaking countries and teach them to use the journalistic style in a written form.

**Language:**English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Teacher of the course:** Conrad James Riepl, MSc.

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN THE MEDIA

**Annotation:**The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with the journalistic style in the media of English-speaking countries and teach them to use the journalistic style in a written form.

**Language:**English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** Conrad James Riepl, MSc.

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN LEGAL TEXTS AND COMMUNICATION IN ECONOMIC TEXTS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with legal texts, show various kinds of legal texts in various branches of the law, focusing on state and international law. The aim of the course is to broaden the knowledge of the students in the area of economic-political relations on the international level. They should also acquire special terminology and phraseology and apply grammatical and lexical rules.

**Language:**English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** PhDr. Mária Badinská

**Course:** BRITISH LIFE AND INSTITUTIONS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with some aspects of life in the given country and enable them to acquire basic special terminology used to describe basic facts about the country.

**Language:**English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** Conrad James Riepl, MSc.

**Course:** US HISTORY

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is deepening the knowledge in the area of US history, as well as improving language-communication skills and acquiring a historical overview from the ancient times to the present day.

**Language:** English

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** PhDr. Martina Benčková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN INTERCULTURAL SITUATIONS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with grammar and vocabulary of the French language so that the students will be able to work with special texts at further seminars.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** PaedDr. Mária Rošteková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN ECONOMIC TEXTS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint students with French economic terminology, grammar and its phenomena, which are specific for the given style and texts.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 2,3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** PaedDr. Mária Rošteková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN LEGAL TEXTS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint students with French legal terminology, grammar and its phenomena, which are specific for the given style and texts.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 2,3

**Semester:** summer

**Teacher of the course:** PaedDr. Radovan Gura, PhD.

**Course:** FRENCH LIFE AND INSTITUTIONS

**Annotation:** The subject deals with the realia studies concerning France and its relationship to the Francophone world. It provides students with an analysis focused on various aspects of France: geomorphological situation, its main economic activities, the state administration bodies, political and social situation as well as France international view concerning mainly Europe and Africa.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** French lecturer, PaedDr. Mária Rošteková

**Course:** HISTORY OF FRANCE

**Annotation:** The subject is concerned with French history – the general development of events with emphasis placed on the formation of power and state in the French region from the early ages to the era of the French revolution.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 3



**Semester:** summer

**Teacher of the course:** French lecturer

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to enable the students to master the spoken, written and grammar structure of the French language so that they can read and understand special texts in French in the area of international relations and foreign policy of French and master the vocabulary of these texts.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** PaedDr. Mária Rošteková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN DIPLOMACY

**Annotation:** The aim of the seminar is to complete the students' knowledge in the area of diplomatic terminology on the basis of diplomatic texts.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** PaedDr. Radovan Gura

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN POLITICAL THEORY

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to familiarize students with basic French terms used in the area of comparative politology . The students should acquire the ability of expressing their opinions on the given topics in the foreign language.

**Language:** French

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** PaedDr. Mária Rošteková

**Course:** CIVILIZATION

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with the aspects of democratic period in Spain.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** HISTORY OF SPAIN

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with the history of Spain.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN DIPLOMACY

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with special diplomatic terminology.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN ECONOMIC TEXTS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with economic texts. They should master special terminology and phraseology and apply grammatical, lexical and stylistic rules.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN INTERCULTURAL SITUATIONS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with grammar and vocabulary in Spanish language so that they will be able to work with special texts at further seminars.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with semantic, grammatical and linguistic phenomena characteristic for the special language of international relations.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN LEGAL TEXTS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with legal texts. They should acquire the ability to express opinions on given topics in foreign language.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** summer

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN POLITICAL THEORY

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquaint the students with semantic, grammatical and linguistic phenomena characteristic for the special language of political sciences.

**Language:** Spanish

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Teacher of the course:** Mgr. Danica Bezaňuková

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN ECONOMIC TEXTS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquire German economic terminology, acquire knowledge in the area of grammar and its phenomena, which are specific for the given style and texts.

**Language:** German

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** Doc. PhDr. Ludovít Tito, CSc.

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN LEGAL TEXTS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquire German legal terminology, acquire knowledge in the area of grammar and its phenomena which are specific for the given style and texts.

**Language:** German

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** summer

**Teacher of the course:** Doc. PhDr. Ludovít Tito, CSc.

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN INTERCULTURAL SITUATIONS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to acquire knowledge of grammar and vocabulary of the German language so that the students will be able to work with special texts at further seminars.

**Language:** German

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** Doc. PhDr. Ludovít Tito, CSc.

**Course:** HISTORY OF GERMAN-SPEAKING COUNTRIES

**Annotation:** The student acquires special knowledge of the political systems of German-speaking countries.

**Language:** German

**Number of credits:** 2

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** Doc. PhDr. Ludovít Tito, CSc.

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

**Annotation:** The aim of the course is to enable the students to master the spoken, written and grammar structures of the German language so that they can read and understand special texts in German in the area of international relations and foreign policy of Germany and master the vocabulary of these texts.

**Language:** German

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter/summer

**Teacher of the course:** Doc. PhDr. Ludovít Tito, CSc.

**Course:** COMMUNICATION IN DIPLOMACY

**Annotation:** The aim of the seminar is to complete the students' knowledge in the area of diplomatic terminology on the basis of diplomatic texts.

**Language:** German

**Number of credits:** 3

**Semester:** winter

**Teacher of the course:** Doc. PhDr. Ludovít Tito, CSc.,

