



COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS

Course name

English language 1

Course

Field of study

Architecture

Area of study (specialization)

Level of study

First-cycle studies

Form of study

full-time

Year/Semester

I/2

Profile of study

general academic

Course offered in

English

Requirements

compulsory

Number of hours

Lecture

Laboratory classes

Other (e.g. online)

Tutorials

Projects/seminars

60

Number of credit points

4

Lecturers

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Prerequisites

Knowledge: The already acquired language competence compatible with level B1 (CEFR)

Skills: The ability to use vocabulary and grammatical structures required at the high school graduation exam with regard to productive and receptive skills

Social competencies: The ability to work individually and in a group; the ability to use various sources of information and reference works.

Course objective

1. Advancing students' language competence towards at least level B2 (CEFR).



2. Development of the ability to use academic and field specific language effectively in both receptive and productive language skills.
3. Improving the ability to understand field specific texts (familiarizing students with basic translation techniques).
4. Improving the ability to function effectively on an international market and on a daily basis.

Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge

C.W3. vocabulary and grammatical structures of a foreign language which is the language of international communication in terms of creating and understanding written and oral statements on architecture, as well as the need to efficiently use a foreign language.

Skills

C.U1. obtain information from properly selected sources, also in a foreign language which is the language of international communication, in order to use it in the design process;

C.U2. use at least one foreign language which is the language of international communication at the B2 level of the European System for the Description of Languages, including specialist terminology in the field of architecture and town planning necessary for design activities.

Social competences

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Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

- Formative assessment: vocabulary tests, presentations
- Summative assessment: credit

Programme content

Introduction of basic specialist vocabulary from the field of history of architecture by means of professional texts, covering the following periods: ancient Greece, ancient Rome, the Gothic style as well as vocabulary connected with building design and construction.

Description and basic analysis of buildings from the periods mentioned above based on information from professional texts and students' knowledge.

Introduction of vocabulary from the area of maths and geometry as well as graphs and diagrams interpretation and description.

Revision and consolidation of general vocabulary and grammar rules.

Students' presentations connected with the field of study.

Teaching methods



Practice of basic language skills: speaking, listening, writing and reading.

e-learning Moodle - distant teaching and learning system

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Basic

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Breakdown of average student's workload

	Hours	ECTS
Total workload	120	4,0
Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher	60	2,0
Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for tutorials, preparation for tests, presentation preparation ¹	60	2,0

¹ delete or add other activities as appropriate