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COURSE DESCRIPTION CARD - SYLLABUS

Course name			
Foreign language - germ	an		
Course			
Field of study		Year/Semester	
Environmental Engineering Second-cycle Studies		1/1	
Area of study (specialization)		Profile of study	
Water Supply, Water and Soil Protection		general academic	
Level of study		Course offered in	
Second-cycle studies		german	
Form of study		Requirements	
part-time		elective	
Number of hours			
Lecture	Laboratory classes	Other (e.g. online)	
Tutorials	Projects/seminars		
30			
Number of credit points	5		
2			
Lecturers			
Responsible for the course/lecturer: R		Responsible for the course/lecturer:	
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Prerequisites

The already acquired language competence compatible with level B2 (CEFR). The ability to use general and field specific vocabulary, and grammatical structures required on the first level of studies. The ability to work individually and in a group; the ability to use various sources of information and reference works.

Course objective

Advancing students language competence towards at least level B2+ (CEFR). Development of the ability to use academic and field specific language effectively in both receptive and productive language skills. Improving the ability to understand field specific texts. Improving the ability to function effectively on an international market and on a daily basis.

Course-related learning outcomes

Knowledge

As a result of the course, the student ought to acquire field specific vocabulary related to the following



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issues: job searching and recruitment process, renewable and non-renewable energy, energy consumption. The student is able to define and explain associated terms, phenomena and processes.

Skills

1. As a result of the course, the student is able to formulate a text in German where he/she explains/describes a selected field specific topic.

2. The student is able to give a presentation on a technical or popular science topic in German.

3. The student is able to discuss general and field specific issues using an appropriate linguistic and grammatical repertoire.

Social competences

1. As a result of the course, the student is able to communicate effectively in a field specific/professional area, and to give a successful presentation in German.

2. The student is able to recognize and understand cultural differences in a professional and private conversation, and in a different cultural environment.

Methods for verifying learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Learning outcomes presented above are verified as follows:

Formative assessment: tests during academic year (written and oral) presentations. Summative assessment: credit. To obtain a positive assessment the student is obliged to pass the material covered by the program with at least 50%.

Programme content

Job searching, application document,

Formal correspondence, e-mail

Nuclear power plants

Water power plants

Wind turbines

Geotermia

Presentation of engineering work

Teaching methods

1. Multimedia presentation, analysis of topics/problems through examples shown on the board, lexical and grammatical tasks,

2.Language practice: discussion, teamwork, case study, linguistic and integration games,

3.Student's individual work, reading and listening comprehension exercises, writing practice.

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Basic

- 1. Müller, A./Schlüter, S. : Im Beruf Kursbuch, Hueber Verlag, Ismaning 2013
- 2. Jabłońska, D.: Energii, Roboter, Autos, Züge, Politechnika Krakowska, 2014

Additional

- 1.Sander, I/Fügert, N.: DaF im Unternehmen, Ernst Klett Sprachen, Stuttgart 2016
- 2. Steinmetz, M./Dintera, H.: Deutsch für Ingenieure, Springer Vieweg, Wiesbaden 2014
- 3. Olejnik, H.: Deutsch für technische Berufe, Wyd. Politechniki Gdańskiej, Gdańsk 2005
- 4. Professional literature (online resources)

Breakdown of average student's workload

	Hours	ECTS
Total workload	50	2,0
Classes requiring direct contact with the teacher	30	1,0
Student's own work (literature studies, preparation for classes,	20	1,0
preparation for tests) ¹		

¹ delete or add other activities as appropriate