

Courses offered in foreign languages at the Faculty of Education Matej Bel University in Banská Bystrica

Course: Basic graphic design

Annotation: Basic problems of graphic design like: knowledge of basic fonts and use of them, illustration, and simplification of objects, graphic symbols, poster, development of idea, and development of imagination.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer

Lecturer: prof. Piotr Kunce

Course: Community work

Annotation: Community. Types of communities. Genesis of community work. Development barriers in community work. Stages of community work. Intentions and aims of community work. Principles of community work. Projecting of community work. Community education.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer, Winter

Lecturer: PhDr. Peter Papšo, PhD.

Course: Youth work

Annotation: European youth policy and work with youth in the European Union. Social and demographic characteristic of present youth. Target groups of the work with youth. Specifics of the work with youth. Methods and techniques and approaches of the work with youth. Professional competencies of the professional worker with youth. Work with youth in Slovakia. Culture and culture system. Multicultural education. Subcultures and contra cultures. Main account of subcultures in society. Subcultures in the life of youth. Characterisation of chosen subcultures.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer, Winter

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Peter Jusko, PhD.

Course: Global social problems

Annotation: Global social problems and social politics. Social environment and global social problème. Unemployment as a global social problem. Poverty as a global social problem. Social deviations in the world . Global terror and organised crime. Corporate social responsibility in a global view. Social work and global social problème.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer, Winter

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Peter Jusko, PhD.

Course: Social skills for social workers (Soft skills for social workers)

Annotation: Aim of the subject Social skills of social workers is aimed at supporting and developing social skills needed to work with people. It consists of theoretical and practical

part. The aim of the subject is to gain techniques of intrinsic motivation, self-knowledge, emotional intelligence, skills of effective communication and others.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Winter, Summer

Lecturer: PhDr. Katarína Kurčíková, PhD.

Course: Basics of Ethics and History of Ethics theories

Annotation: Introduction to and acquisition of basic terms. Theories, conceptions and types of Ethics. Understanding of problems of applied Ethics as the basis for study of ethics history. Systematic Ethics and individual applied Ethics. Ethics as a science. Origins of the terms ethics, moral, morality. Definition of morality. Descriptive definitions of morality. Normative definition of morality. Morality and religion. The pervasiveness of religious diversity. Religious diversity and epistemic obligation. Religious diversity and justified belief.

Religious diversity and apologetics. Religious diversity and the eternal destiny of humankind.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer, Winter

Lecturer: PhDr. Janka Kyseľová, PhD.

Course: Introduction into Psychology

Annotation: The course is specified for anyone who is concerned about psychology, education, and learning. An introduction into Psychology as a Science (terms, concepts, models, theories, research in Psychology). Human development: A Framework for A Man (Conception through Childhood, Adolescence, Adulthood to Old Age, Cognitive development, Personal, Social and Moral development). Other Aspects of Psychology: Sensation, Perception, States of Awareness, Learning theory and Practice (Learning Behavioral views, Application of Behavioral Approaches, Learning: Cognitive Views), Memory, Intelligence, Motivation and Management (Motivation: Personal factors, External Factors, Communication). Personality and its approaches (Trait, Freudian, Social-cognitive, Humanistic, Personality Assessment), Stress and Coping, Social Cognition and Behaviors (Applying Psychology into Control of Aggressive Behavior, Conformity in Groups).

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Winter, Summer

Lecturer: PaedDr. Lada Kaliská, PhD.

Course: Environmental ethics

Annotation: The course Environmental ethics introduces philosophical ethics through an engagement with environmental issues of biodiversity loss, technology use, population growth and resource use, sustainability, non-human animal welfare, non-human beings use, environmental justice, global climate change etc. The main goals of the course are to provide students with a more sophisticated conceptual vocabulary to make and evaluate ethical arguments across domains and to engage students' ethical reasoning and reflection on environmental issues in particular. The course presents authors and texts focused on environmental ethics and related problems (particularly intrinsic value, instrumental value, moral status and so on).

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer, Winter

Lecturer: Mgr. Barbora Baďurová, PhD.

Course: Basics of animation in social context

Annotation: Student will understand the concept of animation in social context. He will have practical experience of stop-motion animation, basics of photography, adjusting pictures, post production, import and export using professional applications.

At the end of course student will be able to make a documentation of any social group using visual ways of communication.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Winter, Summer

Lecturer: Mgr. Lenka Kasáčová, PhD., Mgr. art. Emília Rigová, ArtD.

Course: Ethics in Religious Systems

Annotation: Acquiring basic religionist skills in understanding ethical standards for selected religious systems. Ability to raise adequate questions to explore ways of evaluation and apprehension of religions. An introductory diachronic treatise on the sacred and the holy. Basic historical sketches and ethical principles of the following selected religious systems: Brahmanism; Hinduism; Buddhism; Judaism; Christianity.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Winter

Lecturer: prof. ThDr. Pavel Procházka, PhD.

Course: Theology and Philosophy

Annotation: Acquiring skills in recognizing and formulation philosophical problem in relation to theological thinking and biblical worldview. Ability to give philosophical questions in a theologically based way, get survey of the categories of philosophical thinking. Introduction to the history of thought; History of philosophy from a theological viewpoint; Problems, methods and historical eras in philosophy; Relationship between Theology, Philosophy and Christian faith.

Language: English

Number of Credits: 2

Semester: Winter

Lecturer: doc. ThDr. Pavel Hanes, PhD.

Course: Eurolingua English 1

Annotation: English as a foreign language - development of knowledge of general vocabulary and grammar, training all four communication skills (listening, speaking, reading writing) - leading to level A2 of European Reference Framework of Languages

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Winter

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Dana Hanesová, PhD.

Course: Eurolingua English 2

Annotation: English as a foreign language - development of knowledge of general vocabulary and grammar, training all four communication skills (listening, speaking, reading writing) - leading to level A2 of European Reference Framework of Languages

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Dana Hanesová, PhD.

Course: Eurolingua English 3

Annotation: English as a foreign language - development of knowledge of general vocabulary and grammar, training all four communication skills (listening, speaking, reading writing) - leading to level B1 of European Reference Framework of Languages

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Winter

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Dana Hanesová, PhD.

Course: Eurolingua English 4

Annotation: English as a foreign language - development of knowledge of general vocabulary and grammar, training all four communication skills (listening, speaking, reading writing) - leading to level B1 of European Reference Framework of Languages

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Dana Hanesová, PhD.

Course: English for Professionals 1

Annotation: English as a foreign language - development of knowledge of specialized vocabulary (according to the studied major programme), training all four communication skills (listening, speaking, reading writing) - leading to level C1 of European Reference Framework of Languages

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Winter

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Dana Hanesová, PhD.

Course: English for Professionals 2

Annotation: English as a foreign language - development of knowledge of specialized vocabulary (according to the studied major programme), training all four communication skills (listening, speaking, reading writing) - leading to level C1 of European Reference Framework of Languages

Language: English

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer

Lecturer: doc. PaedDr. Dana Hanesová, PhD.

Course: Globale soziale Probleme

Annotation: Was ist Globalisierung (Ursprung, Ziele)? Reden und Methoden zur Durchsetzung der Globalisierung Präsentation der wichtigsten globalen sozialen Probleme. Wie mit der Globalisierung zu bewältigen und sich in sie orientieren. Schätzung der weiten Entwicklungen in Globalisierung und ihre Auswirkungen – Vorbereitung auf diese Entwicklungen.

Language: German

Number of Credits: 6

Semester: Summer

Lecturer: PhDr. Marek Stachoň, PhD.